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## Anecdote Corner

### Director General's Desk

**Justice Bhanwar Singh**  
(Former High Court Judge)  
Director General  
Delhi Metropolitan Education

Alladi Krishnaswami Iyyer, is considered to be synonym of the Indian Constitution as he was one of the principal architects of the Constitution of India. His achievements as a legal brain are worth being explored as he was the one, born & brought up in poverty and adversity but rose to the heights of professional success and prosperity.

Born on 14.5.1883 in village Pudur of pre-independence Indian Madras state, now in Andhra Pradesh, Alladi Iyyer was educated and brought up on Charity. As a student, he was of extraordinary caliber in school & college both. He obtained his B.A. degree from Madras Christian College and then graduated further in law from Madras Law College. He joined the Bar in 1906 and took his legal training from senior advocate Shri P.R. Sundara Iyyer, whose chamber was regarded by him as a Gurukul. In the beginning of his legal career, he could not afford any motor transport and had to depend on horse-carriage with jumps & bumps particularly when the tonga driver whipped the horse to run fast. The backlashes were silently suffered by him while sitting on the rear seat. As he grew in practice he started going by train. Very soon he picked up his legal practice and constructed a palatial bungalow on Luz Church road in Madras, now Chennai by utilizing all his savings till then, had his own vehicle and the Judges & lawyers started recognizing him as the tide turning fortunes for him. His rise in profession was meteoric. He had a remarkable accurate memory. The textbooks & the law reports he read were retained by him in his memory with fine precision. Bestowed with unique talent and retentive memory, his arguments easily impressed the Judges and Lawyers.

From various quarters including Mr. V.R. Krishnan Iyer (subsequently a judge of Kerala High Court & Supreme Court) himself a brilliant advocate, used to come to hear the style of his arguments. With such fabulous developments, his success rate in litigation excelled speedily and everything he touched turned into gold. He was every inch a lawyer not in the contentious type but professional and philosophic, records Mr. V. Sudhish Pai advocate in his book "Legends in law".

Not once but many a times, Alladi Ayyar turned down offers to become a High Court Judge. He however very successfully served Madras State as Advocate General for 16 years (1928-1944). His greatest contribution was in the drafting of our Constitution. We as a nation will always remain indebted to his remarkable role in the making of the Constitution of India. He had vast knowledge of the Constitution of Great Britain and United States besides many other countries. K.M. Munshi, another member of the Constitution drafting committee applauded the role of Alladi as combative with massive legal knowledge and photographic memory. Sir Maurice Gwyer, the Chief Justice of India observed that the logical

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## Message Convener Training and Placement Cell

**Ms. Sreedurga T.N.**

Law as a profession has become one of the most aspired one among the youngsters in India due to its ever-widening scope, requirement of legal professionals in almost every sector of work and its promising financial benefits. Thus, the training and placement cell become one of the integral parts of the law school.

DME Law School's Training and Placement cell is actively involved in providing placement based professional training which includes soft skills training, CV writing workshops, interactive sessions with industry experts and orientation programmes for placement and internships. The Training and Placement Cell tries to keep up with the demands of the advancing legal industry and conducts placement and internship drives continuously. Numerous reputed law firms, MNCs and Start up enterprises find themselves hiring from DME's talent pool every year. It is a matter of pride DME that despite the challenging conditions of Covid and lockdown, placements have not gone down but instead have continued and thrived. DME students has been interning and working at reputed law firms, lawyer's offices multinational companies, banks and human rights organizations.

The Training and Placement Cell conducted placement /internship drives with various firms like Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan, Kamti & Singh Associates, HBF Direct, Legal Tech Media etc. DME students have secured internships at reputed firms like Vaish Associates, Khaitan & Khaitan, AZB, Amarchand Mangaldas, IDBI Bank, AAA insolvency, Prima Lexus, Scriptalex etc. The Training and Placement Cell conducted a series of webinars and events for students in the areas of CV making skills, soft skills, higher education, mock interview sessions, orientation programmes in this academic year. The Training and Placement Cell conducted a program called 'The realm of social justice advocacy: A Career Conclave for law students' in April 2022 in which many reputed human rights organizations like Naaz Foundation, Independent Thought, Multiple Action Research Group and Plan International took part.

## 1<sup>st</sup> DME International Moot Court Competition, 2022 (April 1, 2022)

On 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2022, the inaugural ceremony of the 1<sup>st</sup> DME International Moot Court Competition, 2022, (virtual edition) was successfully conducted. The event was graced by the presence of Mr. Pradeep Rai, Senior Advocate & Vice President of Supreme Court Bar Association, Mr. Aman Sahni, Vice Chairman, DME, Prof. (Dr.) Mr. Ravikant Swami, Director, DME and Prof. (Dr.) Rashmi Nagpal, Dean, DME Law School. Mr. Pradeep Rai shared his own experience of mooting and discussed the major points which a good advocate should keep in mind while arguing, he expressed his best wishes to the participating teams and appreciated their energy. With his encouragement and blessing the event started with the researchers test and draw of lots. Total 60 teams had participated in the prestigious event out of which 5 international teams were there. On 2<sup>nd</sup> April, the teams showcased their oratory skills in the preliminary round and quarter finals. The semi-finals and finals were conducted on 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2022, followed by the valedictory ceremony. All the participating teams, respected judges, faculty members, and the students of the DME Law School were invited to attend the valedictory ceremony, a total of 350 attendees joined the virtual ceremony. The Chief Guest of the ceremony was Hon'ble Justice Shashi Kant, Former Judge, Allahabad High Court, and the Guest of Honor was Mr. Sonal Verma, Partner Dhir; Dhir Advocates and Solicitors.

Ms. Riya Kumar, Convener, DME Moot Court Society, welcomed the dignitaries, patrons of DME, and the audience attending the session. Before the commencement of the ceremony blessings of Goddess Saraswati, the goddess of knowledge and wisdom, were sought. A newly established Indian Institute of Legal Training, an initiative of DME, was then introduced by Ms. Shambhavi Mishra, Assistant Professor, DME Law School. Subsequently, Hon'ble Justice Bhanwar Singh, Director General, DME Law School, and the guests of the ceremony were requested to kindly address the gathering. Later on, the results of the competition were announced by Hon'ble Justice Bhanwar Singh Sir, TC 05, a team of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur, came out as the winner of the competition, whereas, TC 44, NMIMS SOL Indore, were the runners up. Other prizes such as best researcher international and national, best memorial international and national, as well as best speaker male and female were also announced during the ceremony, the winners and the position holders of the competition then unmutted themselves and expressed their gratitude towards the DME Moot Court Society for organizing the event. After the result announcement Dr. Garima Goswami, Faculty Convener, DME Moot Court Society gave the vote of thanks to all the participants, Hon'ble judges, faculty members, and student organizing committee for making it a successful international event.



## Guest Lecture on State Recognition: Special reference to Taiwan's Political Status (2<sup>nd</sup> April 2022 )

A guest lecture was organized in DME Law School on 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2022 at 11:00 AM on Zoom Platform on the topic 'State Recognition: Special Reference to Taiwan's Political Status'. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Sana Hashmi, Visiting Fellow at Taiwan-Asia Exchange Foundation (TAEF)

Dr. Sana Hashmi remarked that Taiwan has only been recognized as a sovereign state by 14 countries and all other countries recognize China while considering Taiwan as a part of China. She mentioned US Policy of Strategic Ambiguity regarding Taiwan. She further spoke about China's One China

Principle and the countries to follow the One China Policy. This has led to many countries only recognizing China. Other topics discussed in the lecture were the 1992 Consensus, India's stance on the status of recognition of Taiwan.

Quo Ante, the possibility of China waging a war on Taiwan and the steps the other countries might take in such a situation, the removal of Taiwan from WHO, and the support earned by Taiwan in the past two years while fighting the pandemic. There was an interactive session after the lecture. The event ended with vote of thanks by Ms. Sreedurga, Assistant Professor, DME Law School.



## Webinar on the Important Amendments To The Code of Civil Procedure By The 1999 and 2002 Amendment Acts, with Justice K.T. Sankaran (Apr 4, 2022)

On Monday, April 4, 2022, our institution, Delhi Metropolitan Education, hosted a webinar on the IMPORTANT AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE BY THE 1999 AND 2002 AMENDMENT ACTS, with Justice K.T. Sankaran as the guest speaker (Former Judge, Kerala High Court).

He discussed the significant changes to the Code of Civil Procedure made by the Amendment Acts of 1999 and 2002. What were the significant revisions to the Code of Civil Procedure, which is almost a century old? Despite the fact that various adjustments were made, he stated that there are a few key amendments that every lawyer should be aware of. He discussed the 1976, 1999, and 2002 Acts. He described how the Acts of 1976, 1999, and 2002 are regarded substantial revisions, and how the problems in the amendments prompted protests and boycotts in India. He also described how the revisions affected other parts, such as Sections 89 and 26. He finished by discussing the notion of registration, which was also introduced as a result of the revisions, and how it might be useful. He finished by discussing the notion of registration, which was also introduced as a result of the modifications, and how it is Advantageous. We thank our honourable chief guest for taking time out of his busy schedule to speak with us, as well as our college for hosting such a beneficial

webinar that presented very fundamental knowledge. Very basic knowledge with more advanced insights will help us improve our talents and our learning.

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### IMPORTANT AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE BY THE 1999 AND 2002 AMENDMENT ACTS

**Justice K.T.Sankaran**  
(Former Judge, Kerala High Court)

Monday  
4th April 2022  
21.00 - 22.00

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## A Webinar on CRIMINAL APPEALS: GENERAL PRINCIPLES FOR ADVOCACY

Justice A. Hariprasad Former Judge, Kerala High court and director of Kerala judicial academy was invited to join a webinar on CRIMINAL APPEALS: GENERAL PRINCIPLES FOR ADVOCACY; Organised by Delhi Metropolitan Education on 3rd April 2022.

He had modulated his presentation to suit the requirements of lawyers both prosecutors and defence lawyers.

He discussed Chapter 29 of CRPC and dealt in detail with sections 372 to 394 which are the provisions relating to criminal appeals.

It was said by him, Every litigation should end in the 1st quarter; the legal system is itself aware of the fact that there can be mistakes in the trial court, so there must be another forum for rectification of the districts, so after every case the aggrieved party should get an opportunity to complain before a higher court.

Whether civil appeal or criminal appeal, it is the creation of a statute, It is not a fundamental right nor a natural right it is Statutory right.

In the context of CPC it has been settled by earliest announcement by Privy Council in 1923; where it is stated that appeal is creation of a statute it is not western rights in any party likewise none of the constitution enable a party to file an appeal against a trial court judgement whether civil or criminal. Further he gave a brief on Cognate offense, For example; section 354

IPC, Outraging the modesty, if women's private parts are touched by a person it is Outraging the modesty but in the case of rape also such incident is included but rape is an aggravated for of this so when you do a act, and you are charged for larger offense, lesser offense spells into insignificance.

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## UG Professional Development Series- Condense your Skills & Experiences: Build a Strong CV (April 12, 2022)

The Training and Placement Cell of DME Law School conducted a workshop on CV writing on 12th April 2022, from 2-3 PM in the DME seminar hall. The session was conducted by

Ms. Anindita, Senior Associate at Cyril Amarchand. Ms. Anindita focused on the various aspects of resume making. Ms. Anindita told the students that the CV template should be in accordance with the workplace where a candidate is going to apply. She spoke about the importance of having a brief CV with key elements being there. Ms. Anindita mentioned that the CV

should contain qualitative matters like academic works, skills, experience etc. She further provided a basic structure of the CV to the students. She also mentioned the need for a proof reading of CV before sending it anywhere. Ms. Anindita also remarked that It is important to justify the CV. She also gave a brief insight about the way to write a covering letter. The lecture was followed by an interactive session where students asked many relevant questions. The event ended with felicitation of the guest and vote of thanks by Ms. Sreedurga, Convener, Training and Placement Cell.



## The Realm of Social Justice: a Career Conclave for Law Students (April 12, 2022)

On 12 April 2022, Training and Placement Cell DME Law School organized - The Realm of Social Justice Advocacy: A Career Conclave for Law Students, this event was organized to promote internships for 1st year law students in the Social Sector. The Chief Guest of the event Ms. Anjali Gopalan; Founder Executive Director NAZ Foundation Trust; the Guest of honors for the event were Mr Vikram Srivastava; Founder Independent Thought; Mrs.Aastha Mishra; Legal Consultant of MARG NGO in absentia of Md. Noor Alam; Executive Director MARG; Ms. Anita Lakra; Project Coordinator NIRMANA CARITAS PRAVASI BANDHU and Ms. Anushree Mishra; Director-Program Development PLAN India.

The dignitaries were welcomed by the hosts Dr Mitali Srivastava and Shreya Sharma, followed by lighting of the lamp and Saraswati Vandana. Prof (Dr) Rashmi K Nagpal, Dean, DME Law School and Prof (Dr) Ravikant Swami, Director, DME Law School addressed the gathering with their warm words, following which all the dignitaries shared their words of wisdom, the event finally ended with a Question and answer round and vote of thanks by Sreedurga TN Convener Training and Placement Cell, DME.



## Imprisoned Motherhood Motherhood and Childhood in Indian Prisons (April 19, 2022)

Centre for Laws on Gender and Sexuality organized a Panel Discussion on the status of children of convicted women in the prisons and the idea of rehabilitation of such mothers and children outside in the society. The discussion was hosted on 19th April, 2022 through an online platform. The Centre also shared snippets from the documentary by Malati Rao- “Born Behind the Bars” [2016], in order to understand the ground realities. Ms. Sugandha Shankar, Senior Programme Officer, Prison Reforms, CHRI and Malati Rao, Director, Born Behind Bars] were invited for this panel discussion. An array of socio-legal issues were discussed pertaining to female prisoners who are indeed a minority in the larger framework of the Indian prison ecosystem and have to be treated in a different manner than their male counterparts. Some of the most complex questions were raised such as the imprisoned mothers and their children-sometimes born behind the bars, sometimes abandoned outside of it. To understand the most difficult aspects for policy and law makers to look at the complex relationship of these mothers and their children.



## Participation in IP University - 100 Days Countdown to International Yoga Day (May 14, 2022)

DME NSS Cell students participated physically to the event of IPU University Dwarka, 100 days countdown to International Day of Yoga on May 14, 2022 at 7 am. This was the Yoga session which was organized as a countdown session for the celebration of the International Yoga Day. Delhi Metropolitan Education students along with Dr. Smita Gupta participated in

the Yoga session and performed many yoga asanas. The session continued for one and half an hour session. Students and teachers along with staff took the session for the affirmation to make Yoga an daily activity for the general well being of oneself. Benefits of yoga had been immense and felt with each of the members in the session.



## Acing your Judicial Preparation Through DME Judicial Training Academy (May 17, 2022)

The event was conducted on May 17th 2022, for judicial aspirants of DME Law School. It was an interactive webinar organized by the judicial training academy. The main speaker for the event was Mr. Puneet Sharma, Assistant Professor, DME Law School. The webinar was intended to provide career guidance, course structure and a vision to appear for judicial exams. Students of third, fourth and fifth year of BA LLB and BBA LLB batches were invited to attend this session.



## Visit To The National Museum & Modern Art Gallery (May 19, 2022)

On the 19th of May 2022, an educational excursion to the National Museum was scheduled for all first year students of Delhi Metropolitan Education as part of their History PSDA (Personal Skills Development Assessment). For all students, this trip was a fantastic experience, especially because it was their first trip as college students. A group of 115 students accompanied by four faculty members Ms. Srishty Tawakley, Ms. Surbhi Arora, Ms. Navjot Suri, and Dr. Smita Gupta visited the museum.

Students were to assemble in the college premises & from there they were taken to the museum in buses arranged by the college. Snacks & drinks were served to students on their way to the National Museum.

Everyone reached the national museum, in New Delhi around 11:30 PM. A guided tour was arranged in which students were divided into four groups headed by the museum staff & one of the teachers. It was a fantastic learning experience since it provided a wealth of knowledge about how people used to live in the past and how efficiently they worked to make a living.

Everyone got the opportunity to see the antic ornaments like makeup kits, high hill sandals, and bottles of perfume which were made up of jade and elephant tusks, all belonging to ancient times. Everyone experienced the natural canvas painting made up of natural colours and the most expensive painting of the Mughal empire, whose worth was more than the cost of the Taj Mahal. There were

varieties of paintings belonging to different administrations like the Rajputana Dynasty and the Mughal administration. Students got the opportunity to know about the lifestyle of Buddha and see some of his relics. Special mention must be made to the gallery of an ancient period where everyone saw the 'nav grah' or nine planets according to the Hindu belief system in the form of monuments. Also, the spectacular remains of monuments of the Gupta administration and the coins from the time of Samudra Gupta and Mughal administration are worth mentioning. Students could correlate these with the history taught in the classroom. In the end, students gathered for a group photo session in the National Museum which would remind them of their visit to the museum in the times to come.

Students next proceeded to the Modern Art Gallery where artists craftsmen from all around India had come to sell their products. A variety of fabric materials from several states of India could be noticed there. The glory of Indian textiles & crafts which had somehow lost importance to the machine-made goods was restated. Students felt proud with the rich heritage of India.

This visit to the National Museum the crafts museum indeed provided students with a wholesome learning experience. They were surely able to correlate outdoor learning with classroom learning, providing better insights to them on various historical topics.



## DME Law School Achievers Felicitation Ceremony



## World Environment Day Celebration – Kalp Taru

The volunteers of NSS cell of Delhi Metropolitan Education, affiliated to GGSIPU participated in Kalp Taru, an event organized by Brahma Kumaris of Sector 48, Noida on 50th World Environment Day. The day started early morning with meditation sessions so one would connect spiritually to nature, followed by an informative documentary on the destruction of Mother Earth at the hands of human activities and greed. The sisters of Brahma Kumaris Bhawan enlightened on being one with our surroundings and creating a position aura for sustenance. The event included small plays poems by children on Environment and speeches

by NGO organizations who have taken up environment initiatives. Adults, Children and Senior citizens all stood up and pledged their efforts into uplifting their surroundings for a green and clean world. The day was followed with a plantation drive where volunteers planted small plants each with their unique characteristic assigned. They carried planters home to take care of them and end on the message that taking care of an environment extends beyond one day, it is a daily effort. The initiative was a success and collaborative effort of the society we live in for a better future tomorrow.



## International Yoga Day-2022 DME celebrates International Yoga Day (June 21, 2022)

Delhi Metropolitan Education, Noida united with the rest of the globe in celebrating the International Yoga Day, as it observed a Yoga session at the college premises on June 21, 2022. It was jointly organised by DME-IQAC, DME-NSS Cell, and DME Sports Society. With this year's theme 'Yoga for Humanity', the session was held under the supervision of renowned Yoga practitioners and trainers, Mr Umesh Kaushik of Vishwa Bharti Yoga Sansthan and Ms Jyoti Singh of Bhartiya Vidhya Bhavan.

The session began with the opening remarks of Dr Smita Gupta, Associate Professor, DME Law School and Program Officer & Convener, DME-NSS. She welcomed the gathering and expected that everyone would learn valuable Asanas during the session.

Dr Amrish Saxena, Professor and Dean, DME Media School emphasised on practicing Yoga daily. “Yoga is not a single day activity and to get the maximum benefits, we all shall make it a part of our lives”, said Dr Saxena. The trainers began the session with clapping therapy and Tadasan to prepare participant's body for the next Asanas. They guided everyone through a variety of Asanas like Trikonasana, Bhadrasana, Utkatasana and Shavasana- that were good to both the body and the mind. During the demonstration of the Asanas, the senior Yoga practitioners also educated the participants – informing them about the short- and long-term health benefits of it. The session was attended by a significant number of students, faculty members, and college staff. It was also graced with the presence of Dr Susmita Bala, Professor and Head, DME Media School.



## Access to SCC Online and Hein Online E-resources via MyLoft

Delhi Metropolitan Education in collaboration with SCC Online and MyLoft- Eclat Engineering organised a Training Session on “Access to SCC Online and Hein Online E-resources via MyLoft” on Wednesday, June 15th, 2022 at 12:00 P.M. The Session took place at the N.M. Hall, Ground Hall in Hybrid Mode. The MyLoft User Onboarding and Training session was scheduled for the students of First Year (Batch 2021-26). The Session hosted two speakers- Mr. Chetan Gill, Senior Manager, SCC Online and Ms. Megha Sharma, Customer Success Coordinator, MyLoft- Eclat Engineering who successfully oriented the students regarding the utility and functionality of MyLoft application. A welcome mail was floated among all the students comprising their login

credentials for the MyLoft App. The Session was facilitated by four faculties of DME Law College- Ms. Bedapriya Lahiri, Ms. Navjot Suri, Ms. Amrapalli Sharma, and Mr. Puneet Sharma. The Facilitators were required to ensure that the process of app installation and registration among students went smoothly. The training included a handholding session by Ms. Megha on how to install and create individual account on MyLoft App. The Session was further helmed by Mr. Gill to apprise students of the basic features of MyLoft App to access, discover, organize and share subscribed eResources from DME's library. The training culminated with a comprehensive doubt clearing session by the concerned resource persons.



## ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENTS

### Ms Joyce Jacob

Ms Joyce Jacob, BA LL.B (2015-20) has joined Banijay Rights, UK as Digital Content Protection Administrator after completing LL.M in Intellectual Property and Digital Economy from the University of Glasgow. Banijay Rights is a Media Production Company. They are the largest content creation and distribution company. They own shows like Mr. Bean, Peaky Blinders, MasterChef, and Big Brother all around the world along with many more famous shows in the catalogue.



### Mahima Garg

Mahima Garg (BA.LLB. 2015- 2020) has been working as a Law Clerk cum Law Researcher at the Chambers of Hon'ble Mr. Justice Najmi Waziri of the High Court of Delhi since May 2022. She had also received an offer of appointment as Legal Research Associate in the Legislative Department, Ministry of Law and Justice, however she could not join the department due to other engagements. She has also authored articles which have been published in Live Law and Bar and Bench in the months of April May.



## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

### Yash Sharma (BA LL.B 4th Year)

Internship as student coordinator at National Human Rights Commission (NHRC)



### Manogya Misra (2019 - 2024) (BA LLB 3rd Year)

Gold in 10 M Air Pistol Junior Women Individual and Team and Bronze in 10 M Air Pistol Women Individual and Team, in 1st Dadri Open Shooting Championship. The event took place from 1st to 6th April 2022 in Satendra Kumar Shooting Academy LLP affiliated to Uttar Pradesh State Rifle Association.



### Lavanya Bhatt (BA LLB, 2nd Year)

Co-authored an article titled “Nepotism in Legal Profession: A Sad Reality” along with Advocate and Human Rights Activist Nikhil Padha, published in the column of Greater Jammu, a reputed newspaper of Jammu and Kashmir. The article was published in two parts on the 26th and 27th of April 2022.



### Yash Sharma, Shivam Pandey and Shubhanshu Kumar Dwivedi (BA LLB, 4th Year)

Participated in the 17th Kshan National Trial and Appellate Moot Court Competition, 2022, Quarter Finalists



### Himani Aggarwal, Garvita Mehta and Avneesh Tyagi

Quarter finalists of moot court competition organized by Gautam Buddha University





arguments & profound legal knowledge of Alladi Iyyar were among the happiest memories of the Supreme Court .

Mr. Justice Hidaytullah, Chief Justice of Supreme Court said that Alladi was always thoroughly prepared with his brief, ready to answer every question and these traits of his with deep study of law were the secrets of his success. In his autobiography, "My Own Boswell" Hidaytullah observed "He (Alladi) was considered perhaps the greatest constitutional lawyer of his times in the country. Mr. Justice Venkat Subba Rao, CJI (of Golak Nath's fame) said his industrious and pains taking efforts fetched him the mastery of law. Mr. Justice Patanjali Shastri, Judge, Supreme Court , as in charge library of Supreme Court (later C.J.I. ) used to take Alladi's advice while purchasing books for Supreme Court Library and the books so selected are still prize possession for the prestigious Supreme Court Atheneum. To Alladi ,the books were a tool to a lawyer's professional trade.

When disputes erupted between first President Dr. Rajendra Prasad & Prime Minister Pt. Jawahar Lal Nehru about the former's power, the matter was referred to Alladi Iyyar & his opinion was given weight when he clearly conveyed that the President had no sphere when he could function without advice of his ministers. Dr. Ambedkar, who was Law Minister then shared his views.

The then Attorney General M.C. Setalvad was of the view that Alladi earned laurels in all branches of Law but perhaps he loved no field of Law better than that of constitutional law. To Justice N. Rajagopala Iyyengar, Alladi was a blend of exceptional ability and overflowing goodness.

The greatman, Alladi believed in charity & donations. He made huge donations to Ramkrishna Mission students home, financially helped his relatives, friends and needy who came and asked for his help ; gifted a house to his cook Krishna Iyyar, whose Rasam, he & his friends including Patanjali Shastri & DR. Ambedkar were fond of.

Alladi, universally known figure of his times was not physically sound. His short height and weak and frail personality did not match his colossal knowledge and wide readings. He however believed in simple life and high thinking. Once when he was relaxing on verandah at home, a client from country side came to consult him about his case. The visitor did not believe that the man taking rest in simple and homely attire was Alladi. He was only convinced when son Alladi Kuppaswami , who later rose to be the Chief Justice, persuaded him to believe that indeed the person, he was talking to was Alladi Krishna Iyyar himself. Feeling utterly embarrassed, the client apologized and prostrated before Alladi Krishna Iyyar.

Once more, in a similar incident, Alladi Iyyar dressed in a simple dhoti and Shirt visited the office of Sub-Registrar for registration of a personal deed and occupied the chair. The sub registrar was furious at the visitor and asked him to get up as that chair was meant for the great Lawyer Alladi Krishna Iyyar and on learning that the visitor himself was Alladi, the Sub-Registrar was thoroughly abashed, afraid and apologetic.

The stories of poverty converting into prosperity may bring two kinds of feelings in a person – one, that may make him vain and conscious of his achievements in life and the other, it may make him humble and realize the lot of those who are not able to fight their way in life. The noble soul of Alladi Krishna Swami Iyyar ardently believed in the latter. (Courtsey, 'legends in Law' by V. Sudhish Pai Advocate).

## STUDENT CONTRIBUTIONS

ऐ लड़की, सुनो तुम "अच्छी लड़की" मत बनना अच्छी लड़की बहुत दुख सहती है।

"अच्छी लड़की" ज्यादा हंसती नहीं ज्यादा बोलती नहीं। बस सबकी हां में हां मिलाती है और मुस्कुराती है।

तुम वह लड़की मत बनना , तुम अपनी बात रखना दिल खोल के हंसना

"अच्छी लड़की" सब कुछ सहती है, कुछ ना कहती है, "मन ही मन" रोती रहती है।



तुम ऐसी अच्छी, मत बनना, तुम "गलत के खिलाफ आवाज उठाना। कुछ गलत लगे तो, अड जाना।

अपना "हर फर्ज निभाना" पर हां , "खुद को ना तुम भूल जाना" ।

अच्छी लड़की दूसरी अच्छी लड़की से; जला करती है। तुमना जलना "सबको साथ लेकर चलना" ।

अच्छी लड़की, लडको से बात नही करती, पर तुम करना, और उन्हे बताना की, उन्हे समझा जा सकता है।

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