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मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय विभाग

(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)

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File No. 918.

1915.

GOVERNMENT OF BIHAR AND ORISSA.
poll DEPARTMENT.

S-S- BRANCH.

B PROGS. FOR 1915.

Nos.

 PAGES.

SUBJECT.

1. History sheet of Tulsi Singh son of Bhagwan
Dutt Singh.

2. His removal from the post of tutor and guardian
to the minor son of the late Rai Sahib Hishu Bux Rai whose
estate in Palamau is under Govt. management.

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DEPARTMENT.

File No. 918 of 1915

SUBJECT.

1. History Sheet of Tulsi Singh son of Bhagwan Dutt Singh.
2. Mis removal from the post of tutor & guardian to the minor son of the late Rai Sahib Kishen Bux Rai whose estate in Palamau is under Govt. management. Notes and Orders.

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Extract from H. M's orders
on file No 868 of 1915 conta-
the history sheet of Tulsei

It would be well to
ascertain quietly what Tulsei
Singh is doing now. We do
want to interfere with him
if he has dropped his ar-
chical tendencies, but if
is exercising a bad influence
we should oust him from
the school, if it is one at
which D.P.I. has any control.

Sd/- E. A. G.

29.7.15

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Issue 1/2 W. below show t

D. P. I.

H.M.

1/7/15.

O.O. No. 1-C.T. @ 10/8/15
E.C. Ryland Esr.

Ranchi
1/8/15

DPJus

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u.o.g. 1122
2.8.15

C.S.

Tulsi Singh is apparently not in fort.

Senai. I am making necessary enquiries & on

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looking him up in that he is observed & that,

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if his influence is bad, he is removed, if possible.

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B.I.

5-8-15

H.M.

and

C.S.

for

6.8.15

H.M.
6.8.15

u.o.g. 1172
6.8.15.

we shall like to know the result

2 D.P.I's enquiries E.C.

6/8

C.S.
1/8

u.o.g. 1178
7.8.15.

From the S. B. No. 3588-S.B.

dated the 29th July 1915.

C.S.

The History sheet has

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been corrected accordingly.

The papers may be sent

after perusal by H.M. to D.P.I.

No action on his part wd

appear to be necessary.

See B
8/8/15

H.M.

We sh: tell H. Dep. Com: abt:
this man who is not a fit person
to be tutor & guardian to the
minor proprietors of an estate
under the management.
D.P.I. may see, as action on
his part will no longer be nec:

Cutliff not.

H.M.

9/8/15.

Plan in form

DE at once about

this man's antecedents

& add in at Akbar

Ref 11/8

Ramchi
9/8

H.M.

10/8

U.O. 9. 1239

11. 8. 15.

Ref to Commr
for
12.8

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u.s.

S.A.
12/8

A draft is submitted

D.P.I. may see
after issue

12. 8. 15

To H. J. S. Forrest Esq., J. B. S. D. O.
No. 1917-C, dated 14th August 1915.

To D. P. 1. u/o. 1282.

15. 8. 1915
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मंत्रिमंडल Secy, thank you. विभाग
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार 28.1.1988. मालय)

7/22/20

Fr. 8
P. u. C.

From Mr. Rylands, D.O. No. 4170 L.B.
Dy. 4. 9. 15.

~~11 B.~~
25. 8. 15-

N.B.

14-9-15

Submitter
14/9

U.S.

No reply has yet been

Received to our letter No 1917-C.

dated the 14th August. should

are returned? A draft is submitted

KEB
14.9.10

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14.9.15

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Hon'ble Mr. H. J. S. Forrest D.O. No. 2212-C
Dated 15th September 1915.

From Mr. Forrest, D.O. No. 382 C/I-130.

27. 9. 15.

N.B.
26. 9. 15.
N.B.
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p.u.c.

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u.v.

For info.

ke.B

29. 9. 15.

Await

for
29. 9. 15.

N.B.
10. 10. 15.

Notes
30/9.

Submitted 11/10

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u.v.

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Submitted. Should we

remind again.

ke.B

12. 10. 15.

Yes. It is nearly
a month ago that we wrote.

ppp
12/10

A draft is submitted.

ke.B

13. 10. 15.

ppp
13/10

To the Hon'ble Mr. H. J. S. Forrest
D. O. No. 2637-C, dated 14th October 1915.

N.B.
24. 10. 15.
Notes
14/10

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P. u. c

From Mr. Forrest, D.O. No. 409. Com.
dt. 14. 10. 1915.

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H.S.

Perusal. An Entry has
been made in Tulsi Singh's
History Sheet at Flag P.
Should we ^{now} inform D. I. G.?

M.T.
18/10/15.

18/10/15

Yes
18/10/15

D. I. G. up to 1820.
19. 10. 15

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(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)
Seen and returned into thanks

20/10/15

Records
K.B.
21/10/15

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R. No. 1450
30.7.15.

BIHAR SPECIAL BRANCH,

BANKIPORE,

The 29th July 1915.

D.O. No. 3588 S.B.

Dear Drake,

In the History Sheet of Tulsi Singh forwarded with my D.O.No. 3542 dated 27-7-15 it was stated that Tulsi Singh was at present employed as a teacher in a school at Daltongunge, Palamau. It has since been ascertained that he is really employed as a tutor and guardian to the minor son of the late Rai Sahib Kishen Bux Rai, whose estate is now being managed under the Encumbered Estates Act. The History may kindly be corrected accordingly.

Yours sincerely

H. Sah.
29/7

J.C.B. Drake Esq., I.C.S.

Under Secretary.

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Serial No. 17.

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HISTORY SHEET

OF

बिहा TULSI SINGH फार

मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय विभाग
(FILE No. II-36.)
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)

Compiled by the Bihar and Orissa Special Branch.

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[SPECIAL BRANCH.]

[II-36.]

"BIHAR AND ORISSA."

HISTORY SHEET OF TULSI SINGH.

1. Name and *alias* (if any) ... Tulsi Singh.
2. Father's name ... Bhagwan Dutt Singh.
3. Local address including police-station and district. Ajwan, Naobatpur, Patna. 11
- मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय विभाग
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)
4. Native address. Calcutta address (if any). Nil.
5. Age and personal description. Age 34 in (1915) ; medium complexion, short and of medium build height about 5'-3" ; has a moustache and a long beard and small-pox marks on his face ; speaks and dresses like a Bengali, but also affects a coat and trousers and a Hindustani cap as worn by Biharis.
6. Amount of income, ostensible means of livelihood. Zamindari and extent of, if any. If a foreigner (*i.e.*, resident of any other province or country, not being domiciled,) reasons for visiting or residence in this province. Was a tutor in the Hathwa Raj. has no zemindari. At present earns Rs. 75 P.M., as a teacher in a school at Daltonganj, Palamau. 11 Live/15
15/10/11
7. Municipal or other public posts held, if any. Nil.

8. Educational qualifications.

Read up to the entrance class at the Bihar National College and Patna College. Knows English well.

9. Name and designation of officers and men who can identify the suspect.

Sub-Inspector Gopi Lal of the C. I. D.

Sub-Inspector Barmeshwar Nath of Patna District.

10. Ground on which suspected to be (1) Political agitator, (2) volunteer, (3) extremist. Notable occurrences or cases in which implicated, convictions, date and sentence. Short note on result of house searches and date.

In 1908 delivered a lecture on swadeshi principles and has since been kept under surveillance.

11. Political societies, samitis, or organisations with which he is suspected to be connected. Intimate associates who are connected with the agitation.

Unknown.

12. Places likely to be frequented by suspect, and persons including father's name, caste, residence, etc., with whom he usually puts up.

Gaya, where his uncle lives and Calcutta where he formerly had associations with Bengalis.

13. Names and addresses of all near relatives within or without the district.

Ishar Singh (brother)
Deonath Singh (uncle) Paleza,
Awal, Gaya.

14. Names and residence of relatives in Government service and posts held by each.

Nil.

15. Other details of personal history—

Tulsi Singh is the son of Bhagawan Dutt Singh of Ajwan, police-station Nawbatpur, Patna. Early in his life, he was helped by Mr. Hasan Imam, Bar.-at-law, Bankipore who is said to have raised subscriptions for his education but finding him worthless withdrew his patronage and Tulsi had to give up his studies. For sometime after this he was in the employ of Deonath Singh, his uncle, but proving useless was soon dismissed. He then went to Calcutta and stayed there for 2 or 3 years. In 1908 he delivered a strong speech in Patna District urging his audience never to buy British goods, to slander the English race freely and not to seek redress of grievances in the Government Courts and that Indians should unite and draw the sword (*vide* Bengal Abstracts paras. 1448 of 1908 and 50 of 1909). He is said to have adopted this line on behalf of the Bengalis with whom he lived in Calcutta and whose dress he adopted. His lectures always ended with an appeal for Lala Lajpat Rai's orphanage. Soon after this he was employed by the Latukudar of Bentia district Pertabgarh as tutor to his son but was dismissed as he was being shadowed by the police. He was again engaged by the Latukudar early in 1909 in the same capacity and was not reported on again till November 1911 when he was made a tutor in the Hatwa Raj. He held the post for six months and was dismissed on account of the reports against him. He has since become politically inactive and surveillance over him has been relaxed. He is at present employed as a teacher on Rs. 75 p.m. in a school at Daltonganj, Palamau.

The 28th May 1915.

D. B. CUMMING.

बिहार सरकार
a tutor and guardian to the minor
मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय विभाग
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)
son of the late Rai Sahib Kishan

Bux Rai whose estate is being
managed under the Encumbered
Estates Act.

He was dismissed on the 10.9.1915
vide Mr. Forester's report of 14.10.1915.

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The 12 August

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D.O. No. 1

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My dear Ryland,

Will you please refer to your demi-official letter No. 3542, dated the 27th July 1915, forwarding a copy of the history sheet of Tulsi Singh who is reported to be a teacher in a school at Daltonganj. I am to suggest that it would be well to ascertain quietly what Tulsi Singh is doing now. We do not want to interfere with him if he has dropped his anarchical tendencies, but if he is exercising a bad influence steps will be taken to oust him from the school, if it is one over which the Education Department have any control.

Yours sincerely,

H. M. S.

To

E. C. Ryland, Esq.,

Deputy Inspector-General of Police,

Crime and Railways, Bankipore.

See file No
868 of 1915.

बिहार सरकार
मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय विभाग
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)

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BIHAR SPECIAL BRANCH,
BANKIPORE,

The 9th August 1915.

D.O. No. 3737 S.B.

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My dear McPherson,

Your D.O.No.1.C.T. dated 1-8-15
Grossed our letter No.3582 dated 29-7-15 to Drake
intimating that Tulsi Singh was not employed in a
school at Daltongunj, Palamau, but merely as a
tutor and guardian to the minor son of the late Rai
Sahib Kishen Bux Rai, whose estate is now under the
Court of Wards.

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(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)

Yours sincerely

H. C. Ryland.

The Hon. Mr. H. McPherson, I.C.S.

Chief Secretary.

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RANCHI,

The, /4th August 1915.

D. O. No. 1917 - C.

Dear Mr Forrest,

I am desirous to invite your attention to the fact that one Tulsi Singh is at present employed as a tutor and guardian to the minor son of the late Rai Sahib Kishen Bux Rai whose estate, in Palamau, is now under Government management. The past history of this individual is summarised as below.

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He is the son of one Bhagwan Dutt Singh of Ajwan in the district of Patna. Early in life he was helped financially by Mr Hasan Imam, now the Hon'ble Mr Justice Hasan Imam, in prosecuting his studies, but on his turning out badly this assistance was discontinued and he left College. For some time afterwards he was in the service of Deonath Singh, his uncle, but here also he proved to be useless and was dismissed. In 1908 he delivered a strong speech in Patna in which he exhorted his audience to boycott British goods, to slander the English race freely and not to seek redress of grievances in Government courts. Soon after this he was employed by the Latukudar of Bentia, district Pertabgarh, as tutor to his son but was dismissed as he was being shadowed by the police.

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Before taking up his appointment as tutor and guardian to the minor son of Rai Sahib Kisen Bux Rai he was in the service of the Hatwa Raj as tutor but was dismissed after six months on account of reports against him.

In view of the facts stated above the Government consider that Tulsi Singh is not a fit person to be a tutor and guardian to the minor proprietor of an estate under Government management and I am to ask you to be so good as to have enquiries made at once by the Deputy Commissioner and to report the result with a view to Tulsi Singh's removal from his present post.

बिहार सरकार
मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय विभाग
Yours sincerely,
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)

13.8.15

H. T. S. Forrest Esquire, I. C. S.

Commissioner of the Chota Nagpur Division
Ranchi.



20 June 1915

(12) R. No. 1938-
28-9-15 (9)

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D.O.No. 382 C/I-130.

~~September~~
The 27th August 1915.

My dear Drake,

In reply to your demi-official No. 2212 C,
dated the 15th September 1915, I write to inform you that
no report about Tulsi Singh has reached me yet from Garrett.
I am reminding him.

बिहार सरकार
मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)
Yours sincerely,
[Signature]

J.C.B. Drake Esquire, I.C.S.

Recd.
27.9.15

DEPARTMENT.

FILE No.

Serial No.

DRAFT FOR APPROVAL.

No. 2637-C.

The 14th October 1915.

To

The Hon'ble Mr. H. J. S. Forrest,

Comr. C. N. O.

Dear Mr. Forrest,

Will you kindly

refer to Mr. Drake's letter

मंत्रिमंडल, सचिवालय विभाग
(बिहार राज्य अभिलेखागार निदेशालय)
No 1917-C, dated the 14th 1915

August 1915, and reminder

No 2212-C, dated the 15th 1915

Sept 1915, about Tulsai

Singh & let me know

whether any report has

reached you yet from



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17.10.15

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D.O.No. 409 C.

Ranchi,

The 14th October 1915.

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My dear McPherson,

Please refer to DRAKE'S D.O. No. 1917 C, dated the 14th August 1915.

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Garrett has made enquiry regarding Tulsi Singh who was employed as a tutor to the Minor son of late Rai Sahib Kishen Bux Rai of Palamau whose properties are under the management of Encumbered estate, He reports that there is nothing political against the man at present and that his services were dispensed with on the 10th September last.

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सचिवालय विभाग

Yours sincerely,

L. J. Muet

The Hon'ble Mr. H. McPherson, I.C.S.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of
Bihar and Orissa.

14.10.15