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[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Council.

Recording notes connected with a resolution proposed to be moved by the Hon'ble Mr. P. Siva Rao in the Council held on the 13th March 1918 regarding increased provision for scholarships in the budget estimate.

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NOTES CONNECTED WITH A RESOLUTION REGARDING REVISED FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

[For the Meeting of the 13th March 1918.

[SUBJECT.—*Increased provisions for scholarships.*]

The Hon'ble Mr. P. SIVA RAO :—

XXXVIII. This Council recommends to His Excellency the Governor in Council that the provision under the head of "22-H. EDUCATION—Scholarships" may be increased by one lakh of rupees and that the same may be met by a corresponding reduction under the head of 45. CIVIL WORKS.

HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

A sum of Rs. 1,70,600 has been provided in the budget for 1918-19 under the head "22-H. EDUCATION—Scholarships". The Government are now awarding annually a fixed number of scholarships to indigent and deserving pupils in schools and colleges. A statement showing the number and class of scholarships, the expenses of which are met from "22-H. EDUCATION" is given below :—

Class of scholarships.	Number of scholarships.
Higher elementary	48
Secondary	222
Collegiate	46
Special for Mappillas in elementary schools	160
" girls in elementary schools	50
" Navaras and Khonds	135
" Kovas	25
" Gadabas, Jatapus and Porajas	25
Hindu and Muhammadan widows	63
Special for Muhammadans	8
Chenchus	25
Scholarships for indigent pupils in European schools	51
Final scholarships for Europeans	4

2. With a view to afford facilities to indigent pupils of marked ability to continue their studies the Educational Conference of 1916 has recommended that expenditure by managing bodies on scholarships up to a limit of 10 per cent of the fee income reckoned at standard rates should be considered as legitimate expenditure for the purpose of assessing the grant that might be paid to a school. The recommendation has been accepted by the Financial Department; but for want of funds the scheme could not be given effect

The matter is yet under consideration.

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during the next financial year. The total cost of the recommendation is expected to involve an expenditure of Rs. 88,000.

3. In the circumstances it does not appear that there is any necessity for increasing the existing provision under "22-H. EDUCATION Scholarships." Submitted that the resolution may be opposed. Orders are requested as to who should be in charge of the resolution and whether it should be discussed in Council.

K.K.—7-3-18.

T.K.—7-3-18.

C. RAMANUJA ACHARIYAR—8-3-18.

His Excellency through the Director of Public Instruction.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—8-3-18.

Please see remarks on Resolution No. ~~XXXV.~~

J. H. STONE—8-3-18.

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Extract from the Proceedings of a Meeting of the Council of the Governor of
Fort St. George assembled for the purpose of making Laws and Regu-
lations under the provisions of the Act of Parliament, 5 & 6 Geo. V,
Ch. 61.

The Council assembled at the Council Chamber, Fort St. George, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday
the 13th day of March 1918.

RESOLUTION *RE* INCREASED PROVISION FOR SCHOLARSHIPS.

The following resolution of which notice had been given by the Hon'ble Mr. P. Siva Rao
was not moved :—

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met by a corresponding reduction under the head of "45. CIVIL WORKS".'

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Acting Secretary to Govt., L. & M. (Legislative) Dept.

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