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15th January 1861.

No. 198. Read the following letter from J. M. WILSON, Esq., Secretary, Bishop Corrie's Grammar School, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 18th December 1860.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to request you will submit for the consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council, the claim of Bishop Corrie's Grammar School under Section 133 of Act XXXII of 1860, to exemption from the duties chargeable under that Act.

2. Bishop Corrie's Grammar School is designed to afford religious instruction in accord ance with the principles of the Church of England.

3. For this purpose it obtains aid and support, as its necessities demand, from the friends who are favorable to that object, and the funds thus raised are applied to the maintenance of the School Establishment.

4. It further receives aid from Woolley's Estate, from which a moiety of the interest accumulating on the amount invested in Government Securities and held by the Accountant General, is paid half-yearly to that institution, amounting to Rupees 1,377, for the education of thirty boys, the children of distressed Europeans and their descendants.

5. In addition to these there are the following Scholarships connected with the school, for which separate funds were raised by public contributions, viz., Bishop Corrie's Scholarships : the funds of which are invested in Government Securities, and amount to Rupees 15,700, that is to say, a Government Promissary Note of the 4 per cent loan :—

	RS.
No. 24,396 of 1842-43	5,300
,, 28,796 of ,, ,, ...	500
,, 27,927 of ,, ,, ...	600
,, 27,966 of ,, ,, ...	800
,, 28,207 of ,, ,, ...	4,300
,, 27,968 of ,, ,, ...	1,300
,, 27,967 of ,, ,, ...	1,500
,, 8,491 of 1835-36.....	700
,, 10,358 of ,, ,, ...	700
Rupees...	15,700

6. Sir Peregrine Maitland's Scholarships : the funds are invested in like manner in Government Securities, and amount to Rupees 3,100, as follows :—

	RS.
No. 28,795 of 1842-43.....	500
,, 26,708 of ,, ,,.....	2,100
,, 46,710 of 1854-55...	500
Rupees...	3,100

7. Tucker's Scholarships : for which Rupees 10,000 had been raised, of this sum Rupees 9,000 is invested on the security of the house now occupied by the school, and Rupees 1,000 in Government Securities, viz :—

	RS.
No. 8,308 of 1842-43.....	500
,, 9,296 of ,, ,, ...	500
Rupees...	1,000

8. A School Fee is charged varying from 2 to 4 Rupees according to the number of children sent for education by each family, which falls short by Rupees 4-12-0 of the actual expense incurred for each pupil, and this difference is supplied gratuitously from the available resources of the school.

9. In addition to the above the institution possesses the School House situated in Samboodoss Street, Black Town.

10. The foregoing constitutes the whole of the property, moveable and immoveable, belonging to, or in any way connected with Bishop Corrie's Grammar School; the affairs of which are under the direction and management of a Committee consisting of fifteen members, two of whom are nominated by Government to represent the interests of Woolley's Estate.

11. With reference therefore to its constitution and object, the Committee indulge the hope that the same privilege granted to other institutions of a similar character, will, under the power vested in the Honorable the Governor in Council, be extended to Bishop Corrie's Grammar School, and that His Excellency will be pleased to exempt the property of that institution from the charge of the Income Tax, and order any deductions made therefrom on this account to be refunded to the School, subject to the reservation in respect of the Masters and other servants of the establishment who may be liable to the tax.

No. 199. ORDER THEREON, 15th January 1861, No. 100.

2nd October 1860, No. 1,760.
17th November 1860, No. 2,171. R. D.

1. The Government observe that they have already, in the orders marginally noted, exempted the property of Bishop Corrie's Grammar School from Income tax.

2. Refund of any deductions which may have been made from the funds of the Institution in question on account of the tax will be allowed on application to the officer authorized to grant refunds.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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In addition to the above the institution possesses the School House situated on Samboodas Street Black Town.-

The foregoing constitutes the whole of the Property, moveable and immoveable, belonging to, or in any way connected with Bishop Corrie's Grammar School, the affairs of which are under the direction and management of a Committee consisting of Fifteen Members, two of whom are nominated by Government to represent the interests of Mootley's Estate.-

With reference therefore to its constitution and object the Committee indulge the hope that the same privilege granted to other institutions of a similar character, will under the power vested in the Honorable the Governor in Council be extended to Bishop Corries Grammar School, and that His Excellency will be pleased to exempt the property of that institution from the charge of the Income Tax, and order any deductions made therefrom on this account to be refunded to the School, subject to the reservation in respect of the Masters and other Servants of the Establishment who may be liable to the Tax.-

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant.
J M Wilson
Secretary Bishop Corries Grammar School.

No 17 November 1860 to 300 2

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From the Secretary Bishop Corries Grammar School.

Dated 18th Dec.r 1860
Rec.d 19th

Requests that the property belonging to Bishop Corries Grammar School may be exempted from the Income Tax.

No 198 + 199.

No 100. 15th January
With an order

Oct 1860
No 1760
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No. 100

The Government observe that they have already, in the orders marginally noted, exempted the property of Bishop Corrie's Grammar School from Income Tax

2 Repayments of any deductions which may have been made from the Funds of the Institution in question on account of the Tax will be allowed on application to the Officer authorized to grant repayments

For the Sec.y of State 15th Jan.y 1861

Sec.y to the Sec.y Bishop Corrie's Grammar School. Copies. Accountant Gen.l & Civil Auditor.

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