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"	14th Oct.	"	
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"	20th "	"	

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Jaffna 5th Sept. 1902

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ORDER NISI

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Testamentary No. 1291.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Tillainatar Chittampalam of Araly North Deceased.

Chittampalam Thambiah of Araly North Petitioner.
Tillainatar Vythilingam of Araly North Respondent.
This matter of the Petition of Chittampalam Thambiah of Araly North praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Tillainatar Chittampalam of Araly North coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders Esquire, District Judge, on the 21st day of August 1902 in the presence of Mr. Thambiah. S. Cooke, Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and affidavit of the Petitioner dated the 20th day of August 1902 having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is the son and one of the heirs of the said intestate and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him unless the Respondent or any other person shall on or before the 30th day of September 1902 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

Signed this 21st day of Aug. 1902.

W. R. B. SANDERS,
District Judge

ORDER NISI.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Testamentary No. 1291.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Tayalamattu wife of Channugam Chinnatampi of Chulipuram Deceased.

1. Murugesar Mavivanam and wife
2. Kuddischepillai of Chulipuram. Petitioners
1. Tayalpakar Chinnatampi and wife
2. Mutteppillai of Chulipuram
3. Channukam Chinnatampi of do
4. Chinnichippillai widow of Visuvanatar of do Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of Murugesar Mavivanam and wife Kuddischepillai of Chulipuram praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the above named deceased Tayalamattu wife of Chinnatampi of Chulipuram coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders Esquire, District Judge on the 9th day of July 1902 in the presence of Mr. T. C. Changanpillai, Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and affidavit of the Petitioner dated the 1st day of July 1902 having been read, it is declared that the 2 Petitioners are heirs of the said intestate and are entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to them unless the Respondents or any other person shall on or before the 30th day of October 1902 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.
Signed this 16th day of Sept. 1902

W. R. B. Sanders
District Judge

ORDER NISI.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Testamentary No. 1283.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Chivakaman wife of Chinnatampi Kandiah of Tirunelvely Deceased.

Chinnatampi Kandiah of Tirunelvely, Petitioner
1. Vela Kasinathan
2. Vela Ramoo
3. Vela Kathirase
4. Vela Chinnappa
5. Vela Chivakuru
6. Vela Sappathi
7. Kanapathy Vela and his wife Chinnappillai all of Tirunelvely, Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of Chinnatampi Kandiah of Tirunelvely praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Chivakaman wife of Chinnatampi Kandiah of Tirunelvely, coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders Esquire District Judge on the 24th day of July 1902 in the presence of Mr. T. C. Changanpillai, Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and affidavit of the Petitioner dated the 21st day of July 1902 having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is the widow of the said intestate and as such is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him unless the Respondents or any other person shall on or before the 30th day of October 1902 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.
Signed this 16th day of Sept. 1902

W. R. B. SANDERS
District Judge.

ORDER NISI.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Testamentary No. 1292.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Varisaiyar Chittampalam of Meesalai North Deceased.

Kathirase Mavivanam of Meesalai North Petitioner
Thangamuttupillai widow of Varisaiyar Chittampalam of Meesalai North Respondent.

This matter of the Petition of Kathirase Mavivanam the above-named Petitioner praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Varisaiyar Chittampalam coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders Esquire, District Judge on the 26th day of August 1902 in the presence of Mr. K. Sivaprasad Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and affidavit of the Petitioner dated the 23rd day of August 1902 having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is the post brother of the said intestate and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him unless the Respondent or any other person shall on or before the 17th day of October 1902 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.
Signed this 26th day of August 1902

W. R. B. SANDERS
District Judge

ORDER NISI.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Testamentary No. 1295.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Kantar Tillaiampalam of Tanankilappu Deceased.

Tankamattu widow of Tillaiampalam now wife of Namasivayam Kantar of Tanankilappu Petitioner.

1. Marugar Vaitilingam of Madhavil
2. Marugar Sinnatamby of Tanankilappu Respondents
This matter of the Petition of Tankamattu widow of Tillaiampalam now wife of Namasivayam Kantar praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Kantar Tillaiampalam coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders Esquire District Judge on the 10th day of September 1902 in the presence of Mr. Tanniyah S. Cooke, Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and affidavit of the Petitioner dated the 6th day of Sept. 1902 having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is the widow of the said intestate and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to her unless the respondent or any other person shall on or before the 15th day of Oct. 1902 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.
Signed this 10th day of Sept. 1902.

W. R. B. SANDERS,
District Judge

NOTES.

—A generous Parsee of Bombay has donated a lakh of rupees to the Long School of Tropical Medicine.
—The Imperial Government has assigned two million sterling to assist and re-start the loyal Brittoners in South Africa who suffered in the war in addition to the three million sterling already assigned to the Boers.
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நீதி இராச்சியத்தாரை உயர்த்தும், பாவமோ எந்தச் சனங்களுக்கும் இகழ்ச்சி.

கூடம் புத்தகம்.]

யாழ்ப்பாணம், ௧௯௦௨ம் வரு புரட்டாதி ௧௯௨ வியாழக்கிழமை.

[சங்கியை, 20]

இலங்கைப் புகைக்கப்பற்
கொம்பனியாரின்

புனைக்கப்பல்கள் பின்வரும் தேதிகளில்கொ
ழும்புக்குப்போகவிருக்கின்றன.



கோடன்காக்கேசன்றுறையிலி	1902. ஐப்ப, 1966
ருந்து பருத்தித்துறையிலியாக	" " 20
அவலக் காக்கேசன்றுறையிலி	" புரட் 30
ருந்து பாம்பன்விலியாக	" ஐப்பசி 14

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கடிதக்காரருக்கு.

கடிதமெழுதுவோர் வாசித்துவிளங்கத்தக்க நல்லமை
யினால் காகிதத்தினோர்பக்கத்தில் எழுதியனுப்பும்படி
தயவாய்க்கேட்டுக்கொள்ளுகிறோம்.

விளம்பரம்.

சேலம் ஒட்டோமால் கண்டிகளும் வேண்டிய பலஜாதி பழவகைச் செட்டிகளும் கைமாப்பதி விதைகளும் புல்பவிதைகளும் நாட்டி காய்ப்பதி விதைகளும் இவ்விதமாகப் பல் விதைகளும் சரியாமலானவிடங்களுக்கு அனுப்பிவைக்கிறேன். வேண்டியவர்கள் எழுதிக்கொண்டால் 1902-ஆவது வருஷத்திய புதியசேலோவ் கெளன்சிலின் தமிழாணம் தயார் செய்திருப்பதை அனுப்புகிறேன்.

கொ. இ. அப்துலகாசிமாண் சாஃபி,
வினாக்கள் மாங்கனறுவியாபாரி.
குமாரசாமி பட்டி ரோட், சேலம்.

உதயதாரகை.

ககூ02 ம் ஐபுரட்டாதிம் 200க் ௨

நீர்ப்பாய்ச்சல்வேலை.

Irrigation.

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மதிக்காத்திருக்கின்றனர். இவ்வேலை முடிவாகும் போது கரைச்சிப்பகுதியிலே அந் அனுகூலத்தோடுமிகு இவ்வளாண்மை நடத்தலாகும்.

விவசாயத்துறையிலே வேறும் இரு குணங்கள் கிடையாது. அங்கு அளவு வேலை முடிந்திருக்கின்றது. அவற்றிலொன்றை மாற்றும் புகைச்சலுக்கு மேலே 10 கனம் தரையில் தண்ணீர் வளவிக்கூடும். பாலில் ஆற்றியிருக்கிற செலவுக்கப்படுகிறதில் இப்போது நம்மில் மிகக் கொஞ்சம்தான் பாலுமியாவில் ஒப்பிட்டுக் கிரீப்பாய்ச்சக்கூடியது. அளவுவேறியப்பட்ட மற்றதன்மையில் மத்தியதர செலவு மேலே 10 கனம் தர்த்திலும் வளவியப்புகைவதில் ஸ்தானத்தாகக் கொண்டு 10 கனம் தர்த்திலும் இருப்பது. 2029 வசம் விவசாயத்தைக் காட்டு. இதனால் கிரீப்பாய்ச்சப்படுகிற நிலங்களெல்லாம் முடிக்குரிய நிலங்களாவியிருக்கின்றன.

யாழ்ப்பாணக்கல்லூரி.

Jaffna College Prize giving.

யாழ்ப்பாணத்தில் ஹாஸிபீன் பதிர்தக அப்பியாசகத்
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னியெல். வ. ப. படிதவர்க்கனிசு மடமென். என்ன
விஷயத்திலே ஸ்த் வியகம் வரிசை சுமேரெஞ் குறி
ப்புகணம் கூறினர். அமரிசைவிலிருந்த வந்தபுரிய
ஆசிரியரான கணம், ப.பி.கென். வ. எ. எ. ம. அவர்களு
கு சிலவர்களைத் துதினர்.

ஆதரவு மன்றங்கள் பல யாழ்ப்பாணம் கைத்தறித்துத் தயைகுறிப்பு, குறும்பு, பிழச்சு, மெத்தப்பி, சி யியல்புக்கள், ஆசிரியர், மண்ணெண்ணெய் பலர் உதவித் தந்த பிறகுமே பிறகுமே துலக்கிச்செய் பெற்றிருந்த ஒவ்வொருவரும் கிணற்றுக்கே, கோர் உயிர் விழைபவர்கள் அவர்கள் அங்கேதான் வீழ்ந்து து பணிச்செய்த அபிப்பிராயங்கள் எதற்கான? சி யோ, வேகாக்கப்ப, கோமர் என்றும் குறும்பு சிறியகா ளிப்பின் காலுறிகள் நன்கானது எனும். ஆர். சி. கோ மர், பிழ்ச்சும். ஏ அவர்கள் கவிதை சென்றதுதான்மே ளியவர்களுடைய கவிதை விவரப்பற்றும்பற்றிப்பற்ற மானவர்கள் ஒழுக்கம், கோமப்பித் கம்பம்மாமையி லேகாவோ சேய்ப்பயிற்செய்தபெற்றது வேகாவோ சென்ற. இவ்வெல்லாம் இக் கவிதையிப்பெற்றது சென்ற. ஏ, பரிட்சை கையாடிய மென். என். கோ மர், பொருத்தம் இப்பெருக்க கையிற் சென்றிற் அங்கே கற்றப் பிசாணருக்குமேயே கவிதை கையாட போக, சிறி துடைய, ஏ. கருப்பையம் சென்ற. இறையதயப் பிழுகை யும் "யாழ்ப்பாணம் மறந்தது" என்றும் விவரப்பற்றும், மென். என். சதாசிவம் "இறையதய ஐயுமேயுமாகைய" என்றும் விவரப்பற்றும் சென்ற. பிச்சேட்ட கப்பிரமணி யும் "சாதித்தேற்றுகை" என்றும் விவரப்பற்றும், மென். என். ததாரத்தும் "சீவகாவோயிப்பெற்றதுமேன்" என்றும் விவரப்பற்றும் ஆற்றத் தகுந்ததுசெய்யபெ ய்வேகா உபநிபாயச்செய்தது. இப்பெருக்கம் என்றும் அவற்றின் துலக்கிச்செய்த இடையிலும் மா ண்பயிற் பாயது இனிப் பிச்சேட்ட கையெய்க்க அதி ணைமெத்தவேகைத் தீர்மானித்தபெற்ற நியமிக்கப்பட்ட சென்ற. பிறவுள், எனும் வேகாவும், மென். குப், பிச்சத் தகைப்பிச்சிற், என்.கையம், மென். என். ததாரத் துக்கே சென்றதுபிறகுமேனெனத் தீர்ந்தன. அப்பா ய் ஆறுதலுக்குப் பாயாதுபெற்றது, வேட்டேன் ஆற்றத் தகுந்தது, கைத்தலையையும் துச் சேய்யாய்க்கின்றது, செ ள் ளுடைய பரிட்சைகளும் முறும்புமற்றும்பற்றிய மாண்பு பற்றப் பிவ்வுறும் முறையையும் வெகுநிதிக் அறிந் தப்பட்டன.

வி. வ. கருப்பபு. கேதம், தி. தி. சே. கப்பிரமணிம்,
தி. குணசாத்திரம், உபநித்யகம், என். தவாத்தினம்,
சிறோடவ், வ. கருப்பபு. கேதம், என். சென்னைம்,
தி. தாண்டவடி, கணிதம், ஜே. கே. கணபதிபிள்ளை,
என். கே. சின்னையா; தந்தம், என். எஸ். சாமு
தவ், என். சென்னைம், ப. வயத்திவித்தம், நல்லொ
த்தவெலுத்தி, ஏ. செமான்.
கணிடவ், வ. கருப்பபு. கேதம், தி. தி. சாமு
தவ், ப. தம்மசாமா, திவ்வியசாத்திரம், ஆ. குறுமாம், நி.
என். சாமுவேல், வி. முத்தையா, கணிதம், தி. என்.
சாமுவேல், என். சின்னையா, ப. கண்ணப்பிரகாசன்
என். ஜேம்ஸ், என். சின்னத்தையா; முதவ் கருப்பபு
கருத்தி, கே. ஆரமாம்.

பிரவேசவகுப்பு. வேதம், எம். சாமுவேல், ஆர். எச். டானியெல், இங்கிலீஷ், எம். சாமுவேல், எஸ். வி. வலிங்கம்; மண்ணப்பிரசாரணம் எஸ். வயிரவனாதர், க. தம்பியையா.

ஆயத்தவருப்பு. வேதம். எஸ். அண்ணாமலை, தி. ஆர். டீலேட்.

பரிசுக்கள் கொடுத்தபின், அக்ரிகாசனார் சேர். உலியப் பம் துணவனமலர் செழுந்து, மாணவர் கல்வியறிவாரி, எல்லொழுக்கம், ஆன்மாத்சிப்பு என்பவற்றும் பவ்சேஷ சிந்தனேசெலுத்தும் வேண்டும் என்றும், பவணவரும் மற்னோரும் தலவாரியின் மொகாசிசி

தாய்ப்பணை கொடுத்துத்தாயிந்தலவேண்டுமென்றும்
புத்திரிதாயை, வந்திருக்கோருள், தீவலான் மென், தம்
பு, அபுபக்காந்து மென், குகத்தன், பையாபு, பிறந்த மென்,
சவகாப்பின்னை, போதாக்க னயம், அன்னுளன்பலர்கள்,
தாம் அந்தருணத்திற் கண்ட டேனோகாயின்களின்
தேகலாண்மைப் பராதபடியும், மானசத்தம் மற்றோர்க்கு
ம புத்திரியாயும் குறிப்பதாகக் கூறியபிசு, "இரா
யணரகாதத்தருள்" மென்னும் தித்ததோடு ஒன்பது மணி
வரையிற் கூட்டம் முடிவுபெற்றது.

சாஸ்திர நூதனங்கள்.

Science Notes.

தாங்களிடையிலும் இத்தாலிய சாஸ்திரிப்போன்ற தபந்தகலிதங்கள் என அனுமதி (மென்கையைப்போன்றது) என்னும் வேலாதொரு செயல் பெட்டியில் வைத்த தந்தி கம்பியைப்போன்ற கம்பிகள் நுழைவால் மிகுந்தபரிதவிப்பு மணிதபந்தவழி 250 இயல் வீதம் தேவியுடன் அனுப்புகப்பட்டனவை கண்டுபிடித்திருக்கிறோம். கோமை, பேய்ப்பிள்ளைவழி பட்டியல்களுக்கு கிடையில் இவ்வீத தபந்த போக்குவாலை கடத்தும்படி இத்தாலிய அரசாட்சியால் இவர்களுக்கான தீர்மானினை என்ரு. கடியுமே திருநெல்வேலியில் இம்முதலாவது பட்டிசெய்யப்பட்ட தபந்தகலிதோர்த் தலைவர்கள் எடுத்திருக்கிறார்கள்.

யின்சாரத்தினை கம்பியினி ஆகாயமார்க்கமாய்ச்
செய்தியனுப்பும் முறையைக் கண்டுபிடித்த இத்தாலிய
யசாஸ்திரி மார்குடிரோனி என்பவர் 1600 னாண்டுகு
மேற்பட்ட தூரத்திற்குச் செய்தியனுப்புவதற் கித்திய
டைந்தனர். பூமியைச் சுற்றியுஞ் செய்தியனுப்பக்கூ
டுமென்கின்றனராம்.

சங் டன, பெப்ரோஸ், என்னும் இத்தாலியவைத்திய
ரிருவர், நித்திரையின் அளவைச் சுணக்கும் தூர் தூதன
கருவியைக் கண்டுபிடித்திருக்கின்றனர். தாக்கம் அந்
கமர், கொஞ்சமா என்றும், அயர்ந்த நித்திரை எவ்வளவு
வு, குறைந்திதிரை எவ்வளவு என்றும், இச்சுருவியை
க்கொண் அளவுசெய்யச்சூடுமாம்.

கேரளா இத்தாலிய சாஸ்திரியார் மனதின் சிந்தனை
யெவ்வளவென நிறுத்தியுமோர் ஒருவியை இயற்றிய
ருக்கின்றனர். ஒருவன் எவ் விதயந்தரப்பந்தியான
தினத்தின் சிந்திக்கும்போது ஸூரியருக்குச் செல்லும்
இரத்தினங்கள் தனது சகோமாயிவின்கொடுத்தனவே இச்
சூரவி சிந்தனையின் விநாயகம் காட்டுகின்றது.

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யாழ்ப்பாணம்.

காலநிலை.—Weather.—மழை தூதர்பட்டுப் போ
வெயில் மிகக்கடுமையாய் வீழுகின்றது. கம்சகாரரு
ள் ஒருபகுதியார், காலமெய்த்திப்போய்ந்தே விடைகி
றத்தருகுவருமையாக, காலவிலையெனக் கவையுரு
தற்பகுதியார் விடைத்தழுவித்தபயிர் மழையின்கம
லால் வாய்க் சாகப்போகின்றதே பெண்களையுறுதி
தன்னர்.

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இப்படிக்கு, தெல்லிப்பழை, ஓர் நிறிஸ்தவன்.

EXHIBITION OF INDIAN CHRISTIAN INDUSTRY.

We have been asked to give room for the following notice of an Industrial Exhibition to be held in Madras next December. We commend the object to our readers and sincerely hope that the Exhibition will be a great success. Ceylon ought to be well represented and we hope it will be.

An Exhibition of Indian Christian Industry will be held in Madras in December 1902, under the auspices of the Madras Native Christian Association. A similar Exhibition has recently been held at Lucknow, by the Indian Christian Association, N. W. Provinces and Oudh, and has proved a great success, and, as in South India, we have some of the oldest and most successful Industrial Missions and Industrial Schools, one of the same kind held in the Southern Metropolis is likely to be helpful in stimulating Indian Christians to industrial and technical pursuits.

The Exhibition will not be confined to South India alone but will extend to the whole of India and Ceylon as well. It is arranged to be held at the time of the Decennial Conference which is to take place for the first time in Madras, (December 11th to 17th), at which delegates will be present from all parts of India, Missions that have industrial schools and industrial establishments will have a good opportunity of showing the Missionary as well as the Indian Christian public what they have been able to do in the matter of encouraging technical and industrial pursuits among Native Christians, and each Mission will also learn, by ocular demonstration, what is being done in this direction by other Missions.

It is also intended that this Exhibition should prove a stimulus to all individual Indian Christians who are engaged in some form or other of industrial and technical education. Exhibitors therefore are specially invited from these. Girls' schools, other than Industrial schools, will also be allowed to compete for prizes in Drawing, Needle-work, Embroidery, Lace-making, etc. Special prizes will be awarded for any patents taken for inventions.

Prizes and certificates will be awarded for approved exhibits of the following or other descriptions:

1. Carpentry, Cabinet making, Carving and Fret-work.
2. Iron-smiths.
3. Pottery, including clay toys and models.
4. Goldsmiths' work.
5. Other Metal-work (Aluminium, Brass, &c.)
6. Electro-plating and Gilding.
7. Machinery.
8. Watch and Clock making.
9. Rattan work.
10. Drawing (Freehand and Model)
11. Photography.
12. Printing.
13. Engraving and Half Tone-work.
14. Rubber Stamp-making.
15. Carpet-weaving.
16. Cloth-weaving.
17. Needle-work (Plain and Fancy)
18. Kindergarten.
19. Crochet-work.
20. Crochet-work.
21. Knitting.
22. Men's costume (Indian and European, personally cut and sewn).
23. Ladies' dress (personally cut and sewn).
24. Children's costume (personally cut and sewn)
25. Bead-work.
26. Lace-making.
27. Pith work.
28. Philatelic work.
29. Confections and Confectionery.

The Committee of the M. N. C. A. make a special appeal to all Missionaries, Managers of Industrial schools and Industrial establishments, Managers of Girls' schools, and all Indian Christians to give a helping hand in making this Exhibition a complete success. They would be rendering invaluable service if they would kindly make known this project to others and induce many to send exhibits.

The Secretary will be thankful to receive the names of Indian Christians who are engaged in industrial pursuits and of Mission bodies that have industrial schools or establishments of their own.

The Exhibition is open to all Indian Christians (including Roman Catholics). Donations and subscriptions for prizes are also kindly solicited. All exhibits should be sent in before the 20th November. For further details the Secretary, Madras Native Christian Association, (Royapet, Madras) should be communicated with.

The following rules for the Industrial Exhibition have been adopted;

I. The Indian Christian Industrial Exhibition under the auspices of the Madras Native Christian Association, will be held in the Memorial Hall beginning on the 17th December and ending on Friday the 19th inclusive.

II. All articles of art, or manufacture or agricultural products, produced by Indian Christians or under their immediate supervision, from any part of India or Ceylon will be accepted. Implements or machinery of foreign manufacture likely to promote or develop indigenous industries may also be exhibited.

III. Intending Exhibitors should state definitely the nature of articles and the number of articles they wish to exhibit and apply for space in the prescribed form before the 10th October next.

IV. Exhibitors must reach the Secretary, M. N. C. A. on or before the 15th November.

V. Exhibitors must bear all expenses of conveying their exhibits to and from Madras. The Committee will be glad if Exhibitors can also arrange for the exhibition of articles in show-cases where necessary.

VI. In case Exhibitors wish their articles to be sold, they should inform the Secretary to that effect beforehand and mark the prices of the goods plainly in Indian Currency.

VII. The exhibits sent should be accompanied with a separate list of articles for the information of the Secretary, and to each exhibit must be attached a slip showing distinctly the name and address of the sender.

VIII. Exhibitors are not to be removed during the exhibition days.

IX. As it is intended to publish a catalogue of exhibits, together with information regarding the various industrial and other institutions maintained for and by Indian Christians, intending Exhibitors are required to send a brief account (not exceeding a foolscap page) of the various institutions with which they are connected.

X. Exhibitors that are considered to be the best by Judges selected for the purpose, will be awarded prizes or certificates according to their quality or the nature of their manufacture or production.

XI. All letters, or communications in general should be addressed to the Secretary, Madras Native Christian Association, Royapet, Madras.

VI—THE "BLOCK GRANT" SYSTEM.

(Extract from Report of D.P.I.)

It is well known that in England a revolution has been effected during the last two or three years in methods of inspection and examination. "Payment by results" and "individual yearly examinations" have been utterly condemned; a block grant is now paid to each school for general efficiency; fixed annual examinations are held no more; the teacher is given very wide latitude as to framing his time table, arranging his classes, making promotions, &c.; the Inspector in most cases merely listens to the work going on, or holds a brief, sample examination of a class taken at random. Whether the change has not been a little too rapid and complete even in England remains to be seen. It is obviously the opinion of many authorities that, but for the political influence which the teachers acquired through their organizations, a less sweeping change would have been tried, enabling Inspectors to insist on a doubtful school being thoroughly and individually examined without inflicting a very serious stigma on that school as the case at present. Anyhow, it is clear that in Ceylon, while applauding the underlying principle, we are very far from being ready for so drastic an alteration. We must have many more trained and competent teachers and an increased inspecting staff before we can attempt it as a whole. Two slight, but very important, experiments have, however, been tried this year in that direction:—

(1) The Board of Education appointed a committee to consider in what way our principal grant-in-aid English schools could, wholly or partially be freed from the admitted drawbacks of the present system. They took up three schools, and prepared a careful scheme for the payment of these schools, so far as all but their elementary standards are concerned, on their average attendance, and their general efficiency as tested by incidental examinations only. This was accepted by Government on condition that no extra cost was incurred, a proviso which, though not unaccompanied, is not easy of fulfilment in the case of a new scheme where most efficiency is desirable.

The main point of the scheme is to free the whole of the school above Standard IV. from individual examination by the Department, and for "payment by results" is substituted payment for each unit of average attendance, certain conditions being fulfilled. Of these, the most important are preparation for, and reasonable success in, certain named examinations; a satisfactory syllabus of instruction; a sufficient staff (the proportion of scholars to teachers being laid down); an approved time table; and inspection and report by a Government Inspector. The grant may be on the higher or the lower scale, depending on the report. In fact the lines of the English Code have been followed as closely as possible. We have every reason to hope that the experiment will be a success, and to try and make it so, in order that it may be gradually extended to our more important boys' and girls' schools throughout the Island.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Jaffna 22nd Sept. 1902.

To the Editor of "Morning Star."

Dear Sir,

With reference to Mr. Robinson's letter which appeared in your last issue, I wish to make the following remarks:—

1. He seems, by a stretch of his imagination, to deduce something which is not at all warranted by my statement.

2. Considering what he says independently, any one else would have as much right to answer him as I.

3. Missionaries should not think of breaking down all caste prejudices by a single stroke of their pen. A high caste man willing to meet a European socially on an equal footing, is itself a great advance upon old notions.

4. I do not wish to be understood as desiring to uphold the caste system although something may be said in favour of it; all that I meant to say was that no attempt should be made to bring a change with a vengeance.

5. The high caste man might not like to sit at the same table with a low caste man in the missionary's house, because the low caste man or his brother or father will have to serve as a butler or cook when the high caste man invites the missionary to his house.

6. If it is true that the suggestions that I have made are the "continued object" of missionaries, then it seems necessary that they should bring them more into practice. It is not individual cases or isolated examples, but it is the general practice and conduct that is important.

7. The missionary sometimes pays his butler or cook or even coachman more than he pays a teacher or catechist. If the latter should put away all notions of caste, how on earth is he to get on in life?

"A Tamil Worker."

Local and General.

Weather. The rain is not far off. The clouds are banking up, the wind has died down, and the heat of the sun is intense. We may expect showers any time now. The paddy plants are up in low fields, but they need water.

Lecture. Rev. W. T. Garrett B.A. delivered an interesting lecture on Oxford and modern Babylon on the 16th inst. Central College Hall was well filled, and the lecturer held the close attention of his audience. Our correspondent speaks elsewhere of the display of views in connection with the lecture.

Prize-giving. The annual prize-giving of Jaffna College was held in Oley Hall on the 19th inst. The Hall was well filled and the exercises passed off very pleasantly. Sir William Twynam presided and distributed the prizes, adding one himself for the best boy, in the College classes. The Principal read his report which covered the ground for two years work, and which on the whole was encouraging. His main regret was that the "old boys" of the institution had not responded liberally to the appeal for Rs. 10,000 additional for the Endowment. The four members of the B.A. class competed for a prize, Thurainatnam Nalliah being the winner. Magistrate T. M. Tampoo, Advocate Isaac Tambay, Rev. T. P. Hunt and the Chairman made remarks which were listened to with interest. The singing was better than usual. Altogether it was a very successful function and we congratulate all concerned.

Mr. John Rudd. We are glad to learn that Mr. Rudd has returned to Jaffna and assumed duties as Deputy Fiscal and Supt. of Police. A grand reception was given to him on his arrival on the 20th inst. and he was escorted to the Fort from the Railway station in a procession with music and torch light.

Crown Prosecutor. Mr. Johnpillai has obtained leave, for two months, and Mr. Cooke, is acting for him as Crown Prosecutor.

Time light show given on the night of the 16th inst. by Professor Cooke of the "Central College" was a great success. The pictures were made to reflect by electric light and they were bright, clear and large. There was a large audience, chiefly Europeans, and admission was by tickets.

Grand Bazaar riot. One of the rioters who was treated in the F. I. N. S. Hospital named Nagalingam died last week. Two of the culprits are still at large and the proceedings against the rest will take 13 in number as taken by the Magistrate. The days when the case is heard in court, one can see about the courts a large number of the rowdies of the place.

Marriage. A quiet wedding was solemnized in the Manjipal church on the 13th inst. by Rev. W. P. Nathaniel assisted by Revs. E. C. Hasling and Dr. T. B. Scott. The contracting parties were Mr. E. C. Thuraiyali, Surveyor, and Miss. Chellammah Strong. The residence of the bridegroom was finely decorated and it looked a lovely place. In the afternoon several friends visited the parties at the residence of the bridegroom. There was music and other variety of amusements and entertainment. We wish the parties all happiness and God's blessing.

Kachcheri shroff. Mr. Cerim Lebbe has come to Jaffna and Mr. Chinnaiah is giving over the charge of the stores to the new officer. It will take a few days before over the charge as an inventory of all the things in the storerooms to be made. Mr. Chinnaiah will be relieved, for his new post as shroff by the first of next month.

Mr. C. Thirunavakarasoe. who went to Colombo to meet Mrs. Thirunavakarasoe on her arrival from England, returned to Jaffna with Mrs. Thirunavakarasoe on the 20th inst.

Extension to Palali. The train is running to Palali since the 16th inst. and the traffic is said to be good.

Jaffna Steam Navigation. The steam boat iron work, ordered to be made in England is in a fair way towards completion and the Managing Director has called for tenders for wood work and finishing up to be done in Colombo.

Mr. A. M. Gibson. Tobacco specialist, we understand, has cured a large quantity of Pachchilpalai tobacco, and has in store a large quantity of the same, and he is contemplating sending it to England. Mr. Gibson is the agent of a syndicate and the company proposes to apply to Govt. for a large plot of tobacco land, at Pachchilpalai, to grow tobacco.

Estate changes. The lease of the estate belonging to Mr. Maddeok or Kattiarinnon" has expired and Mr. J. Patterson will be his new tenant.

Railway office. The chief asst. Resident Engineer office will be removed to the south, from the 1st October prox. and Mr. T. R. Pasun the chief clerk has severed his connection with the Railway Department, and has accepted a post in an Engineering firm of Colombo.

Mr. J. K. Tambay. This popular officer of our new Railway was entertained at dinner by his friends on the eve of his departure from Jaffna to his new station at Aiyavella. Very complimentary speeches were made, and his efforts to improve the Railway and his high opinion of the Jaffna Bar entertained of Mr. Tambay was greatly referring to his exertions during the Madhavapur festivals. The letter, also, expressed the hope that Mr. Tambay would be sent back here, as an officer of his capacity was required for a new line of Railway as ours. A purse also was presented to Mr. Tambay at the meeting.

Later on a send-off meeting was held at the Railway station presided over by Mr. Koch, the Station master, who spoke very highly of Mr. Tambay's merit and referred to him as an "invaluable" hand.

A letter from Mr. Advocate Kanakasapai (which was read at the meeting) expressed the high opinion the leader of the Jaffna Bar entertained of Mr. Tambay, and greatly referring to his exertions during the Madhavapur festivals. The letter, also, expressed the hope that Mr. Tambay would be sent back here, as an officer of his capacity was required for a new line of Railway as ours. A purse also was presented to Mr. Tambay at the meeting.

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