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The Right Honourable Sir Freeman Freeman
Thomas Baron Willingdon of Ratton,

G. C. S. I., G. C. I. E., G. B. E..

Governor of Fort Saint George,

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Through

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Place *Chittoor*

Date *8. 10. 20*

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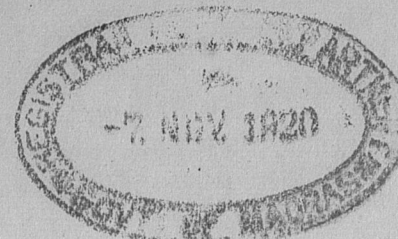
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Persian Munshi Gout Madrasai
Agam

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3. That, while there is practically no difference either in the nature or in the conditions of the work done by the Graduate masters and the Pandits, the difference in pay and status is rather abnormal and works much to the detriment of the latter class of teachers, that they are turning out the same volume of work, they are teaching subjects for which as much importance, if not more, has come to be attached, that they are as much subject to hardships incidental to teaching work as the Graduates, but still in the matter of pay and prospects, they are given a treatment, which, your humble memorialist most respectfully begs to point out,

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May it please your Excellency

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Place *Govt. Madrasai Agam*

Date *2nd November 1920*

Persian Pandit
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Copy to His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George,
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Through the Director of Public Instruction,

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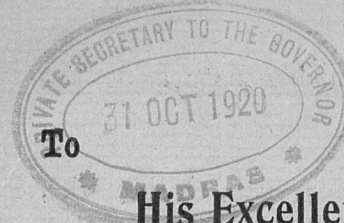
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Law (ES) Dept

Subject *Memorial from pandits & munshis for increase of pay.*

The memorials placed below were all considered by the Reforms Commission in recommending revised scales of pay for pandits & munshis in the schools. The Govt have ~~also~~ decided to adopt the following time scale of pay for pandits:—

Rs. 40-2-50

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Rs. 75-4-95

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No further action is necessary on these memorials & they may be ~~be~~ Recorded.

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