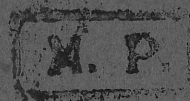


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READ—the following paper:—

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. J. H. STONE, M.A., F.R.H.S., C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction.

To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—Madras, the 15th December 1917.

No.—Cur. 10281.

I have the honour to submit for the consideration of Government the following proposals for the expansion of education.

I. Collegiate—(a) Raising of the Ceded Districts College, Anantapur, to the first grade.—The justification for this recommendation lies in the success which has attended the college up to date, there being on 19th September 1917, fifty-nine students on the rolls, in the need which exists for a larger supply of graduates in these backward districts (vide Government Memorandum No. 2868-A-1, Home (Education), dated 19th September 1917, and in the general consideration that the development of a second into first grade college is desirable. The branches of the B.A. course in which I would propose to provide instruction are, for the present, I, V and VI (Telugu). Science will have to be deferred as it is now very difficult and costly to procure apparatus and appliances. The cost of this recommendation is estimated at Rs. 13,000, non-recurring and Rs. 16,350 per annum, recurring, the amount required under the latter head for the eight months of the next year being Rs. 10,900.

(b) Colleges—(i) Additional staff.—The Principal, Kumbakonam College, has applied for two additional assistant lecturers—one for history and the other for chemistry—as the present staff finds it difficult to cope with the work efficiently, in view of the increased strength in the history section and of the fact that there is no chemistry assistant at present in the college and the whole chemistry work has consequently devolved on the lecturer in chemistry. The assistant proposed for history is also expected to help in English work. Further, the strength of the Intermediate classes in Group I has largely increased during last year and a further accession to it is expected owing to the completion of the new laboratory. I am convinced of the absolute need of the two additional assistants proposed.

The Principal, Rajahmundry College, also wants an assistant in chemistry and has furnished statistics in support of the proposal. The University Inspection Commission, I understand, considers that there should be lecturer in chemistry on a par with the lecturer in physics. This is a question that requires further consideration, however, and I now propose the addition to the staff of a temporary assistant lecturership. Some relief seems also to be needed in the history section of the

college, the Inspection Commission emphasises the need for an additional assistant lecturer in history, and I therefore recommend the provision of a second temporary appointment for this college. As in the case of Kumbakonam, I consider that this second assistant may be expected to give also some help with the English work. In the Mangalore College, there is at present only one lecturer for both physics and chemistry who is assisted by a Demonstrator and the Principal wants an additional assistant for science. The proposal is in accordance with the recommendations of the University Commission, agreeably to which provision for an assistant has been made in the model school scheme. I consider that this post may be added to the staff pending the introduction of that scheme.

It will thus be necessary to provide for five additional assistants—two each for the Kumbakonam and Rajahmundry colleges and one for the Mangalore College and the posts may for the present be included in Subordinate Educational Service—Collegiate Branch—and that to avoid over-weighting of the lower grades of this cadre they may be distributed thus—one on Rs. 150, two on Rs. 125 and two on Rs. 100. The extra cost involved will be Rs. 600 per mensem or Rs. 7,200 per annum.

II. Secondary.—In recent discussions regarding the provision of additional hostel facilities the suggestion was made that it might prove at once more economical and more satisfactory to adopt the alternative policy of increasing the number of high and middle schools under public management. Government having approved this suggestion, I called for proposals from the Inspector of Schools to be made in consultation with presidents of district boards and chairmen of municipal councils for the opening, in each district except Madras and The Nilgiris, of one high and two middle schools. I have now received their proposals and submit the following suggestions for the consideration of Government. I assume the ultimate opening of twenty new board high schools (by developing existing board middle schools) and of fifty new middle schools (by developing wherever possible existing board elementary school). While I propose to raise all at once fifty elementary schools to middle schools, my idea in regard to high schools is to open Form IV next year in twenty middle schools and to develop them gradually so as to secure the completion of the scheme in three years' time. The expenditure will correspondingly be spread over three years. Annexure A to this letter indicates what is proposed. The recurring and non-recurring cost each year is shown in the annexure and the ultimate recurring cost. The expenditure involved for 1918-19 for eight months amounts to Rs. 2,25,000 recurring, Rs. 6,03,000 non-recurring. The scales of pay are based on what experience shows to be necessary and may be considered suitable for all board and municipal schools under public management, though it is possible that in a few localities higher rates or local allowances may be required. I would point out that, if they are adopted not only for the proposed new schools but also for existing schools under public management, it would be possible to place all secondary schools under public management on a definite footing. At present each school works in isolation, scales of pay vary from school to school, prospects are limited and the teachers are satisfied neither with their chances of promotion nor with their status. Again, under present conditions transfers are difficult though often desirable. But with uniform scales of pay, transfers would be easy, opportunities for promotion would be more frequent and by forming in this way a kind of service for the first place for each district the status of the teachers would be improved. Further in both the new and the old schools contribution to a provident fund should be not occasional as it now is but universal, the provident fund contributions and benefits being transferable with the contributor. The introduction of these measures would offer a means of re-placing the existing unorganized system by a definite organization which would improve the prospects of the teaching profession and provide a definite policy for the expansion of secondary education. As a step in the direction of this complete organization of secondary education under local bodies, I would suggest that all secondary schools should be placed under district instead of under taluk boards, as many are at present. It is even worth consideration whether municipal schools might not also be transferred to district board management, in view of the fact that such schools ordinarily meet far more than a merely local need, that district

board management might be expected to be more efficient and that financial arrangements would be easier. I do not now ask for precise orders on these rather far reaching proposals. I wish to emphasize the fact that in the budget proposals I now make, I have them in mind and that the acceptance of these proposals will help rather than hinder the development of a better-organized system of secondary schools under public management.

2. Buildings.—This year Government were pleased to provide 1.5 lakhs for buildings for secondary schools under public management. There are still schools which require new buildings or additions to existing buildings. Chitacole has asked for Rs. 14,530, Karur for Rs. 18,000, Adoni for Rs. 20,000, Villupuram Rs. 80,000, Tiruturaiappundi Rs. 92,000, Ganapavaram Rs. 3,500 and Bellary Rs. 1,14,000. I request that a provision of Rs. 2,00,000 may be made for the purpose in the Civil Budget estimate for 1918-19.

3. Elementary.—My proposals for the expansion of elementary education have been separately submitted to Government in this office R.C. No. 3440/17, dated 6th November 1917. I would only add here the suggestion that it might be well to include some provision for elementary school buildings. I have already pending in this office applications totalling Rs. 2,00,000. This year there is a provision of Rs. 1,00,000 for this purpose and this may perhaps be repeated.

4. Muhammadan education.—I have already addressed Government on this subject—vide this office letter Camp No. 13/17, dated 17th September 1917. The expenditure involved in the several proposals is appended to this letter.

5. European education.—I propose an addition of Rs. 15,000 to the existing provision of Rs. 92,500, under 22-G. Boarding grants, so as to enable the Inspector of European and Training Schools to meet the demands for such grants in full, including the requirements of St. George's Homes.

6. Special education.—The desirability of making larger provision for manual training is admittedly great. Little has been done so far. At the European special classes centre and at the Teachers' College, Saidapet, instruction is given by the Manual Training Instructors and recently Government have in their Order No. 1449, Home (Education), dated 16th November 1917, sanctioned the Director's proposal for starting manual training in Muhammadan schools in the city of Madras with centres at the Madrasa-i-azam and the Government Muhammadan Secondary School, Georgetown. In the mufassal there is some provision for Manual training in the Mrs. A. V. N. College, Vizagapatam, and the A. M. High School, Pasmalai. More centres, however, are required in connexion with both European and Training Schools and I propose during 1918-19 that the necessary accommodation and equipment (if tools are available) may be provided by the inclusion in the Civil Budget Estimates for 1918-19 of a sum of Rs. 50,000. This, it may be noted, is the balance earmarked for manual training out of the Government of India's non-recurring grant of Rs. 49 lakhs. This sum which would suffice for ten centres has been arrived at as follows:—The cost of one room for manual training comes to Rs. 3,100 and the equipment for each room would cost Rs. 1,500, i.e., Rs. 4,600 in all. These figures are based on estimates worked out in consultation with the Manual Training Instructor attached to the Teachers' College, Saidapet. The recurring cost in 1919-20 onwards would be for the instructor, contingencies and a peon. I would select for these ten centres, if possible, places where there is Government Training school with a compound in which the room could be built and where there are European schools also, so that the centre might serve both classes of school.

7. Female education.—(a) The necessity for strengthening the staffs and for revising the scales of salaries in the Government Training schools for mistresses and secondary schools for girls in view of the increased strength and of the difficulty of securing and retaining the services of suitable qualified female teachers for the present rates of pay, has been repeatedly brought to my notice by the Inspectresses of Girls' Schools, and I consider that a general revision of the scales of staff and salaries is called for in the interests of efficiency and that the higher posts in these schools, viz., those carrying a salary of upwards of Rs. 100 should be grouped into a

separate cadre with different grades on pay ranging from Rs. 125 to Rs. 300 in which should be merged the posts of Assistant and Sub-Assistant Inspectresses. As these proposals will, however, involve a large expenditure and take time to mature, I propose to confine my proposals at present to the absolute needs of these schools, as reported by the Inspectresses. The revision proposed is expected to entail an additional expenditure of Rs. 1,290 per mensem or Rs. 15,480 per annum or roughly Rs. 15,500 in round figures.

(b) The conference of Inspectresses which met in December 1915 proposed the opening of Government secondary schools for girls in certain places and this programme could not be taken up till now on financial considerations. As the necessity for these schools is now being urged both by the Inspectresses and by public bodies, it seems time to make a move in this direction, and it is proposed to start one secondary school for girls in each of the Inspectresses' circles as far as possible in the order of the programme above referred to. I do not propose to have the secondary school for the Northern Circle at Rajahmundry owing to the difficulty of securing either some suitable site or accommodation there, and I would therefore prefer to open it at Masulipatam, with reference to the correspondence ending with G.O. Mis. No. 731, Educational, dated 4th July 1916. In the Central and Southern Circles it is proposed to open the schools at Cuddalore and Mangalore by raising the status of the higher Elementary Model schools now attached to the Government Training schools for mistresses there to the secondary grade and by fixing a suitable scale of salaries. The cost of these proposals is estimated at Rs. 22,500.

(c) It will also be necessary to strengthen the staffs of certain Government Elementary schools for girls, especially the kindergarten section, and the Inspectresses have submitted proposals in that regard with reference to the absolute needs of these schools which are now under my consideration. The proposals are estimated to cost Rs. 1,864 per mensem or Rs. 22,368 per annum, i.e., Rs. 23,000 in round figures.

(d) Provision will also have to be made for raising the pay of the peons employed in the Government Elementary schools for girls, training schools for mistresses and in lower Elementary Training schools for masters, proposals in regard to which were submitted with my letter R.C.No. 7015/17, dated 13th December 1917. The cost is estimated at Rs. 176 per mensem or Rs. 2,112 per annum.

The total cost of the above proposals under female education will be as shown below:—

	RS.
(a) Strengthening of the staff of the Secondary and Training Schools for mistresses...	15,500
(b) Opening of secondary schools for girls...	22,500
(c) Strengthening of the staff of Government Elementary schools for girls...	23,000
(d) Raising the pay of the peons ...	2,200
Total ...	63,200

Deducting Rs. 10,000 the balance available for expenditure on female education out of the four lakhs Imperial grant, the net provision that will be necessary is expected to be Rs. 53,200.

I beg to mention, however, that the estimates mentioned above are only approximate being subject to modifications and that I shall address Government in detail separately about each proposal.

VIII. Grants-in-aid.—On account of the rules and directions issued by the Syndicate of the University regarding the admission of secondary school-leaving certificate holders to University courses of study, there has been a considerable decrease in the strength of the Intermediate classes in the aided first and second

grade colleges with a corresponding decrease in the fee income, while the expenditure on the colleges continues to be the same. These institutions have therefore become eligible for larger amounts of teaching grants than those hitherto paid to them. The Code grants earned by many secondary schools for boys and girls have also increased on account of increased expenditure incurred by the managements. To meet the increased demands of these institutions, it is absolutely necessary to make the following increased provision under teaching grants for the year 1918-19 in addition to the amounts already proposed by me in the budget now under the consideration of Government:—

	RS.
Teaching grants to colleges ...	2,000
Teaching grants to secondary schools for boys ...	30,000
Teaching grants to secondary schools for girls ...	2,000

The additional grant of Rs. 20,000 proposed to be earmarked out of the Imperial recurring grant of four lakhs for payment of additional teaching grants to aided training schools was found to leave only a very small margin for raising the rates of stipendiary grants to the same rates as stipends after allowing the schools teaching grants equal to half the net cost. I may observe that for want of funds the teaching grants hitherto sanctioned to aided training schools have commonly been much less than half the net cost. The managements have consequently not been able, in most cases, to supplement from their own funds the stipendiary grants sanctioned from Provincial funds to the students under training. This has kept down the number of persons seeking admission into aided training schools. With a view to the development of aided training schools, I consider it highly necessary to give them teaching grants sufficient to meet half the net cost of the schools and to enable managers to supplement the stipendiary grants from Provincial funds by such amounts as to make the students under training receive the same amounts as they would get as stipends if trained in Government training schools. To enable this to be carried out I request the following additional amounts may be provided in the budget for 1918-19 in addition to the amounts already provided:—

	RS.
Teaching grants to schools—special training schools for masters ...	40,000
Do. do. mistresses.	17,000

I append as annexure B a summary of the cost of the various proposals contained in this letter and request that the necessary provision may be made in the Civil Budget Estimates for the next year now under the consideration of Government.

ANNEXURE A.

Complete high schools (three years' scheme).

A.—

	Gross expenditure.	Probable fees.	Net expenditure.	Non-recurring (capital expenditure).	
				Equipment.	Buildings.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
First year—					
For opening Form IV in twenty middle schools.	90,000	24,000	66,000	24,000	1,00,000
Second year—					
For opening Form V in the above schools (one additional teacher on Rs. 80-4/2-100)	1,13,460	48,000	65,460	24,000	1,00,000
Third year—					
For opening Form VI in the above schools (one additional teacher on Rs. 90-4/2-110)	1,39,470	72,000	67,470	24,000	1,00,000

N.B.—The probable average fee income of a complete high school is Rs. 3,600 per annum and the average for each form is Rs. 1,200.

Middle schools.

B.—

	Gross expenditure.	Probable fees.	Net expenditure.	Non-recurring (capital expenditure).	
				Equipment.	Buildings.
For raising fifty elementary schools to the grade of middle schools	RS. 2,47,500	RS. 75,000	RS. 1,72,500	RS. 60,000	RS. 4,25,000

A.—

Note.

The cost of opening a Form IV in each of the twenty middle schools during the next year has been arrived at as follows :—

	Scale of pay.	Average cost.
	RS.	RS.
Headmaster	125—5/2—150	140
First assistant	90—4/2—110	102
Second assistant	80—4/2—100	92*
Third assistant	80—4/2—100	92
Pandit (difference between the average of the existing scale of pay and the proposed scale of pay, viz., Rs. 30—2/2—40)	20	20
Gymnastic instructor (difference between the average of the existing scale of pay and the proposed scale of pay, viz., Rs. 30	15	15
Drawing-master (difference between the average of the existing scale of pay and the proposed scale of pay, viz., Rs. 30	15	15
Clerk	25—1/2—30	28
Total		504 per mensem.

* Will not be employed in the first year.

Average cost.

Deduct salaries of the first and second assistants who will not be employed during the first year	194 per mensem.
Balance	310
Add contributions to Provident Fund at one anna in the rupee	20 roughly.
Total	330
One peon on Rs. 9	9
One laboratory attender on Rs. 12	12
Total	351 per mensem— cost per annum Rs. 4,212.
Cost per annum of staff and establishment	4,212
Contingencies	300
Total gross recurring cost per annum	4,512 or Rs. 4,500 in round numbers.
Deduct probable fee income on account of Form IV	1,200
Net recurring cost	3,300 per annum.

Note.

B.—The estimate for each middle school has been arrived at as shown hereunder :—

	Scale of pay.	Remarks.
	RS.	
Headmaster	100	
First assistant	50	
Second	40	
Third	35	
Fourth	35	
Fifth	30	
Sixth	30	
Seventh	25	
Eighth	25	
Combined drill and drawing master	30	
Pandit	20	
Peon	7	
Additional subscriptions to Provident fund at one anna in the rupee	26 1/2	per mensem. excludes the pay of the peon.
Contingencies	458 1/2	per mensem or 5,439 per annum.
Total recurring charge	5,689	per annum.
Deduct approximate average cost of existing establishment at Rs. 750 for each school	750	
Balance or gross recurring expenditure	4,939	or Rs. 4,950 in round numbers per annum.
Deduct Rs. 1,500 being the probable fee income on account of each school	1,500	
Net recurring cost	3,450	per annum.

ANNEXURE B.

Summary showing the cost of the proposal.

Items.	Recurring.	Non-recurring.
	RS.	RS.
1. Collegiate education—		
(a) Raising the Ceded Districts College to the 1st grade	16,350	13,000
(b) Five additional assistants (Subordinate Collegiate service) for certain Government Arts Colleges.	7,200	...
Total	23,550	13,000
2. Secondary education—		
(a) Raising the standard of board middle and elementary schools to that of high and middle schools respectively—		
(1) Opening form IV in 20 middle schools	90,000	1,24,000
(2) Raising the standard of 50 elementary schools to that of middle schools	2,47,500	4,85,000
(b) Provision for the construction of buildings for secondary schools under the management of the local bodies	...	2,00,000
Total	3,37,500	8,09,000

Summary showing the cost of the proposal—*cont.*

Items.	Recurring RS.	Non- recurring. RS.
3. Elementary education— Provision for the construction of buildings for Elementary schools under the management of local bodies	...	1,00,000
Total	...	1,00,000
4. Muhammadan education— (1) Grants to Oosmania College	9,000	25,000
(2) Opening of two new middle schools	10,000	1,400
(3) Additional scholarships in secondary schools	2,600	...
(4) Fee remissions in secondary schools	3,900	...
(5) Duplication of lower classes in two selected secondary schools	5,250	20,000
Total	30,780	46,400
5. European education— For payment of enhanced boarding grants	15,000	...
6. Special education— Equipment and buildings for manual training centres.	...	50,000
7. Female education— (1) Strengthening of the staff of Government Secondary and Training schools for Mistresses.	15,500	...
(2) Opening of three Government secondary schools for girls	22,500	...
(3) Strengthening of the staff of Government elementary schools for girls	23,000	...
(4) Raising the pay of peons employed in Government girls' schools, etc.	2,200	...
Total	63,200	...
Deduct probable amount available for utilization on account of female education out of the Imperial recurring grant of 4 lakhs	10,600	...
Net amount required	53,200	...
8. Grants-in-aid— (1) Payment of additional teaching grants to colleges.	2,000	...
(2) Payment of additional teaching grants to secondary schools for boys	30,000	...
(3) Payment of additional teaching grants to secondary schools for girls	2,000	...
(4) Payment of additional teaching grants to Training schools for Masters	40,000	...
(5) Payment of additional teaching grants to Training schools for Mistresses	17,000	...
Total	91,000	...
Grand total	5,51,030	1,08,400

Includes provision for buildings and equipment.

NOTE.—(1) If the schools at 2 (a) (1) and (2) are to be held in rented buildings, the expenditure on rent can be met out of the provision for new buildings or extensions to existing buildings.

(2) In the case of items 2 (a) (1) and (2), the net expenditure will probably be reduced further if the subsidy now being paid is taken into consideration in the calculation of the net cost.

(3) The ultimate cost of item 2 (a) (1) has been worked out in annexure (a).

Order—No. 43, Home (Education), dated 15th January 1918.

Recorded.

(True extract)

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO,
Secretary to Government.NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 43, HOME (EDUCATION),
DATED 15TH JANUARY 1918

[SUBJECT.—Educational schemes to be provided for in the budget for 1918-19.]

HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 15th December 1917, No. 10281.

Please see the Director's summary in the current file. For the reasons explained in the Director's letter, all the schemes may, it is submitted, be accepted and the Financial Department requested to provide in the next year's budget the necessary funds. The details of the several schemes may be scrutinized when the proposals are submitted for sanction.

2. The following items appear to call for remarks:—

Item (1)—*Collegiate education*.—As suggested by the Director it will be sufficient to provide only for eight months' charges (Rs. 15,700) under the recurring head.

Item (2)—*Secondary education*.—Under the head recurring expenditure, the Director has provided for the gross expenditure to be incurred on the schools. As these schools will be under the management of local bodies and as the net cost alone is to be paid as subsidy, it appears sufficient to provide for the net expenditure shown in column 4 of annexure A in the current file. Expenditure may have to be incurred in 1918-19 only for eight months and the net cost for this period will amount to Rs. 1,59,000. The Accountant-General has already been asked to enter in the budget a provision of one lakh. He may now be asked to raise the provision by Rs. 59,000.

Item (4)—*Muhammadan education*.—The Director suggests a provision of Rs. 77,180 for recurring (Rs. 30,780) and non-recurring (Rs. 46,400) charges. The Accountant-General has already been asked to include in the budget a sum of Rs. 75,000. It does not appear necessary to enhance this provision still further.

3. The papers may be transferred u.o. to Financial for necessary action.

S.A.—18-12-17.

N.K.—19-12-17.

The proposals submitted by the Director of Public Instruction, involving a recurring expenditure of 5.51 lakhs and a non-recurring outlay of 10.18, indicate in what directions immediate additional expenditure on education is desirable and possible, if funds could be found for the purpose. Government have already provided for a sum of 1.75 out of the expenditure proposed by the Director of Public Instruction. It is for Financial to say whether they could allot any further funds for educational schemes. When the amount is known, Educational can in consultation with the Director of Public Instruction select, if necessary, schemes from the list for the utilization of the amount and call for detailed proposals in respect of them. Prima facie all the schemes proposed are desirable.

C. RAMANUJA ACHARIYAR—19-12-17.

From an administrative point of view, the schemes proposed are generally desirable subject to further remarks when the proposals are considered in detail.

2. Of the non-recurring charges, I do not believe that it will be possible to spend in one year the proposed figure. Similarly there may be difficulty in staffing all the new classes proposed.

3. Education is an urgent need and deserves the greatest sympathy on public funds. If Financial will kindly let me know what money can be spared, I shall work out the proposals in consultation with the Director of Public Instruction and each proposal will in due course be sent to Financial for remarks.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—20-12-17.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

In passing orders on the trial budget, the Honourable Member directed that an additional provision for education of 8.32 lakhs (5.69 lakhs recurring and 2.63 lakhs non-recurring) should be entered in next year's budget provisionally for the schemes outlined in Director of Public Instruction's letter, dated 15th December 1917. The Honourable Member's figures which were based on the Director's proposal require certain alterations as pointed out by Home (Education) and these are noticed below:—

2. (A) RECURRING.

Item.	Director of Public Instruction's figure.	Amount as now suggested.	Remarks.
	RS.	RS.	
(1) 22-C. Government Colleges—General.	23,550	15,700	Although the recurring cost is Rs. 23,550 per annum a provision of only Rs. 15,700 representing eight months' charges need be made in the budget for 1918-19.
(a) For raising the Anantapur College to the first grade (Rs. 16,350); and			L.E.K. This may be entered as a lump provision under the
(b) five additional assistants in the Kumbakonam, Rajahmundry and Mangalore Colleges (Rs. 7,200).			L.D. minor head 22-C. Government Colleges—General.
(2) Lump provision ...	3,37,500	59,000	The expenditure involved is as under:—
For opening twenty new Board high schools (by developing existing Board middle schools) and fifty new middle schools (by developing existing Board elementary schools).			
			Recurring (annual). Ultimate (recurring.)
			RS. RS.
(a) Gross expenditure ...			90,000 1,39,470
			2,47,500 2,47,500
			3,37,500 3,86,970
(b) Net expenditure after deducting fee income.			66,000 67,470
			1,72,500 1,72,500
			2,38,500 2,39,970

The net recurring expenditure, after deducting fee income, during the first year is Rs. 2,38,500. The net expenditure in 1918-19 will be for only eight months and will amount to Rs. 1,59,000. Deducting the sum of one lakh already made in the budget for 1918-19 as a lump provision in the summary under the major head, the additional provision which should now be entered is Rs. 59,000. Home (Secretary) remarks that there may be difficulty in staffing all the new classes. The additional provision of

L.E.K. Rs. 59,000 may, it is submitted, be now entered.
L.D.

Item.	Director of Public Instruction's figure.	Amount as now suggested.	Remarks.
	RS.	RS.	
(3) Muhammadan education.	30,780 + 46,100 (non-recurring).	Nil.	A lump provision of Rs. 75,000 has already been included in next year's budget in the summary under the major head. No additional provision is necessary. L.E.K. L.D.
(4) 22-G. Grants-in-Aid—European schools boarding grants.	15,000	15,000	The Director of Public Instruction suggests that provision of Rs. 92,500 entered in next year's budget under the detailed head Grants-in-aid—European schools boarding grants may be raised by Rs. 15,000 so as to meet the demands for boarding grants in full. L.E.K. The additional provision of Rupees 15,000 may be accepted. L.D.
(5) Female Education ... For strengthening the staff of Government secondary and elementary schools for girls and of Government training schools for girls; for opening three Government secondary schools for girls; and for raising the pay of peons in Government girls' schools.	53,200	53,200	Please see sub-paragraph vii of the Director's letter. A lump provision of Rs. 53,200 may be entered in the budget for 1918-19 in the summary under the major head. L.E.K. L.D.
(6) 22-G. Grant-in-aid—Teaching grants to colleges.	2,000		Submitted that these additional grants may be included in next year's budget under each detailed head.
Teaching grants to secondary schools for boys.	30,000		
Teaching grants to secondary schools for girls.	2,000		
Teaching grants to secondary schools—special training schools for masters.	40,000		
Teaching grants to secondary schools—special training schools for mistresses.	17,000		
		91,000	
		91,000	

(B) NON-RECURRING.—

	Amount suggested by Director of Public Instruction.	
	RS.	
(a) Anantapur College ...	13,000	It is understood from the Director of Public Instruction's office that Rs. 10,000 relates to buildings and Rs. 3,000 to equipment. A provision of Rs. 3,000 will therefore have to be made under 22—Education and of Rs. 10,000 under 45. Public Works Department.
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4. If the foregoing suggestions are accepted, the additional provision to be made in next year's budget will be:—

	RS.
22. Education (recurring) ...	2,33,900
" (non-recurring) ...	68,000
Unallotted ...	2,50,000
	5,46,900

V.G.K.—21-12-17.

L. E. KERSHAW—21-12-17.

L. DAVIDSON—22-12-17.

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HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

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C. RAMANUJA ACHARIYAR—10-1-18.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—12-1-18.

[G.O. No. 43, Home (Education), dated 15th January 1918.]

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Budget estimate
 Recording letter from the D.P. J. Submitting proposals for
 the expansion of education, provision for which maybe made
 in the — for 1918-19.

READ AGAIN G.O. No. _____, dated _____ 191 .

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NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 43, HOME (EDUCATION),
DATED 15TH JANUARY 1918

[SUBJECT.—Educational schemes to be provided for in the budget for 1918-19.]

HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

From the Director of Public Instruction,
dated 15th December 1917 No. 10231.

in the Please see the summary on pages 15-16 of current file. For the reasons explained in the Director's letter, all the schemes may, it is submitted, be accepted and the Financial Department requested to provide in the next year's budget the necessary funds. The details of the several schemes may be scrutinized when the proposals are submitted for sanction.

2. The following items appear to call for remarks:—

Item (1)—Collegiate education.—As suggested by the Director it will be sufficient to provide only for eight months' charges (Rs. 15,700) under the recurring head.

in the Item (2)—Secondary education.—Under the head recurring expenditure, the Director has provided for the gross expenditure to be incurred on the schools. As these schools will be under the management of local bodies and as the net cost alone is to be paid as subsidy, it appears sufficient to provide for the net expenditure shown in column 4 of annexure A on pages 11 and 12 of current file. Expenditure may have to be incurred in 1918-19 only for eight months and the net cost for this period will amount to Rs. 1,59,000. The Accountant-General has already been asked to enter in the budget a provision of one lakh. He may now be asked to raise the provision by Rs. 59,000.

Item (4)—Muhammadan education.—The Director suggests a provision of Rs. 77,180 for recurring (Rs. 30,780) and non-recurring (Rs. 46,400) charges. The Accountant-General has already been asked to include in the budget a sum of Rs. 75,000. It does not appear necessary to enhance this provision still further.

3. The papers may be transferred u.o. to Financial for necessary action.

S.A.—18-12-17.

N/ A.K.—19-12-17.

The proposals submitted by the Director of Public Instruction, involving a recurring expenditure of 5.51 lakhs and a non-recurring outlay of 10.18, indicate in what directions immediate additional expenditure on education is desirable and possible, if funds could be found for the purpose. Government have already provided for a sum of 1.75 out of the expenditure proposed by the Director of Public Instruction. It is for Financial to say whether they could allot any further funds for educational schemes. When the amount is known, Educational can in consultation with the Director of Public Instruction select, if necessary (schemes) from the list for the utilization of the amount and call for detailed proposals in respect of them. Prima facie all the schemes proposed are desirable.

C. RAMANUJA ACHARIYAR—19-12-17.

From an administrative point of view, the schemes proposed are generally desirable subject to further remarks when the proposals are considered in detail.

2. Of the non-recurring charges, I do not believe that it will be possible to spend in one year the proposed figure. Similarly there may be difficulty in staffing all the new classes proposed.

3. Education is an urgent need and deserves the greatest sympathy on public funds. If Financial will kindly let me know what money ~~may~~ can be spared, I shall work out the proposals in consultation with the Director of Public Instruction and each proposal will in due course be sent to Financial for remarks.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—20-12-17.

Now check
Please let me know what has been done regarding the same. I am waiting for the same. My signature

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

In passing orders on the trial budget, the Honourable Member directed that an additional provision for education of 8.32 lakhs (5.69 lakhs recurring and 2.63 lakhs non-recurring) should be entered in next year's budget provisionally for the schemes outlined in Director of Public Instruction's letter, dated 15th December 1917. The Honourable Member's figures which were based on the Director's proposal require certain alterations as pointed out by Home (Education) and these are noticed below :—

2. (A) RECURRING.

Item.	Director of Public Instru- ction's figure. RS.	Amount as now suggested. RS.	Remarks.
(1) 22-C. Government Colleges—General.	23,550	15,700	Although the recurring cost is Rs. 23,550 per annum a provision of only Rs. 15,700 representing eight months' charges need be made in the budget for 1918-19.
(a) For raising the Anantapur College to the first grade (Rs. 16,350); and (b) five additional assistants in the Kumbakonam, Rajahmundry and Mangalore Col- leges (Rs. 7,200).			L.E.K. This may be entered L.D. as a lump provi- sion under the minor head 22-C. Government Col- leges—General.
(2) Lump provision For opening twenty new Board high schools (by deve- loping existing Board middle schools) and fifty new middle schools (by deve- loping existing Board elemen- tary schools).	3,37,500	59,000	The expenditure involved is as under :—
			Recurring (annual). Ultimate (recurring.)
			RS. RS.
(a) Gross expenditure			90,000 1,39,470
			2,47,500 2,47,500
			3,37,500 3,86,970
(b) Net expenditure after deducting fee income.			66,000 67,470
			1,72,500 1,72,500
			2,38,500 2,39,970
(3) Muhammadan educa- tion.	30,780 + 46,400 (non-recur- ring).	Nil.	The net recurring expenditure, after deducting fee income, during the first year is Rs. 2,38,500. The net expenditure in 1918-19 will be for only eight months and will amount to Rs. 1,59,000. Deducting the sum of one lakh already made in the budget for 1918-19 as a lump provision in the summary under the major head, the additional provision which should now be entered is Rs. 59,000. Home (Secretary) remarks that there may be difficulty in staffing all the new classes. The additional provision of Rs. 59,000 may, it is submitted, be now entered.
			L.E.K. Rs. 59,000 may, it L.D. is submitted, be now entered.
			A lump provision of Rs. 75,000 has already been included in next year's budget in the summary under the major head. No additional provision is necessary.
			L.E.K. L.D.

NOTES TO G.O. No. 43, HOME (EDUCATION), 15TH JANUARY 1918

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	RS.	RS.	
(4) 22-G. Grants-in-Aid —European schools boarding grants.	15,000	15,000	The Director of Public Instruction suggests that provision of Rs. 92,500 entered in next year's budget under the detailed head Grants-in-aid—European schools boarding grants may be raised by Rs. 15,000 so as to meet the demands for boarding grants in full. L.E.K. The additional provision of Rupees L.D. 15,000 may be accepted.
(5) Female Education ... For strengthening the staff of Govern- ment secondary and elementary schools for girls and of Government training schools for girls; for opening three Gov- ernment secondary schools for girls; and for raising the pay of peons in Government girls' schools.	53,200	53,200	Please see sub-paragraph vii on pages 6-8, current file A. L.E.K. jump provision of L.D. Rs. 53,200 may be entered in the budget for 1918-19 in the summary under the major head.
(6) 22-G. Grant-in-aid— Teaching grants to colleges.	2,000	91,000	Submitted that these additional grants may be included in next year's budget under each detailed head. L.E.K. L.D.
Teaching grants to secondary schools for boys.	30,000		
Teaching grants to secondary schools for girls.	2,000		
Teaching grants to secondary schools —special training schools for masters.	40,000		
Teaching grants to secondary schools— special training schools for mis- tresses.	17,000		
	91,000		

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