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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
12th October 1870.*

No. 64. Read the following letter from the Vice-President of the Municipal Commission, Vellore, to the President of the Municipal Commission, Vellore, dated Vellore, 20th September 1870, No. 124 :—

In the absence of any authority to suppress gambling, particularly during the Moharum and other Mahomedan and Hindoo festivals, when it is carried on with impunity, without any regard as to time and place, the Municipal Commissioners, at a meeting held to-day, proposed the bye-law marginally cited, to which I have the honour to request you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government, under Section 145.

That no gambling of any description be allowed to be carried on within the municipal limits of the town of Vellore.
Whoever disobeys the above law shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Rupees 20.

—
No. 72.

True copy submitted for the sanction of Government.

TIRUPATHI,
28th September 1870.
To the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.

(Signed) W. S. WHITESIDE,
Presdt. of the Munpl. Comsn., Vellore.

No. 65. ORDER THEREON, 12th October 1870, No. 1276.

The Government are not prepared to sanction the proposed bye-law. A prohibition of gambling in places of public resort may, with propriety, be enforced, and penalties may be imposed on persons keeping gambling-houses; but, beyond this, it does not appear desirable to provide by a Municipal bye-law.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commission, Vellore.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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Municipal Commissioners
Vellore 20 September 1870

From, Captain J. A. C. Johnson
Vice President of the
Municipal Commission
Vellore

To, W. J. Whiteside Esq.
President of the Municipal Commission
Vellore

In the absence of any authority to
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145.

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To
THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
Vellore.

Filed October, 12th

Recd.

G. O. 12th October 1870, No. 1276.

OCTOBER.
Nos. 64-65.

Declining to accord sanction to a bye-law prop-
osed by the President, prohibiting gambling.

N^o 72 (Signed) J. A. E. Johnson. Capt.
Vice President

True Copy submitted for the sanction
of Government.

North Street
Bazley's Cart Office
Cannock 28 September
1870

Whitfield
President
Municipal Committee
Vellase

To
The Chief Secretary

Government
Fort Saint George

of
 from the President
 A.C. Pillsbury
 to the Chief Secretary
 of the Government
 Frederick A. Douglass
 dated 25th December 1870
 Received
 Dec 16 1870
 submitted for the committee
 The Government of the
 12th of December 1870
 from the Vice President
 A.C. Pillsbury requests
 the explanation of the
 under section 145 for the
 proposed law

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12 Decr. 1870 No. 1276.

The Government are not prepared to sanction
 a prohibition of
 the proposed system. But the prohibition of
 in places of public resort may with propriety
 be enforced, and penalties may be imposed
 on persons keeping gaming houses; but the
 proposed system goes too far; it is beyond

that it does not appear that
 it is worth the trouble of a

Municipal System.

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of the President of the Municipal
 Commission - Wm. C. Pillsbury
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Court of 1870 Madras.

Public

To

The Pres. M. C. Comm.

Vellore.

Dated Oct. 12.

Recd.

G. O. 12 Oct.

1870.

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Declining to accord sanction
to a Bye law proposed by the
President, prohibiting
gambling.