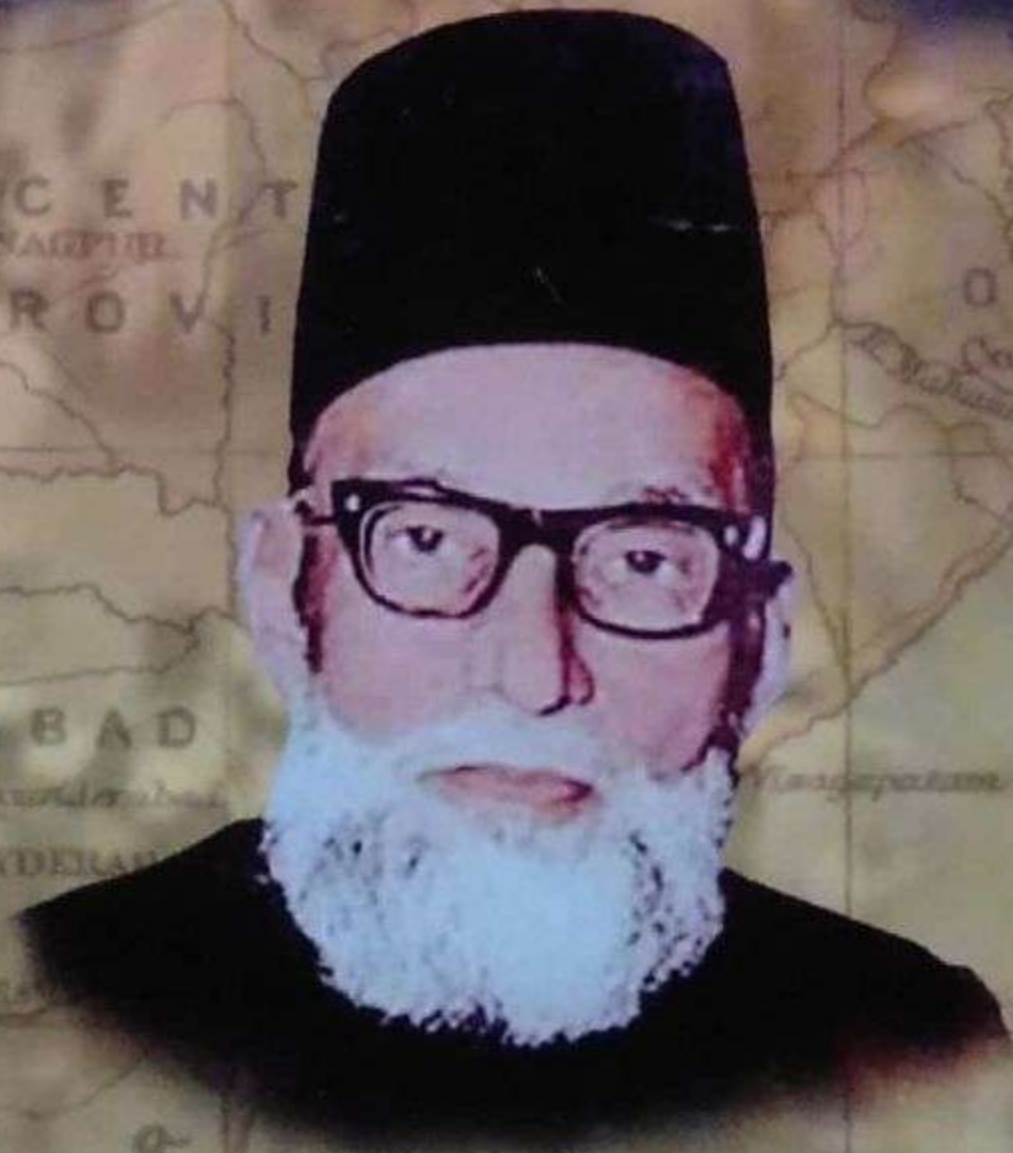
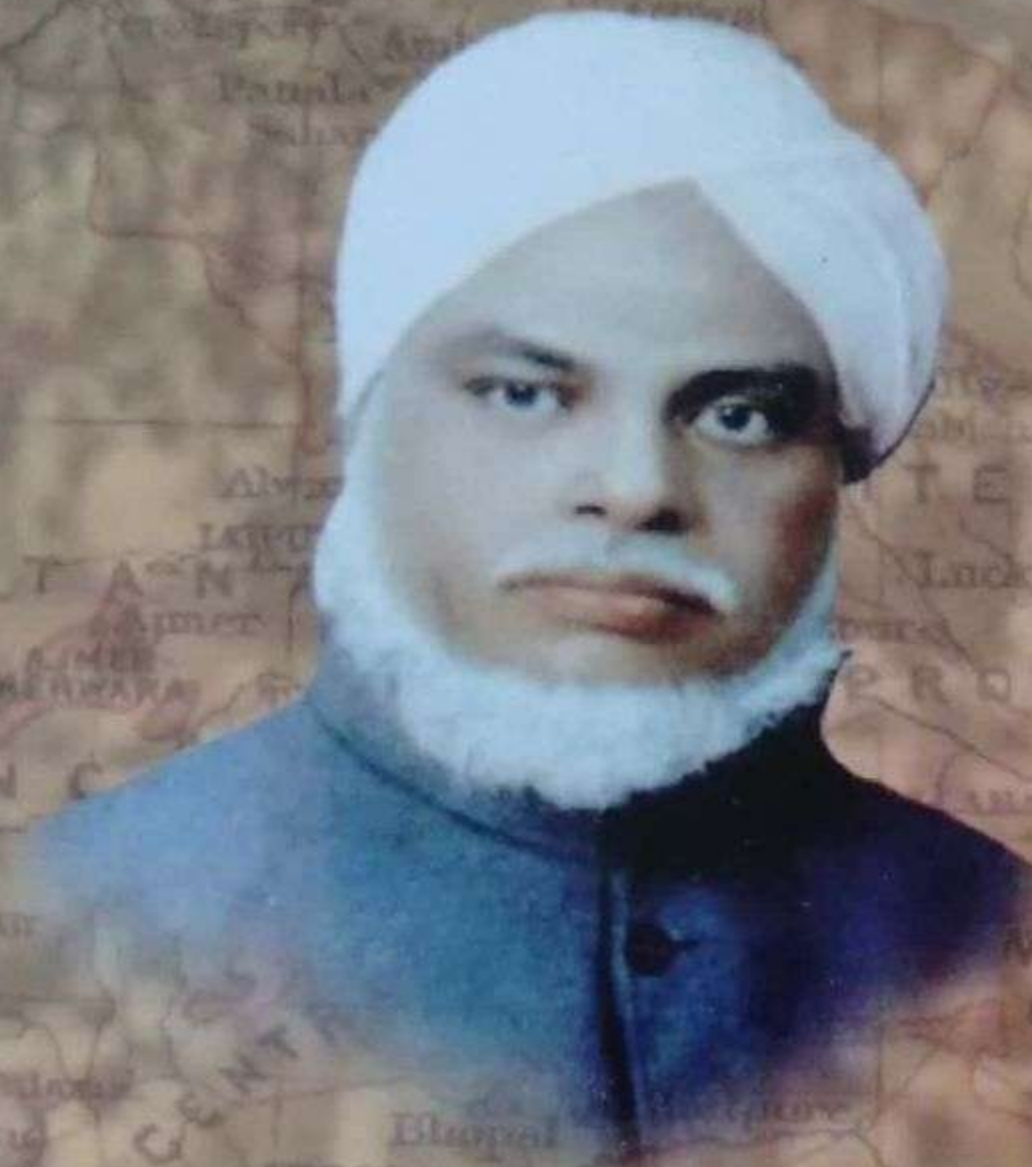


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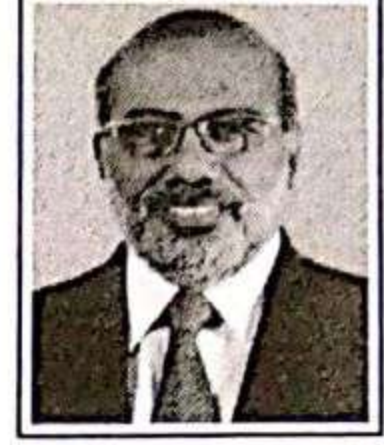
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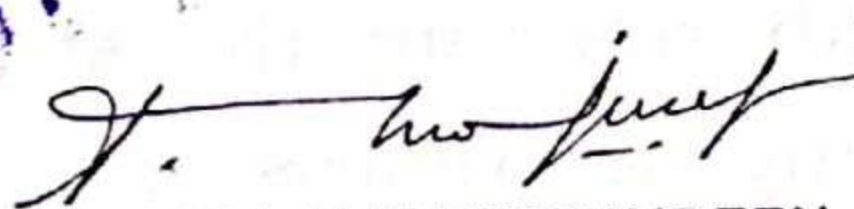
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Foreword

The Indian Freedom Struggle is an interesting study. The Muslims of Tamilnadu had participated in all the struggles relating to Freedom Movement. But it has not been studied adequately. Dr. J. Raja Mohamed, Director, Centre for Islamic Tamil Cultural Research, Jamal Mohamed College, has taken pains to study the authentic sources and written this book entitled "Muslims of Tamilnadu in the Indian Freedom Struggle".

The book gives the details of the volunteers who sacrificed their life for the sake of our nation. The leaders like, Jamal Mohamed, Khajamian Rawthar, Mohamed Ismail, Syed Murthaza have proved their integrity for the cause of the nation. Hope this research work will be very useful to the students and research scholars.


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Foreword

The role of Muslims of Tamilnadu in the Indian Freedom Struggle finds adequate treatment in this book - "The Muslims of Tamilnadu in the Indian Freedom Struggle", authored by Dr. J. Raja Mohamed, Director, Centre for Islamic Tamil Cultural Research, Jamal Mohamed College.

The Muslim masses during the freedom struggle were mobilized under the leadership of Gandhiji. Whenever he visited the Tamil region of the former Madras Presidency, the Muslims had received him warmly. They participated in all the popular movement spear headed by the Congress Party. Many were arrested and imprisoned. The sacrifice of such people have been given in detail in this book. The author deserves all appreciation for bringing out a book which contains many details about the people who had associated with freedom the struggle. Hope these details will bring awareness among the younger generation. My congratulations to the author.


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Foreword

A number of Muslims of Tamilnadu had joined hands with the nationalist leaders and participated in various protests and struggles during the freedom movement. The political awareness of the Muslims of Tamilnadu, though late, had taken the right direction from the Khilafat Movement in 1920s. The sacrifice of the leaders combined with that of the common man was responsible for attaining independence.

Dr. J. Raja Mohamad, Director, Centre for Islamic Tamil Cultural Research, Jamal Mohamed College, has written this book entitled "The Muslims of Tamilnadu in the Indian Freedom Struggle" with primary sources. The details as contained in the book constitute an indepth study. Congratulations to the author.

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Foreword

The Indian Muslims had contributed their due share in the Indian Freedom Struggle, so also the Muslims of Tamilnadu.

The role of Muslims of Tamilnadu has been discussed in this book entitled "The Muslims of Tamilnadu in the Indian Freedom Struggle" Dr. J. Raja Mohamad, Director, Centre for Islamic Tamil Cultural Research, Jamal Mohamed College, the author of the book has analysed the various phases of the freedom struggle and the participation of the Muslims of the former Madras Presidency, the present Tamilnadu. The book enumerates the details with due primary sources. The work brings to light the facts hidden in the dark corner of the archival holdings. I congratulate Dr. J. Raja Mohamad for this good research work.


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A good number of scholarly treatises have been authored and published on the constant struggle for Indian Independence. The role played by Muslims of Tamil Nadu rarely finds a due place in these volumes. Dr. J. Raja Mohamad has brought out this well-researched book throwing abundant light on the contributions made by Muslims of Tamil Nadu in the Freedom Struggle.

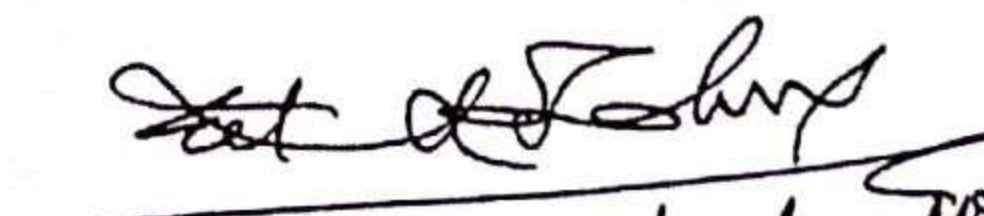
Dr. Raja Mohamad, a widely known research scholar and a renowned historian, has authored a number of books on Muslim traders of Tamil Nadu and their navigational contacts with the world countries. This book of his deep research on Muslims of Tamil Nadu in the Indian Freedom Struggle attempts to refute with convincing arguments and historic evidences the misconceived wrongs and blunders about Muslims of Tamil Nadu. The widely prevalent misconception is that Muslims of Tamil Nadu were mere spectators and not actual participants in the Freedom Movement. The author has made enormous efforts to bring to light the real contributions of Muslims in the Independence Struggle. Muslim traders, industrialists, professionals, ulemas, petty and big businessmen, peasants and people from all categories of the community have exhibited their solidarity with much enthusiasm and patriotic fervor and with deep sense of sacrifice in all the struggles. This volume presents a thrillingly surprising list of Muslim participants in the Khilafat Movement, Non-Cooperation Movement, Salt Satyagraha, the Quit India Movement and all other forms of struggle. Muslims not only from

urbanised areas but also from distant rural regions thronged in large numbers, plunged themselves in the freedom struggle, sacrificed their comforts and wealth and have died in the most heroic manner for the sake of the country.

The author gives a brief sketch of the lives and contributions of the most popular Muslim leaders and that is most revealing of the tremendous services of the Muslim community for liberating the country.

The Muslims had continued their persistent struggle for removal of Col. James George Smith Neill, the British General who indulged in most inhuman slaughter of Indians during the Great Mutiny of 1857. The author describes his Muslim led Satyagrah in a captivating manner with full evidences. It is indeed a splendid work of hard labour and intense research and it will certainly be a source of enlightenment for the future research scholars in this field. Let us congratulate the author who have enlightened the Muslims of Tamil Nadu to profoundly feel proud of their participation and their contributions for the Indian Independence Movement.

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