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Recording notes connected with the question on the encouragement of Muhammadan education asked by the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Ahmad Tanbi Marakayar Sahib Bahadur at the meeting of the ----- held on the 13th August 1918.

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QUESTION - No. 29.

for the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on the 13th Aug. 1918.

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the Home (Edu) 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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To

The

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL (LEGISLATIVE) DEPARTMENT.
Home (Education), Revenue and Local and Municipal (Medical) Departments.
The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur A. T. G. M. Ahmad Tambi Marakkayar
Sahib Bahadur.

Encouragement
of Muham-
madan
education.

29 Q.—With reference to the recommendations made to the Government by the Muhammadan Educational Conference held at Vellore, will the Government be pleased to consider the desirability of

(a) reserving a certain number of seats in Government and other aided colleges for Muslim students specially as is done in Bengal, in view of the fact that the difficulties experienced by Muslim students in obtaining admission into these institutions at present act as a deterrent to the progress of collegiate education;

(b) increasing the number and scale of Government scholarships awarded to Muslim students in colleges, as the present number is found to be inadequate for the purpose for which these scholarships have been instituted;

(c) affording special facilities to Muslim students studying in law, medical, engineering and agricultural colleges by instituting scholarships on a liberal scale; and

(d) establishing hostels in schools and colleges where a sufficient number of Muslim students attend?

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This Dept is concerned with the question of instituting special scholarships for muslim students studying in the Med College. This point has already been noted on as follows when dealing with the proceedings of the Muhammedan Educational Conference recently received:-

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" 2. In regard to East scholarships, it is submitted that of the six scholarships in the Med College, Madras two are reserved for Muhammedans, and, in the medical schools, the stipend of Rs 15 given to Civil medl pupils is open to Muhammedans also if they are otherwise eligible. No action appears therefore necessary in this matter.
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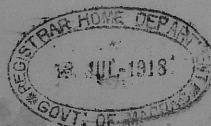
2. It is submitted that the Home (Edn) Dept, which is mainly concerned with the question, may be requested to incorporate the above facts in the answer to claim (c).

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Classical of the question.

The question of reserving a certain number of seats in Govt and other aided colleges was fully ~~proposed~~ discussed last year and it was then considered that it would be inconvenient to reserve any fixed number of ~~the~~ seats for muhammadian pupils, but the D.P.I. was authorized to instruct the principals of Govt colleges that the claims of muhammadians to admission in these colleges should receive very special consideration in view of the fact that only in that way the concession of half fees could be secured to those in need of it. The Govt have recently sanctioned the opening of college classes in the Madras-i Azam, Madras, for muhammadian students. This, the D.P.I. considered, would have a far more stimulating effect than any other. As the number of muhammadian students seeking admission ~~in~~ to college classes is comparatively small and as a

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separate college for them has been opened ~~the school for~~ may not be any appreciable number of students of that community applying for admission to other colleges. It does not therefore seem to be necessary or desirable to reserve any fixed number of seats for mahammada students in Govt colleges. So far as aided colleges are concerned ^{we cannot well insist on} the reservation of seats ~~reserved for~~.

2. Clause (b) of the question

There are at present 46th schools tenable in college classes which are open to students of all communities including mahammada. Besides these, there ^(are) ~~are~~ four special collegiate ~~scholarships~~ ^{ships} for mahammada students in the Intermediate and B.A. (Pass) courses and an additional scholarship tenable in the Hon classes. These scholarships are of the value of Rs. 9 and Rs. 4 in the Intermediate & B.A. classes, ~~respectively~~.

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the D.P.I. letter at (b)

In submitting proposals last year for the development of muham-madan education, the D.P.I. recommended the institution of additional scholarships tenable only in secondary schools and expressly stated that there was no need for more collegiate scholarships, though he hoped that in connection with the proposed Osmania College greater need would arise. The scheme for the opening of the Osmania College at Madras appears to have been ^{since} dropped and the Govt. have opened college classes in the Madras-i-Azam, Madras. ~~It~~ It is not known whether any special scholarships should be instituted in the new college. The D.P.I. may perhaps be consulted on the point. It may be noted here that fees from muham-madan pupils are collected at half the standard rates laid down in the Madras Educational Rules.

3. clause (b) of the question
The Additional member desires that

that special facilities ^(should be afforded) to Muslim students in Law, Medical, Engineering and Agricultural Colleges by instituting scholarships on a liberal scale. ~~But~~ In the Law College there are only two Govt scholarships. The rules of the College ~~provide~~ lay down that one of the scholarships should be ~~awarded~~ ^{awarded} to the Muslim madam or Urdu student who passes highest in the first examination in Law. In the College of Engineering, the following ~~are~~ scholarships are awarded in the various classes:—

Engineers class	3
Upper Subordinate class	3
Lower " "	3
Probationary " "	5

The rules of the College provide that one of these scholarships should be granted to a muslim madam or Indian Christian or European or Eurasian student preference being given in the order named.

As regards the Medical College

Rule 28 p. 39
of the Law College calendar
1917-18.

Rules 50, 55, 60, 62
of the College rules,
pages 25 to 31 of the calendar
of the College. 1917-18.

it will be seen from ~~the Budget~~
the L.H. (Medical) Dept note
on page 3 supra that of the
six Govt scholarships in the
College two are reserved for
muhammadans.

The question of instituting
additional scholarships in
the Agricultural College is one
for consideration in the Revenue
Dept. A copy of the question has
been sent to that Dept from
L.H. (Legislative).

4. Clause (d) of the question.

The Additional member desires
that hostels should be established
in connection with schools and
colleges where a sufficient
number of Muslim students
attend. It is submitted that
the initiative in this matter
should be taken by the managers
of schools themselves. There is
provision in chapter VIII of
the Grant-in-aid Code for liberal
grants towards the construction
of buildings for hostel purposes.
The Govt have further sanctioned

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recently the proposal of the D.P.I. to pay a grant not exceeding one half of the net expenditure incurred by hostel authorities in renting buildings for hostels. It may be noted here that a grant of Rs. 32,700 was ~~sanctioned~~ sanctioned by the Govt in 1914 towards the construction of the "Boddam Muslim Hostel" in Madras on an application made for it by the Muham-madan Educational Association of Southern India.

5. Before framing a draft answer the D.P.I. may be requested to offer his remarks.

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(4) The question of awarding seats has already been considered and for no reason that it is unnecessary to repeat. In view of the recent establishment of a hostel in Coimbatore.

(5) We are of opinion that the provision of scholarships for students of inferior colleges is not

in Arts and professional colleges

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Watch the development of the movement in
Europe and take such action in regard to
scholarships as may become necessary.

(A). Government are prepared to consider
any specific proposals for the establishment of
hospitals either for the movement or others.



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Please see the question in the c.f.

Clause (c) thereof refers inter alia to the Agricultural College and appertains to Revenue. Under the orders of the H.M., the question of affording facilities to Muhammadans at the Agrl. and Veterinary Colleges is separately under consideration. The answer to this part of the question may therefore be

" The recommendations of the Muhammadan educational conference are under the consideration of the Govt."

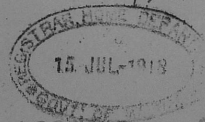
2. On return of the file from the H.M., it may be sent to the Educational Deptt. with the request that the answer may be incorporated with that on the other portions of the question which concerns them most.

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[Meeting of the 13th August 1918]

Revenue Dept.
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Proposed draft answer with reference to clause (c)
Sofar as the Agri. colleges are concerned

"The recommendations of the Muhammadan Educational Conference are under the consideration of the Government."

Do under Secy.

The above answer was despatched to the Home (Edl) Deptt for consolidation with the answer on the other parts of the question. The answer was framed with reference to the discussions in the linked file. Now that the Hon. Member has decided that the question need not be pursued in respect of the Agricultural College, the above answer may be modified as shown below:—

"~~At the Agri. college~~ No scholarships are at present awarded and the Govt. do not entertain that any ^{new} ~~should~~ be created specially for the Muhammadans."

After approval, the file may be sent to the Hon. Member.

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Home (Edm^d) Dept.

The ~~answer~~ furnished
by the Revenue Dept^t may be
incorporated in the draft
answer suggested by the D.P. I
on pages 9 + 10 supra. The draft
below is for approval. It
may be circulated to H.E. the
Governor, ~~H.M. (Rec^d)~~ ^{H.M. (Agre)}

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The proposed draft answer is as follows:-

29. (a) The question of reserving seats has already
been considered and the Government are of
opinion that it is unnecessary particularly
in view of the recent establishment of
a Muhamadan College.
- (b) & (c). The Government consider that the
provision of scholarships for Muhamadans
in Arts Colleges and in the Law, Medical
and Engineering Collèges is sufficient.

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They will however watch the development of the Muhammadan College and take such action in regard to scholarships as may prove necessary.

No scholarships are at present awarded at the Agricultural College and the Government do not consider that any need be created specially for Muhammadans.

- (d) The Government are prepared to consider any specific proposals for the establishment of hostels whether for Muhammadans or others.

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The file may be circulated to H. M. (med.) & H. M. (ag.)

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

11 Q.—With reference to the recommendations made to the Government by the Muhammadan Educational Conference held at Vellore, will the Government be pleased to consider the desirability of

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11 A.—(a) The question of reserving seats has already been considered and the Government are of opinion that it is unnecessary, particularly in view of the recent establishment of a Muhammadan College.

(b) & (c) The Government consider that the provision of scholarships for Muhammadans in Arts Colleges and in the Law, Medical and Engineering Colleges is sufficient. They will, however, watch the development of the Muhammadan College and take such action in regard to scholarships as may prove necessary.

No scholarships are at present awarded at the Agricultural College and the Government do not consider that any need be created specially for Muhammadans.

(d) The Government are prepared to consider any specific proposals for the establishment of hostels whether for Muhammadans or others.

No further action seems necessary.
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