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Question No. 471 - Aided Sanskrit Colleges -

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Question No. 573 for the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on the 1st Aug. 1921.

Submitted that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the Law (Edn) Department. The question has been admitted.

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U.O. No. 1894-4 dated 25-7-21

To The Law (Edn-) Department.



respect of Government grants;

(c) what the number is and value of scholarships given to Sanskrit students whether the Government will be pleased to increase their number; and

(d) whether the Government are aware that there are at present no text books on the "History of Sanskrit Language and Literature" written in Sanskrit and that ~~some~~ difficulty is experienced in teaching that subject; whether the Government will be pleased to take steps to remedy this defect.

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From Vol II of the Public Instruction Report for 1919-20 it appears that there were during that year ~~three~~ ten aided Sanskrit Colleges with 123 Brahmin and 49 non-Brahmin caste Hindu students and 58 Sanskrit aided schools with ^{(30 Indian Christian,} 5 Muhammadan, 1252 Brahmin and 934 non-Brahmin caste Hindu pupils. A grant of Rs 11,55 and Rs 8,844 was paid from General Revenues for Sanskrit Colleges and schools respectively and it is not known how much of these was given on account of teaching grants. There was a provision of Rs 23,000 in the budget estimate for 1920-21 for teaching grants to Sanskrit schools. No further information is available in this office in regard to this question. The D.P. may be requested to furnish a complete answer to the question.

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(a) The number of aided Sanskrit colleges and schools and the teaching grant paid last year to these institutions is as follows:-

Colleges 12, Rs.12690

Schools 71, Rs.11510.

(b) I have no exact information as to how many of these institutions admit students of backward classes, Muhammadans and Christians, but the statistics for 1919-20 indicate that several schools admit Muhammadans and Christians. No special treatment is given to these institutions. I suggest as the answer that 'Government have no exact information but are advised that a number of schools admit Muhammadans and Christians. No special treatment is given.'

(c) The Secretariat will find the required information in G.O.No.233 Educational dated 9-3-12 and G.O.No.236 Education dated 2-3-15. 32 scholarships are tenable in Sanskrit colleges and 72 in Sanskrit schools.

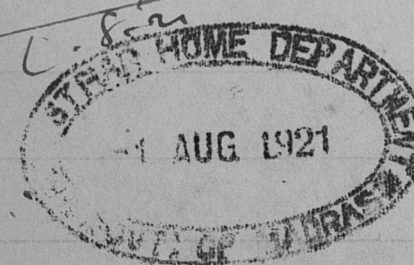
(d) There is no text-book written in Sanskrit on 'History of Sanskrit language and literature', though there are many books written in English on that subject. Difficulty is experienced in teaching that subject in such colleges as do not have English knowing teachers but where a graduate in Sanskrit is appointed no difficulty exists.

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The following draft answer is submitted :-

Draft answer.

(a) The number of aided Sanskrit colleges and schools and the teaching grant paid to them last year ^{were} ~~as~~ as follows :-

	no.	Teaching grant Rs.
colleges :	12	12,690
Schools :	71	11,570.

(b) Govt. have no exact information, but ^{the statistics for 1919-20 indicate} ~~are advised~~ that a number of schools admit Muhammadans and Christians, no special treatment is given to ~~these~~ institutions.

(c) 32 scholarships are tenable in Sanskrit colleges and 72 in Sanskrit schools. ^(Eight scholarships go) ~~The former~~ are awarded ^{every year} ~~in four years~~ for four years, ~~at the rate of 8 each year~~ ^(being) the monthly rate per pupil Rs. 7 for the first year, Rs. 8 for the second, Rs. 9 for the third and

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Sanskrit colleges in the Presidency.

471 Q.—MR. K. PRABHAKARAN TAMPAN: To ask the Hon'ble the Minister for Education to state—

(a) the number of aided Sanskrit colleges and schools in the Presidency and the teaching grant paid last year to these institutions;

(b) how many of these institutions admit students of the backward classes, Muhammadans and Christians; whether such institutions are given special treatment in respect of Government grants;

(c) what the number is and value of scholarships given to Sanskrit students; whether the Government propose to increase their number; and

(d) whether it is a fact that there are at present no text-books on the "History of Sanskrit Language and Literature" written in Sanskrit and that difficulty is experienced in teaching that subject; and whether the Government propose to take steps to remedy this defect.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

[1st September 1921

A.—(a) The number of aided Sanskrit colleges and schools and the teaching grant paid to them last year were as follows:—

		No.	Teaching grant, RS.
Colleges	...	12	12,690
Schools	...	71	11,510

(b) Government have no exact information, but the statistics for 1920-21 indicate that a number of schools admit Muhammadans and Christians. No special treatment is given.

(c) Thirty-two scholarships are tenable in Sanskrit colleges and 72 in Sanskrit schools. Eight scholarships of the former are awarded every year for four years, the monthly rate per pupil being Rs. 7 for the first year, Rs. 8 for the second, Rs. 9 for the third and Rs. 10 for the fourth. Of the 72 scholarships for Sanskrit schools, 12 scholarships are allotted in each of the six classes of the monthly value of Rs. 2 in the three lower classes and Rs. 3 in the next three higher classes.

There is at present no proposal to increase the number of these scholarships.

(d) There is at present no text-book written in Sanskrit on 'History of Sanskrit Language and Literature'. Difficulty is experienced in teaching that subject in such colleges as do not have English-knowing teachers, but where a graduate in Sanskrit is appointed no difficulty exists.

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