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[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Council

Recording notes connected with the
question asked at the ——— meeting
of Nov 18/13 re starting of a secondary
school at Dewakottai in the Ramnad
dist.

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Legislative Department.

Local and Municipal
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Educational Departments.

The Hon'ble Mr. K. Rama Ayyangar.

Question 146. Will the Government be pleased
to start a Government or a Board
~~Secondary~~ school at Devakota in view
of the fact that the location of such
a school at the place is felt by the
residents of Devakota and the surround-
ing Chetty Nad essential?

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Question No. 146

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SUBJECT.—Question No. 146 proposed to be asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on the 11. Nov 1913.

SUBMITTED that three copies of this question may be forwarded to the Council and the Department, with reference to No. (1) of the rules regulating Secretariat procedure in dealing with questions to be asked in the Legislative Council. Orders regarding admission will be communicated in due course.

C.S.A 28.10.13

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To
The L & M Department u.o.

Submitted that so far as this department is concerned the Government have no information as to the necessity for a secondary school at Devakottai. Moreover the local boards in the Ramnad district have not got sufficient funds even to meet the urgently needed special repairs to roads and the President in the beginning of this year accordingly urged the claims of the district to a substantial share of any special Provincial grant for communications. In compliance with this request a sum of Rs.65,000 was allotted from the eight lakhs grant for roads. It seems therefore doubtful whether the Devakottai Taluk Board or the Ramnad District Board can afford to maintain a secondary school at Devakottai from local funds. Local bodies are also primarily concerned only with elementary education.

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Educational Dept.

2. In the matter of secondary education, the policy of Government is to rely so far as possible on private enterprise. This policy was laid down in the despatch of 1854 and was reiterated by the Education Commission of 1882 and has ever since been acted up to by the Government. (please see paragraph 20 of the educational policy on pages 7 and 8 of G.O.No.394 Educational, dated 1st May 1913). If the Chetti community would open a school in Devakottai, the Government may welcome it and aid it if necessary.

3. It may be noted that in the last budget debate the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur P.C.Somasundara Chettiyar referred to the absence of any secondary schools in the Chetti Nad centres in the Ramnad district and suggested that a few secondary schools might

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might be established by Government in places where the population ~~was~~ about ten thousand and that they should be managed entirely by the Educational Department till such time as the people were able to ~~manage~~ manage them themselves. It was not however considered necessary to take any special action on this as if any community in the Presidency could afford to establish and maintain such schools, it ~~was~~ the Chetti community.

4. A draft answer is submitted for approval.

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H. B. Forrester

For approval
H.B.

I should like to have the D.P.I.'s views.



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Sir A. Bourne, as
H.B.

Discussed with Mr. E. Cunningham who I understand approves of the draft answer

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QUESTION. No. 146.

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The final form of the question
and answer was as follows:-

Question 128. Will the Government be pleased to start a Government or a board secondary school at Devakottai, in view of the fact that the location of such a school at the place is felt by the residents of Devakottai and the surrounding Chetti Nad essential?

Secondary school at Devakottai, Ramnad district.

Answer 128—

The Government see no near prospect of Provincial or local funds being available for opening a secondary school at Devakottai.

A draft order regarding the papers is submitted for approval.

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