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Conference.

Recording proceedings of the Uttankarai
Taluk Conference held in May 1918.

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From the President, Uttankarai Taluk Mahajana Sabha, Harur (Salem District), to the Government of Madras, dated the 12th October 1918:-

I beg to submit a copy of the report of the Uttankarai Taluk Conference held at Harur in May last and request that the grievances and prayers of the people stated in the resolutions referred to in item No. 1 of Statement No. 1 attached to the report will receive the sympathetic considerations they deserve at the hands of the Government. This report is submitted in pursuance to the resolution No. 25 passed at the said conference.

RESOLUTION No. 7.

This Conference requests that elementary education may be made free and compulsory in the case of youths of 7 to 14 years of age. It is of opinion that the Government should no longer delay the introduction of laws for making elementary education compulsory, and suggests to the Government that, until such laws are introduced, the local boards should be urged to promote free elementary education.

Proposed by :- Narayanaswami Pillai, Salem.

Seconded by M. Venkatan Chettiyar, Merchant and Mirasdar, Harur

(a) This conference requests that the local board may, besides increasing the schools for panchamas in this taluk, make suitable arrangements for creating in this community a zeal for and a greater interest in education, by giving them free education and granting them scholarships.

Proposed by Viswasam Pillai Avargal, Preacher, Dharmapuri.

Seconded by Kuppuswami Reddiyar Avargal, Member of the Temple Committee, Merchant and Mirasdar, Uttankarai.

(b) This conference urges the local board to appoint inspecting officers in such a manner that the officers appointed to inspect panchama schools would be either non-brahmans or such men as have no scruples to approach the panchama students for inspecting and examining them.

Proposed by Viswasam Pillai Avargal. Preacher, Dharmapuri.

Seconded by Ruppaswami Reddiyar Avargal, Member of the Temple committee, Merchant and Mirasidar, Uttangarai.

(c) As, in spite of the G.O. issued for giving free education to certain classes of people backward in education, the measures adopted at present in the elementary schools of this taluk, in accordance therewith for giving free education are not quite satisfactory, this Conference requests the taluk board to give free education more liberally to the students reading in the elementary schools in this taluk, in consideration of its being very backward in the matter of education.

Proposed by Malaya Pillai Avargal, Mirasidar, Pommeri.

Seconded by Tirtagiri Kavundar Avargal, do. Chinnankuppam.

(d) As the Grant-in-Aid Schools are daily decreasing in number in many places where they are necessary in the Uttangarai taluk, as the educational progress of the villagers in places where taluk board schools cannot be opened is being hindered thereby, and as grants have to be given liberally so as to enable all private schools in the Uttangarai taluk to flourish, this conference requests the taluk board to pay particular attention in this matter in a liberal spirit and in a manner which will lead to steps being taken for the starting of new grant schools in places where they do not exist.

Proposed by C. Ramaswami Chettiyar Avargal, Member of the Temple committee, Merchant and Mirasidar, Harur.

Seconded by Muttuswamy Mudaliyar Avargal. Mirasidar, Irulapatti.

(f) This conference requests the taluk board to make without delay proper arrangements for the imparting of instruction generally to the students from the 4th class in the taluk board schools and particularly to the sons of merchants in book-keeping and commercial geography which

which will acquaint them with the places of export and import for Indian articles of trade.

Proposed by Sanjivi Chettiyar Avargal. Merchant & Mirasidar, Venkatathampatti.

Seconded by Kuppaswami Reddiyar, Member of the Temple Committee, Merchant & Mirasidar, Uttangarai.

(g) This Conference requests the Government to open a central agricultural school and a factory at Salem for the sons of agricultural labourers so as to enable the agriculturists of this district to obtain expert knowledge in the modern agricultural arts and accelerate the agricultural progress.

Proposed by H. V. Vedi Chettiyar Avargal.

Taluk Board Member and Union Chairman, Harur.

Seconded by V. K. Babu Sahib Bahadur, Merchant and Mirasidar and member of the Harur Union Panchayat.

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