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[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Council question.

Recording papers relating to question No.64 asked by the Honourable Mr. K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 21st November 1916 and the answer given thereto regarding the employment of Belgian experts in industries.

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19.10.16

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

QUESTION.—No. 33 for the meeting of the Legislative
Council to be held on the 21st November 1916.

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the
Home (29th) Department with reference to Nos. (1) and (4) of the
rules regulating Secretariat procedure in dealing with these Questions in the
Legislative Council. Orders regarding admission will be communicated in due
course.

V.T.K.
19.10.16.

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To

The Home (29th) Department. with Q 33.

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The Hon'ble Mr.K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu.

Cf.

The Additional Member suggests the employment of one or two Belgium experts in match-making.

Q.33. Will the Government be pleased to arrange for the employment of one or two Belgium experts in match-making, pencil-making, paper-making and glass-making industries in this presidency.

The Department of Industries is not at present conducting experiments in match-making. In 1915 the Director of the South Indian Match Factory, Ltd., requested that Govt might secure the services of an expert for the factory. The Govt, however, refused to help the factory. There is no information as to whether the factory is now working or any expert has been recruited by the company itself.

3. Pencil making

The Dept of Industries has fairly advanced in the pencil making experiment carried on by it. A European by name Mr. was employed for some time.

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Home (Ind) Department

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The Additional Member suggests the employment of one or two ^{Belgian} experts in (1) match-making (2) pencil-making (3) paper-making (4) glass-making.

2. Match-making.

The Department of Industries is not at present conducting ^(in match-making) any experiment. In 1915 the Managing Director of the South Indian Match Factory, Ltd., requested that the Govt might secure the services of an expert for the factory. The Govt, however, refused to help the factory. There is no information as to whether the factory is now working or whether any expert has been recruited by the company itself.

3. Pencil-making

The Deptt of Industries has fairly advanced in the pencil-making experiment carried on by it. A European, by name Mr. Dubois, was employed for some time in

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in the earlier stages, but as he was capable of dealing only with the mechanical portion of the business, ~~his~~ his services were dispensed with after some time. At present a supervisor of the Department of Industries is in charge of the experiment. Several samples of wood are being still tried & experiments in the refining of graphite are still in progress. It does not appear that the experiment stands now in need of a European expert, as the Director ^{has just applied for the services of one} to Paper-making.

Mr. Fresco has initiated experiments in paper-pulp manufacture ~~in~~ with the help of an old paper mill which was lying idle in Ponnal in Travancore. Dr. Marsden is in charge of the experiment. ~~It is not known whether the experiment will profit by~~ ^{So long as he is in charge} the employment of a European expert ^{does not appear to be necessary,} at present.

5. Glass-making. The Dept.

of Industries is just now making experiments in glass-making. The Honble Mr. Bouchman has separately suggested that an effort may be made for securing the services of an expert from England. The recruitment of such an expert will take time as the Secretary of State will have to be addressed in the matter through the Govt of India.

6. The Additional Member refers to Belgian experts. It is not known whether such experts are available or whether they will be competent for conducting experiments in this country. In a Legislative Council question in 1915 the Honble Mr. Kavalepara Muppil Nayyar suggested that Belgian experts should be employed + that model factories + industrial concerns should be started. The Govt replied that, if the Addl member would specify any particular new

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new industries for which the conditions of the Presidency offer ^{ed} openings and for which Belgian experts ~~were~~ ^{no suggestions} available, ~~it~~ would be considered. The following draft answer is submitted:-

"The Government will consider the suggestion if and when the need for the services of such experts arises."

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answer may be also used.

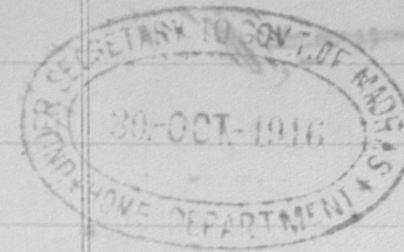
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and adapted to the form

of the present position.

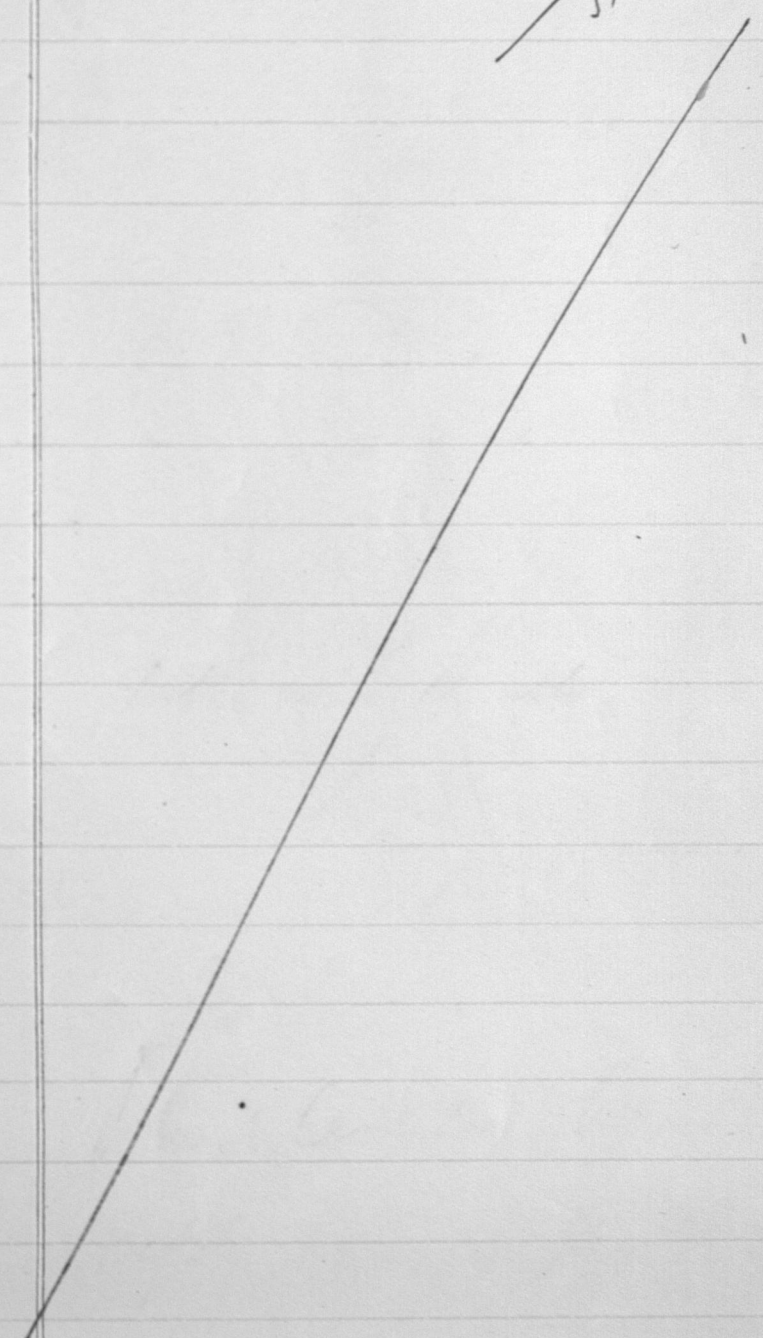


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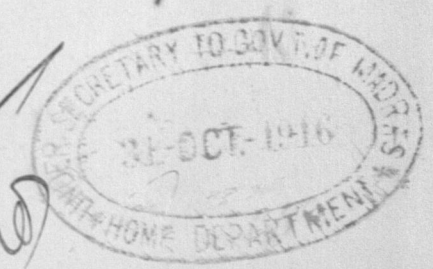
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Draft answer.

If the Hon'ble Member will specify
of the particular industries for which
within his knowledge Belgian experts
are available, the Government will
consider the information that he may lay
before them.

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64 Q.—Will the Government be pleased to arrange for the employment of one or two Belgian experts in match-making, pencil-making, paper-making and glass-making industries in this Presidency?

Employment of Belgian experts in industries.

64 A.—If the Honourable Member will specify for which of the particular industries Belgian experts are within his knowledge available, the Government will consider the information that he may lay before them.

A draft order is submitted
for approval.
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Remd 9.11.16

Recording papers relating to question No. 6, asked by
the Honble Mr. K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu at
the meeting of the Legislative Council held on
the 21st November 1916 & the answer given therein regarding
the employment of Belgian experts in ^{the forwarding of} industries.

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