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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Recording papers connected with a question asked by the Hon'ble the Rajah of Bobbili at the meeting of the ——— held on the 6th February 1917 regarding lectures on domestic science in the vernaculars for girls' schools.

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Lectures on Domestic Science in vernacular

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QUESTION.—No. 73

for the meeting of the Legislative

Council to be held on the

6-2-1917.

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the Home (Education) 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.

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Reg U.O. No. 1781 dated 23-1-17

To

The Home (Education) Department with Q. 73.

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The Honourable the Raja of Bobbili:

Home (Educational) Department.

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73. In connection with G.O.No.1273,
dated 29th November 1916, will the Govern-
ment, ~~considering the ignorant state of~~
~~most of the Indian girls and teachers in~~
~~domestic science~~, be pleased to consider the
advisability of inaugurating a similar
scheme of lectures in vernaculars for the
benefit of such Indian girls' schools
at least that teach up to VIIIth Standard?

Home (Education) Department.

In G.O. No. 111, Fdel., dated the 8th February 1912, the Government approved the proposal of the D.P.I. to arrange for two series of lectures on cookery by Mrs. Deighton to the European women teachers employed in the European schools of Madras and Chingleput. The experiment having proved a success, sanction was accorded in G.O. No. 1049, Fdel., dated the 17th November 1913, for holding the class on an extended scale. Subsequently the D.P.I. formulated a scheme for the extension of work in Domestic Science in connection with European schools, which provided among others instruction in the following subjects:-

- (i) Cookery;
- (ii) General house-wifery including needle work, laundry work, household accounts and general household management;
- (iii) Medical housewifery including hygiene, elementary physiology, care of children and home nursing; and
- (iv) Needle work and dress making.

This scheme which was at first sanctioned for a period of one year in G.O. No. 1225, Fdel., dated the 3rd November 1914, was subsequently extended for a further period of one year in G.O. No. 1348, Fdel., dated the 8th December 1915. In G.O. No. 1015, Home (Education), dated the 25th September 1916, the continuance of the arrangements has been sanctioned up to the 31st December 1918. In connection with his proposal to continue the scheme the D.P.I. wrote as follows:-

"What I am now asking for is a continuance of the present organization of the centre, the employment of Miss Park and Miss Kenny and what this involves till December 1918. If this is granted, we shall know where we are and be able to organize the centre work satisfactorily, whether the scheme for training teachers is approved or no. I am asking the

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Local and Municipal (Legislative) Department.

The Honorable the Raja of Bobbili:

Home (Education) Department.

75. In connection with G.O. No. 1275, dated 29th November 1916, with the Government, for consideration of the Government, the Raja of Bobbili, who has been requested to consider the advisability of inaugurating a similar scheme of lectures in vernaculars for the benefit of such Indian girls' schools at least that teach up to Fifth Standard.

"Inspector to report as to the work the centre has
"been doing up to date. It would be a great pity
"to let this most useful and promising institution
"drop. As it becomes less necessary for Anglo-Indian
"schools, its staff and organization can be diverted
"to meet the needs of Indian schools where there will
"be scope for its usefulness for many years to come."

The reports on the working of the special classes
on Domestic Science from October 1914 to September 1916
submitted by the D.P.I. were recorded in G.O. No.1273,
Education, dated the 29th November 1916.

2. It may be noted that the Government have
sanctioned from time to time the proposals of the D.P.I.
to institute a course of lectures in English on First-
aid, hygiene and sick nursing to the students under-
going training in the Presidency Training School for
Mistresses, Egmore, the Government Secondary and Train-
ing School for Mistresses, Triplicane, and to the
students of the Madras College for Women- vide G.Os.
No.1045, Fdel., dated the 7th September 1914, No.92,
Fdel., dated the 29th January 1915, No.1305, Fdel.,
dated the 30th November 1915, and No.150, Fdel., dated
the 12th February 1916. Sanction was also accorded to
the proposals of the D.P.I. to institute a similar
course of lectures in Tamil to the students under train-
ing in the Government Secondary and Training School for
Mistresses, Triplicane, and the Training School for
Mistresses, Coimbatore -vide G.Os. No. 683, Fdel., dated
the 22nd June 1916, and No. 876, Fdel., dated the
15th August 1916.

Quite recently the Government sanctioned the D.P.I.
proposal to institute similar lectures in Tamil for the
benefit of the lower elementary (vernacular) students
under training and for such of the higher elementary
students as are ignorant of English in the Government

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Secondary and Training School for Mistresses, Triplicane- G.O. No. 102, Home (Eden.) dated the 24th January 1917. In connection with this proposal the D.P.L. wrote as follows:-

"I agree with Miss Lynch in thinking that it is
"of great importance that the Hindu teachers should
"receive a good practical training in First-aid,
"Home nursing, &c."

It will thus appear that the Government have already taken some action in this direction by the institution of a course of lectures in Tamil to the students under training in the training schools at Triplicane and Coimbatore.

3. The following draft answer is suggested:-

The Government have already taken action by sanctioning the institution of a course of lectures in Tamil on First-aid, hygiene and home nursing to the students under training in the Government Secondary and Training School for Mistresses, Triplicane, and the Training School for Mistresses, Coimbatore. The matter will receive further consideration *as time goes on.*

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For Regr.

The final form of question and answer is as below:-

A scheme of lectures on domestic science in vernaculars for the girls' schools.

96 Q.—In connection with G.O. No. 1273, dated 29th November 1916, will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of inaugurating a similar scheme of lectures in vernaculars for the benefit of such Indian girls' schools at least that teach up to seventh standard?

96 A.—The Government have already taken action by sanctioning the institution of a course of lectures in Tamil on first-aid, hygiene and home nursing to the students under training in the Government Secondary and Training School for Mistresses, Triplicane, and the Training School for Mistresses, Coimbatore. The matter will receive further consideration as time goes on.

2. Draft recording the papers is subd.

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