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27th June 1867.

No. 267. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Point Calimere, 15th June 1867, No. 160.

In accordance with Section 145 of Act X of 1865, I have the honor to forward, for approval and confirmation by the Governor in Council, the following Bye-laws which have been made by the Municipal Commissioners for the town of Tanjore:—

1. Conveyances passing over bridges, and crossing toll gates, should pass at the ordinary walking pace.
2. Carts or other vehicles without springs shall be used on the sides of the public roads.
3. Carts and carriages on meeting other conveyances shall leave them to the right hand, and in passing them shall leave them to the left.
4. Flying kites, or engaging in any other game so as to annoy or endanger the safety of passengers, on the public roads or bazaars, is strictly prohibited.
5. Parties are strictly prohibited from firing cannons, guns, &c., from 12 A. M. to 4 A. M., unless specially permitted by the Commissioners.
6. Parties are strictly prohibited from beating tom-toms and playing at musical instruments, as, for instance, tarais and taptais, in the public roads or thoroughfares, from 12 A. M. to 4 A. M.
7. No grain shall be dried or heaped up on any public road or thoroughfare.
8. The owners of houses are required to have the external walls, &c., adjacent to the public streets, lime-washed at least once a year, or oftener as the Commissioners may think it necessary.
9. The pavements of houses or verandahs shall not be used for the purposes of stables and stalls.
10. The owners of wells are required to have them fenced by a wall at least three feet high from the ground.
11. Places for the sale of meat and fish shall be washed once a day, at such times as the Commissioners may direct, and the refuse, removed therefrom, shall be deposited at such place or places as the Commissioners may appoint.
12. All slaughter-houses shall be white-washed within and without at least twice every year, and oftener as the Commissioners may direct.
13. All owners of markets and public bazaars shall keep in their markets or bazaars standard sets of weights and measures, as are generally used in markets, and bearing Government stamps.
14. No person shall bury any corpse within the Tanjore Municipality in such a manner that the corpse shall be at a less depth than four feet from the surface of the ground.
15. No person shall, when burning any corpse, permit the same, or any part thereof, to remain without being completely reduced to ashes.
16. Every burial ground shall be surrounded by a wall not less than four feet high.
17. All authenticated copies of original registration or licenses shall be given on the payment of a fee of four Annas for each such copy.

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18. The time for killing sheep on the ground set apart as slaughter-houses shall be between 5 and 8 in the morning and 4 to 6 in the evening.
19. Commissioners shall have the power to break open the houses of persons who lock them up to evade payment of any municipal tax, and to attach any property therein found, in satisfaction of such an arrear.
20. Whoever disobeys any of the above laws shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rupees twenty, and to a further penalty, not exceeding Rupees ten, per every day, after conviction for such offence, during which the offence is continued.

No. 268. ORDER THEREON, 27th June 1867, No. 754.

The Governor in Council thinks that the wording of the second of the proposed Bye-laws may be improved. The following will be substituted:—"No cart or other vehicle without springs shall be used on any portion of the roads, except on the sides thereof."

2. The last of the proposed Bye-laws cannot be sanctioned, as it would enable the Commissioners to do that which they are not authorized by legislative enactment to do. Many of the others require verbal alterations, having evidently been written by a person not thoroughly conversant with English, and not having been corrected.

3. The Governor in Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 145 of Act X of 1865 (Madras) sanctions the following Bye-laws for the Town of Tanjore.

1. Conveyances passing over bridges and through toll gates shall pass at a moderate pace.
2. No cart or other vehicle without springs shall be used on any portion of the roads, except on the sides thereof.
3. Carts and carriages on meeting other conveyances shall leave them to the right hand, and in passing them shall leave them to the left.
4. Flying kites, or engaging in any other game so as to annoy or endanger the safety of passengers, on the public roads or bazaars, is strictly prohibited.
5. Parties are strictly prohibited from firing cannons, guns, &c., from 12 A. M. to 4 A. M., unless specially permitted by the Commissioners.
6. Parties are strictly prohibited from beating tom-toms, and playing musical instruments, such as tarais and taptais, in the public roads or thoroughfares, from 12 A. M. to 4 A. M.
7. No grain shall be dried or heaped up on any public road or thoroughfare.
8. The owners of houses shall have the external walls, &c., of buildings in their occupation, adjacent to the public streets, lime-washed at least once a year, or oftener as the Commissioners may direct.
9. No person shall make use of the pavement or verandah of his house, or of any place not specially intended for such purpose, in front of his house, or by the side of any street, as a stable or stall for keeping horses, ponies, bulls, cows, buffaloes, or any other animals.

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10. Every well shall be fenced by a wall at least three feet high from the ground.
11. Places for the sale of meat and fish shall be washed once a day at such times as the Commissioners may direct, and the refuse, removed therefrom, shall be deposited at such place or places as the Commissioners may appoint.
12. All slaughter-houses shall be white-washed within and without at least twice every year, or oftener as the Commissioners may direct.
13. All owners of markets and public bazaars shall keep in their markets or bazaars standard sets of such weights and measures as are generally used in markets. Such weights and measures shall bear the Government stamp.
14. No person shall bury any corpse within the Tanjore Municipality in such a manner that the corpse shall be at a less depth than four feet from the surface of the ground.
15. No person shall, when burning any corpse, permit the same, or any part thereof, to remain without being completely reduced to ashes.
16. Every burial ground shall be surrounded by a wall not less than four feet high.
17. All authenticated copies of original registration or licenses shall be given on the payment of a fee of four Annas for each such copy.
18. The time for killing sheep, in the places set apart as slaughter-houses, shall be between 5 and 8 in the morning and 4 to 6 in the evening.
19. Whoever disobeys any of the above laws shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rupees twenty, and to a further penalty, not exceeding Rupees ten, per every day, after conviction for such offence, during which the offence is continued.

(True Extract).

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commission, Tanjore.

Erd. J. H. Burns.

N^o 150 Point Calmire, Tritupundi Taluk
15 June 1864.

From J. E. Morris Esq
President of the Municipal
Commission
Tanjore District

To Mr. Tombs A. J. Abuttnot
Chief. Secretary Government
Fort. Saint George

Sir,

In accordance with Section 145 of
Act X of 1865, I have the honor to forward
for approval and confirmation by the
Governor in Council the following By
Laws which have been made by the
Municipal Commissioners for the Town
of Tanjore:-

- 1 Carriages passing over bridges
and crossing toll gates should
pass at the ordinary walking pace
- 2 Carts or other vehicles without springs
shall be used on the sides of the
public roads.
- 3 Carts and carriages on meeting other
carriages shall leave them
to the right hand and in passing
them shall leave them to the
left.
- 4 Flying Kites or engaging in any other
game so as to annoy or endanger
the safety of passengers on the public
roads or highways is strictly prohibited

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- 5 Parties are strictly prohibited from firing cannons, guns, &c from 12 A.M. to 4 A.M. unless specially permitted by the Commissioners.
- 6 Parties are strictly prohibited from beating tom toms and playing of musical instruments, as for instance Tarais and Taptans, in the public Roads or thorough fares from 12 A.M. to 4 A.M.
- 7 No grain shall be dried or heaped up on any public road or thorough fare.
- 8 The owners of houses are required to have the external walls ~~year~~ adjacent to the Public Streets ~~lines~~ washed at least once a year, or oftener as the Commissioners may think it necessary.
- 9 The pavements of houses or verandahs shall not be used for the purposes of stables and stalls.
- 10 The owners of walls are required to have them fenced by a wall at least three feet high from the ground.
- 11 Places for the sale of meat and fish shall be washed once a day at such times as the Commissioners may direct, and the refuse removed there from shall be deposited at such place or places as the Commissioners may appoint.

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- 12 All slaughter houses shall be whitewashed within and without at least twice every year and oftener as the Commissioners may direct.
- 13 All owners of markets and public bazaar shall keep in their markets or bazaars standard sets of weights and measures as are generally used in markets and bearing Government stamps.
- 14 No person shall bury any corpse within the Towne Municipality in such a manner that the corpse shall be at a less depth than four feet from the surface of the ground.
- 15 No person shall when burying any corpse permit the same or any part thereof to remain without being completely reduced to ashes.
- 16 Every burial ground shall be surrounded by a wall not less than four feet high.
- 17 All authenticated copies of original registration or licenses shall be given on the payment of a fee of four Annas for each such copy.
- 18 The time for killing sheep in the grounds set apart as slaughter houses shall be between 5 & 8 in the morning and 4 to 6 in the evening.
- 19 Commissioners shall have the power to break open the houses of persons who lock them up to evade payment of any Municipal tax and to attach any property therein found in satisfaction of such an arrear.

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I remain the hon^d & c
 Sir

Your most obed^t servant

J. J. Morris
 President

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 The Chief Secretary
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Read the following letter from the
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 Dated 15th June 1867. No. 160.

ORDER THEREON

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Mr. J. J. Morris
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not authorized by legislative enactment to do. Many of the others require verbal alterations having evidently been written by a person not thoroughly conversant with English, and not having been corrected.

3. The Governor in Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 115 of Act X of 1865 (Madras) Sanctions the following Byelaws for the town of Tanjore.

1. Conveyances passing over Bridges and through toll gates shall pass at a moderate pace.

2. No cart or other vehicle without springs shall be used on any portion of the roads, except on the sides thereof.

3. Carts and Carriages on meeting other conveyances shall leave them to the right hand and on passing them

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them shall leave them to the left.

4. Throwing stones or engaging in any other game so as to annoy or endanger the safety of passengers on the public roads or bazaars is strictly prohibited.

5. Parties are strictly prohibited from firing cannons, guns, &c. from 12 A.M. to 2 A.M. unless specially permitted by the Commis-
sioners

6. Parties are strictly prohibited from beating tom toms and playing unusual instruments such as Tarais and Taptais, in the public roads or thoroughfares from 12 A.M. to 2 A.M.

7. No grain shall be dried or heaped up on any public road or thoroughfare.

8. The owners of houses shall

Shall have the external walls of buildings in their occupation, adjacent to the public streets lined washed at least once a year or oftener as the Commissioners may direct.

9. No person shall make use of the pavement or verandah of his house, or of any place not specially intended for such purpose, in front of his house, or by the side of any street, as a stable or stall for keeping horses, ponies, bullocks, cows, buffaloes, or any other animals.

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11. Places for the sale of meat and fish shall be washed once a day at such times as the Commissioners may direct, and

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the refuse removed therefrom shall be deposited at such place or places as the Commissioners may appoint.

12. All slaughter houses shall be white washed within and without at least twice every year or oftener as the Commissioners may direct.

13. All owners of markets and public bazaars shall keep in their markets or bazaars standard sets of such weights and measures as are generally used in markets. Such weights and measures shall bear the Government stamp.

14. No person shall bury any corpse within the Tanjore municipality in such a manner that the corpse shall be at a less depth than four feet from the surface of the ground.

16. No person shall when
disposing of any corpse per-
mit the same or any part
thereof to remain without
being properly interred.

16. Every burial ground
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wall not less than four feet
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17. All authenticated
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of four annas for each
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18. The time for killing
sheep in the places set
apart as slaughter houses
shall be between 5 and 8
in the morning and 4 to 6
in the evening.

Whoever disobeys
the above laws
shall be liable to a fine
not exceeding Rs. 20.

and to a further penalty
not exceeding Rs. 100 per
every day after con-
viction for such offence
during which the offence
is continued.

To the President of the Municipal
Commission, Bangalore. d/s/1/1
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Dated 27 June 1864.

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