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G.O. No. 30

DATED 10-1-16

[Despatch Abstract.]

Address Recording office note
on an extract from an ———
presented to H.E. the Governor
by the Mussalmans of Si Arcot.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR'S TOUR, 1915.

Extract from an address to be presented to His Excellency the Governor by the Musalmans of South Arcot.

3. "With Your Excellency's permission we beg to submit that our community in this district numbering about 67,000 is very backward in point of education. We understand that the Government of India have been pleased to sanction a recurring grant of Rs. 30,000 to meet the educational needs of the Musalmans of this Presidency. We pray a portion of this grant may be generously allotted to this district to be given in the shape of scholarships to deserving Musalman boys in the district."

Collector's remarks.

The prayer for an educational grant to give scholarships to deserving Musalman boys in the district would seem to deserve favourable consideration.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Secretariat note.

According to the census of 1911 the Musalman population of the South Arcot district is 66,986—33,588 males and 33,398 females. The total Musalman population of school-age in the district is 10,048—5,038 boys and 5,010 girls. The percentage of scholars on the 31st March 1914 to the population of school-age is 47.7—72.2 for boys and 23.1 for girls. Among the districts in the Presidency, South Arcot stands thirteenth in point of education of the Muhammadans.

2. As regards the Imperial grant of Rs. 30,000 for the improvement of Muhammadan education, the Director of Public Instruction has been asked to submit proposals for its utilization. They have not yet been received from him.

Table VIII, page 72 of Part II of Vol. XII of Census report. *[not put up]*

Statement 109, page 86 of Vol. II of Public Instruction report, 1913-14. *[not put up]*

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proposals submitted & disposed of in G.O. 729 subd. (V) 3.7.15

G.O. No. 1053, Educational, dated 10th September 1914.

The institution of additional scholarships for Muhammadans and the opening of additional board elementary schools were among the objects for which the grant was originally applied for—*vide* Director of Public Instruction's note on page 6 of notes to G.O. Nos. 87-8, Educational, dated the 20th January 1914. In framing his proposals for the utilization of the grant, the Director will no doubt consider the claims of all districts needing special treatment; and those of the South Arcot district Musalmans will receive such consideration as they deserve both at the hands of the Director of Public Instruction and the Government consistent with the claims of the rest of the Musalmans of the Presidency. A copy of the extract will be sent to the Director of Public Instruction in advance for consideration.

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR—19-1-15.

Educational Deptt

Subject - Grant for the
scholarships

Three copies of the printed notes on ^{para 34} the address by the
Muslimans of South Arcot are placed below. They
may be forwarded to the P.S. by A.O.

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Returned with the following extract from His
Excellency's reply:-

"The recurring grant of Rs.30,000 for Muhamma-
dan education includes among its purposes the insti-
tution of additional scholarships for Muhammadans;
the Director of Public Instruction is about to submit
proposals for its employment and I shall be glad to
see that full consideration is given to the prayer
of the Muhammadans of South Arcot for a share of the
grant for this purpose."

SECRETARY
8-MAR. 1915
EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

(These notes were linked with the noted annexed
with G.O. 72921: 4/27: 15 and sent to
D.P.O. for perusal on 29.7.15 & add: no. 4-1-16)

Educational Dept

Orders regarding the utilization of the recurring Imperial grant of Rs 30,000 for Muhammadan education have since issued and a sum of 4,968 has been ~~allotted~~ allotted towards the provision of scholarships for Muhammadans - vide item (8) in para 4 on p. 6 and para 2 on p. 10 of G.O. No: 7298 dt/ the 3rd July 1918. It has not been found either necessary or practicable to institute separate scholarships for the Musalmans of the South Arcot dist.

2. Submitted that these notes may now be His Order No. 30 dt/ MS 7/10-1-18

Recorded.

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STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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