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[Despatch Abstract.]

Sanctioning the retention of the
licenses under the Christian marriage
Act granted to the Revds. Fernandez
& Singer of the South Canara D.
under the circumstances mentioned
by the D.^y Magistrate.

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The licenses in question may for the present be retained.



At 22. 11. 97

Ch/ The R. M. S. 6/11/97
For Order whether in the circumstances stated.

From The District Magistrate of South Canara

The licensees may be allowed to retain their licenses. The Revd. O. Singer Dated 26th October 1897
transfer is apparently not permanent and Registered 1-4-97
para 4 of 388 Pub. d/ Enclosures
5th April 1897 contempla. Spare copies
-ted only those cases where.

SUBJECT.

The holders of licenses have left the station. Recommending to Government that the Reverends D. Fernandez and O. Singer may be allowed to retain their licenses under the Indian Christian Marriage Act though they have left the District.

CW. need not be recorded In the case of the Revd. D. Fernandez, it seems as if the license should be cancelled. The license of the Rev. O. Singer can be cancelled a record of his return to the Presidency.

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SOUTH CANARA DISTRICT MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE,

CURRENT

Mangalore,
16 October

1897

From

H. A. Nicholson Esquire,

District Magistrate of

South Canara.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public Judicial Department,

Fort St. George.

Sir,

As it appeared from the list of persons licensed under the Indian Christian Marriage Act for the year 1896-97 submitted by the Senior Missionary of the Basel Evangelical Mission, Mangalore, that the Reverend D. Fernandez was pensioned and was living in Malabar and that the Reverend O. Singer was at present stationed at Honawar in the Bombay Presidency I requested the Senior Missionary with reference to paragraph 4 of G. O. No. 388, Public, dated 5th April 1897, to inform me whether their licenses might be revoked, and if so, to forward them to me. The Senior Missionary states in his reply that the Reverend D. Fernandez though pensioned is still according to the ecclesiastical customs of the mission considered

a clergyman, though supernumerary, and may as such from time to time be called upon to solemnize marriages in substitution for another clergyman in active service. He further states that he is unable to say whether or not the Reverend O. Singer will again be transferred to this District, and that there are some among his Canarese Missionaries who hold marriage licenses from both the Madras and Bombay Governments owing to their being frequently transferred from the Southern Maharashtra and North Canara Districts to the Tulu District (South Canara), and vice versa.

2. It seems to me that under these circumstances the Clergymen in question may be allowed to retain their licenses, and I accordingly submit the matter for the orders of Government.

I have the honor to be,
Your most obedient servant
D. [Signature]
Ag. District Magistrate.

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