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LAW (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 1885, 31st October 1925

Committee—Text Book—Report for quinquennium ending 31st March 1925—Recorded.

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Sir,

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R. C. Grieve
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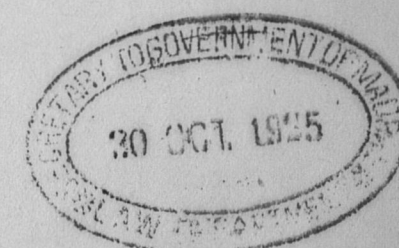
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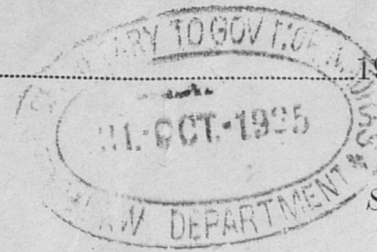


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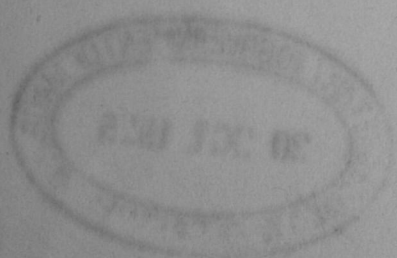
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(2) Though the reconstitution of the committee was ordered in April 1923, yet effect could not be given to it until the 1st March 1924, owing to the fact that elections to the newly created District Secondary Education Boards had not been completed and that the Boards had not therefore been fully constituted. The members, elected as well as nominated, of the reconstituted committee are shown in Appendix III and the changes that took place since the 1st March 1924 are exhibited in Appendix IV. The distribution of the members among the various sub-committees as it stood on the 31st March 1925 is shown in Appendix V.

5. During the quinquennium ten meetings of the committee, eight of the old and two of the reconstituted one were held on the following dates:-

1st	13th October	1920
	9th March	1921
	12th October	1921
	8th March	1922
	11th October	1922
	14th March	1923
	24th October	1923
	27th February	1924
	29th October	1924
	11th March	1925.

6. (1) A comparative statement showing the number of books in the several languages considered by the committee during the quinquennium under review and the preceding one is given in Appendix VI. It will be seen therefrom that the number of books considered by the committee was 2,667/

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against 3,109 in the quinquennium proceeding. The decline in the number of books considered was shared by all the languages except Tamil and Sanskrit and was due to the fact that authors and publishers were less prone to send to the committee unsuitable books owing to the strict scrutiny exercised by it. This is borne out by the smaller number declared unsuitable during the quinquennium which works out at 10% of the number considered against 19% in the previous quinquennium.

(2) For the reasons mentioned in para 5 (ii) of the previous report, the function of advising the Educational department as to the steps to be taken for the preparation and publication of new text-books when necessary, remained in abeyance.

7. With reference to Rule 5 of the Rules relating to the Text book Committee, the following resolutions were passed by the committee at its meeting held on the 11th March 1925:-

(1) that books approved for school use more than 10 years ago in respect of Elementary schools and prior to 1911 of Secondary schools be re-examined and reported on by the sub-committees concerned.

(a) as to their suitability for use at present, and
(b) as to which of the books are out of print or out of use;

(2) that District Educational Officers and Inspectresses of schools be consulted as to the suitability of books used in schools and as to representations made to them by Heads of Institutions about such books; and

(3) that the Secretary get information from publishers as to what books are out of print.

It was further resolved that books approved for teachers and libraries be not re-examined.

Steps have been taken to give effect to the above resolutions and the consolidated list will be published

published as soon as it is ready.

8. At its meeting held on the 27th February 1924, the old Committee placed on record its appreciation of the valuable services rendered by the Secretaries, the Rev.W.Meston and Mr.F.W.Henderson, and expressed its thanks to them for the same. At the close of the meeting, the President thanked the members of the committee for the assistance rendered by them.

9. From the 1st November 1923, the clerical work connected with the Text Book Committee is being done in the Office of the Commissioner for Government Examinations. No additional establishment has however been given to that office for this purpose. I am glad to state that the members of the staff have heartily co-operated with me in doing this additional work satisfactorily.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

R. Krishna Rao Shroff

Secretary to the Text-Book Committee.

APPENDIX. I.

Shows the distribution of Members among the various Sub-Committees as it stood on the 1st April 1920.

Language and Subject.	Members.
English.	The Rev. W. Meston (Chairman). Mr. H. Champion. The Rev. Father Quinn, S.J. Mr. J. A. Yates. Miss Myers. Mr. F.W. Henderson. M.R.Ry. S.E. Ranganathan Avargal. ,, T.V. Sivakumara Sastriar Avargal.
History and Geography.	Mr. H. Champion (Chairman). ,, J.A. Yates. The Rev. Father Quinn, S.J. The Rev. W. Meston. M.R.Ry. T.S. Subrahmanya Ayyar Avargal. ,, S. Lakshmana Ayyar Avargal. Miss Alice Sergeant.
Mathematics.	M.R.Ry. P.V. Seshu Ayyar Avargal (Chairman). ,, K. Chinnatambi Pillai Avargal. ,, T.K. Venkatarama Ayyar Avargal. ,, K.R. Ramaswami Ayyangar Avargal.
Physical and Natural Science.	M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur K. Ramunni Menon Avargal (Chairman). ,, M.O. Parthasarathi Ayyangar Avargal. ,, Y. Narasimham Garu. ,, M.C.S. Anantapadmanabha Rao Avargal.
Commercial Subjects.	M.R.Ry. M.K. Dandekar Avargal (Chairman). ,, L.T. Anantanarayana Sastriar Avargal.
Kindergarten and Drawing.	Mrs. Drysdale (Chairman). Miss C. Gordon. Mr. C.R. Porrett.
Tamil.	M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur A.C. Pranatartihara Ayyar Avargal (Chairman). ,, T. Chelvakesavaraya Mudaliar Avargal. ,, S. Anavaratavinayakam Pillai Avargal. ,, Diwan Bahadur S. Bavanandam Pillai Avargal.
Telugu.	M.R.Ry. V. Narasimharayudu Garu (Chairman). ,, B. Seshagiri Rao Garu. ,, V. Sayanna Sastri Garu.
Kanarese.	M.R.Ry. A. Rama Rao Avargal (Chairman). ,, S. Subba Rao Avargal.
Malayalam.	M.R.Ry. P. Shankunni Avargal (Chairman). ,, J. Muliylil Avargal.
Sanskrit.	M.R.Ry. S. Kuppaswami Sastriar Avargal (Chairman). ,, S. Subba Rao Avargal.
Oriya.	Sriman B. Sivaram Ratho Mahasayo (Chairman). ,, S. Gantayat Mahasayo.

Language and
Subject.

Members.

Hindustani.

Muhammad Abdur Rahim Sahib Bahadur (Chairman)
Muhammad Naimur Rahman Sahib Bahadur.

Latin and ~~French~~
Greek.

The Rev. W. Meston (Chairman).
The Rev. Father Quinn, S.J.
Miss. Myers.

French and German.

Mr. H. Champion (Chairman).
The Rev. Father Quinn, S.J.
Miss Alice Sergeant.

Appendix II

Shows the changes that took place in the personnel of the Committee and
Sub-committees since the 1st April 1920.

(a) - Committee.

No.	Member vacating.	Member appointed.	No. and date of the Proceedings of the D.P. Instruction.
1.	Mr. H. Champion, (vacated his seat under Rule 3 of the Rules for the T.B.C. Committee)	Mr. R.G. Grieve.	R.C.No. 153/20 13-5-1920.
2.	The Rev. W. Meston, (leave for six months.)	Mr. H.C. Papworth.	Dis.No. 3823/20 26-5-1920.
3.	Mr. R.G. Grieve, (appointed acting Director of Public Instruction.)	Mr. R.M. Statham.	Dis.No. 6198/20 10-9-1920.
4.	Mr. J.A. Yates, (vacated his seat under Rule 3 of the Rules for the T.B.C. Committee)	Mr. W.C. Douglas.	Dis.No. 7500/20 10-11-1920.
5.	Mr. H.C. Papworth,	The Rev. W. Meston (re-joined.)	R.C.No. 1063/21 16-2-1921.
6.	Mr. W.C. Douglas, (resigned.)	Mr. R. W. Ross.	R.C.No. 1063/21 23-2-1921.
7.	M.R.Ry. T. Chelvakesavaraya Mudaliar Avargal, (deceased).	M.R.Ry. T. Bhaktavatsalam Avargal.	Dis.No. 668/22 2-2-1922.
8.	M.R.Ry. T.S. Subrahmanya Ayyar Avargal, (resigned.)	M.R.Ry. T. Rajagopal Rao Avargal.	R.C.No. 877E/22 12-7-1922.
9.	Mr. F.W. Henderson, (away from India on furlough.)	Mr. W.C. Douglas.	R.C.No. 2444E/22 24-4-1923.
10.	Mrs. Henderson, (away from India on furlough.)	Miss Irene H. Lowe.	Do.

(b) - Sub-committees.

No.	Name of Member	Sub-committee assigned	Number and date of the Proceedings of the Director of Public Instruction.
1.	M.R.Ry.Y.Narasimham Garu	to serve also on the Telugu Sub-committee.	R. C. No.153/20 6-5-1920.
2.	M.R.Ry.T.S.Subrahmanya Ayyar Avargal	to serve also on the Tamil Sub-committee.	- - - Do - - -
3.	„ S.Lakshmana Ayyar Avargal.		
4.	„ K.R.Ramaswami Ayyangar Avargal.		
5.	„ M.C. Anantapadma-naba Rao Avargal.		
6.	Mr.R.G.Grieve	to serve as Chairman of the History and Geography and French and German Sub-committees and as a member of the English Sub-committee.	R. C. No.153/20 13-5-1920.
7.	Mr.H.C.Papworth.	to serve as a member of the English and Latin and Greek Sub-committees.	Dis No.3823/20 26-5-1920.
8.	Mr.F.W.Henderson.	to serve as chairman of the English Sub-committee.	
9.	The Rev. Father Quinn, S.J.	to serve as chairman of the Latin and Greek Sub-committee.	
10.	Mr.R. M. Statham.	to serve as chairman of the History and Geography and French and German Sub-committees and as a member of the English Sub-committee.	Dis 6198/20 10-9-1920.

No.	Name of member.	Sub-committee assigned.	Number and date of the Director of Public Instruction.
11.	Mr.W.C.Douglas.	to serve as a member of the English and History and Geography Sub-committees	Dis No.7500/20 10-11-1920
12.	The Rev. W.Meston.	to serve as a member of the English and Latin and Greek Sub-committees.	R. C. No.1063/21 16-2-1921
13.	Mr. R. W. Ross.	to serve as Chairman of the Telugu Sub-committee and a member of the English Sub-committee.	R. C. No.1063/21 23-2-1921
14.	M.R.Ry.T.Bhaktavatsalam Avargal.	to serve as a member of the Tamil Sub-committee.	Dis No.668/22 2-2-1922
15.	The Rev. Father Quinn, S.J.	to serve as Chairman of the French and German Sub-committee.	- - - Do - - -
16.	^{Mr. R. Ry.} Mr.T.Rajagopala Rao Avargal Garu	to serve as a member of the Telugu Sub-committee.	R. C. No.877 E/22 12-7-1922.
17.	The Rev. W. Meston.	to serve as Chairman of the English Sub-committee.	- - - Do - - -
18.	Mr. W. C. Douglas.	to serve as a member of the English Sub-committee.	R. C. No.2444 E/22 24-4-1923.
19.	Miss Irene H. Lowe.	to serve as a member of the History and Geography and French and German Sub-committees.	

APPENDIX II

Shows the names of the elected and nominated Members of the re-constituted Committee.

No.	Name.	Districts represented.
<u>Elected Members.</u>		
1.	M.R.Ry., T.V.Jagannatha Rao Garu ✓	Ganjam
2.	" V.Narasimharayudu Garu ✓	Vizagapatam
3.	" G.Jagannathaswami Garu ✓	Godavari
4.	" D.C.Pattabhiramayya Garu ✓	Kistna
5.	" M.P.Mariadoss Pillai Avargal ✓	South Arcot
6.	" V.Mahadeva Ayyar Avargal ✓	Tanjore
7.	" L.R.Natesa Ayyar Avargal ✓	Trichinopoly.
8.	" C.Ponnuswami Nayudu Garu ✓	Madura
9.	" C.Narayanaswami Ayyar Avargal ✓	Ramnad
10.	" V.R.Harihara Ayyar Avargal ✓	Tinnevely
11.	" P.J.Devasahayam Avargal ✓	Coimbatore
12.	" P.Sundaram Avargal ✓	Salem
13.	" K.T.Chandu Nambiyar Avargal ✓	Malabar
14.	" Amembal Srinivasa Pai Avargal ✓	South Kanara
15.	" M.Subramanyam Pantulu Garu ✓	Guntur and Nellore.
16.	" Diwan Bahadur M.Gopalaswami Mudaliyar Avargal.	Bellary and Anantapur.
17.	" G.Gurubatham Avargal ✓	Kurnool and Cuddapah.
18.	Mr.Thomas Harris. ✓	North Arcot and Chittoor.

Nominated Members.

1. The Rev.W.Meston
2. M.R.Ry., S.E.Ranganathan Avargal
3. Mr.R.G.Grieve
4. M.R.Ry., K.Chinnatambi Pillai Avargal
5. " T.K.Venkatarama Ayyar Avargal
6. " T.Ekambaram Garu
7. " M.C.S.Anantapadmanabha Rao Avargal
8. " M.K.Dandekar Avargal
9. " L.T.Anantanarayana Sastriar Avargal.
10. Mr.C.R.Porrett
11. Miss C.Gordon
12. M.R.Ry., C.R.Namasivaya Mudaliar Avargal
13. " T.Rajagopala Rao Garu
14. Srimati G.Parukutti Amma
15. M.R.Ry., S.Kuppuswami Sastriar Avargal
16. Sriman B.Sivaram Ratho Mahasayo
17. Muhammad Naimur Rahman Sahib Bahadur.
18. Khaja Khan Sahib Bahadur, Khan Sahib.
19. Sriman Madhusudana Panigrahi Mahasayo
20. M.R.Ry., Diwan Bahadur S.Bavanandam Pillai Avargal
21. " Vidwan R.Raghava Ayyangar Avargal
22. " P.L.Narasimha Rao Pantulu Garu.

APPENDIX IV.

Shows the changes that took place in the personnel of the Committee since the 1st March 1924.

Member vacating.	Member appointed.	Number and date of the order of Government sanctioning the appointment in the case of nominated members.
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1. M.R.Ry., M. Subrahmanyam Pantulu Garu (transferred to Godavari District).	M.R.Ry., V.C. Srinivasacharya Avargal (Elected)	
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2. The Rev. W. Meston, (on leave)	Mr. F. W. Henderson (Nominated).	G.O.No. 1609 Law (Edn) 18-10-1924.
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3. M.R.Ry., P. Sundaram Avargal (deceased).	Mr. S. A. Steele (Elected)	
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4. M.R.Ry., C. Narayana-swami Ayyar Avargal (deceased).	M.R.Ry., C. S. Sundaram Ayyar Avargal (Elected)	
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5. Muhammad Naimur Rahman Sahib Bahadur (resigned)	Muhammad Abdul Huq Sahib Bahadur (Nominated)	G.O.No. 301 Law (Edn) 27-2-1925
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6. Mr. R. G. Grieve (Appointed Acting Director of Public Instruction).	M.R.Ry., I. Kanakachalam Pantulu Garu (Nominated).	- do -
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Appendix V.

Shows the distribution of members among the various Sub-Committees as it stood on the 31st March 1925.

Language and Subject.	Members.
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English.

The Rev. W. Meston (Chairman).
M.R.Ry. S. E. Ranganathan Avargal.
" C. Ponnuswami Naidu Garu.
" I. Kanakachalam Pantulu Garu.
Mr. Thomas Harris.
M.R.Ry. Diwan Bahadur M. Gopalaswami Mudaliar Avargal.
" V. R. Harihara Ayyar Avargal.
" V. Mahadeva Ayyar Avargal.
" G. Gurubatham Avargal.
Sriman Madhusudana Panigrahi Mahasayo.
M.R.Ry. P. J. Devasahayam Avargal.
Mr. S. A. Steele.

History and Geography.

The Rev. W. Meston (Chairman).
M.R.Ry. V. Mahadeva Ayyar Avargal.
" C. S. Sundaram Ayyar Avargal.
" L. R. Natesa Ayyar Avargal.
" K. T. Chandu Nambiar Avargal.

Mathematics.

M.R.Ry. K. Chinnatambi Pillai Ayyar (Chairman).
" T. K. Venkatarama Ayyar Avargal.
" D. C. Pattabhiramayya Garu.
" T. V. Jagannatha Rao Garu.
Mr. S. A. Steele.

Physical & Natural Science.

M.R.Ry. M. C. S. Anantapadmanabha Rao Ayyar (Chairman).
" T. Ekambaram Ayyar Garu.
Srimati G. Parukutti Amma.
Mr. Thomas Harris.
M.R.Ry. P. J. Devasahayam Avargal.
" M. P. Mariadoss Pillai Avargal.
" V. Narasimharayudu Garu.
" Amembal Srinivasa Pai Avargal.

Commercial Subjects.

M.R.Ry. M. K. Dandeker Avargal (Chairman).
" L. T. Anantanarayana Sastriar Avargal.

Drawing and Kindergarten.

Mr. C. R. Porrett (Chairman).
Miss C. Gordon.

T a m i l .

M.R.Ry. T. K. Venkatarama Ayyar Ayyar (Chairman).
" K. Chinnatambi Pillai Avargal.
" M. C. S. Anantapadmanabha Rao Avargal.
" C. S. Sundaram Ayyar Avargal.
" C. R. Namasivaya Mudaliar Avargal.
" C. Ponnuswami Naidu Garu.
" G. Gurubatham Avargal.
" L. R. Natesa Ayyar Avargal.
" V. R. Harihara Ayyar Avargal.
" M. P. Mariadoss Pillai Avargal.
" Diwan Bahadur Bhavanandan Pillai Avargal.
" Vidwan R. Raghava Ayyangar Avargal.

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Language and Subject.

Members.

T e l u g u.	{	M.R.Ry.V.Narasimharayudu Garu (Chairman).
		" T. Rajagopala Rao Avargal Garu.
		" T. Ekambaran Avargal Garu.
		" Diwan Bahadur M.Gopalaswami Mudaliar Avargal.
		" I.Kanakachalam Pantulu Garu.
		" D.C.Pattabhiramayya Garu.
K a n a r e s e.	{	M.R.Ry.T.V.Jagannadha Rao Garu.
		M.R.Ry. G. Jagannadhaswami Garu.
		" P. L. Narasimha Rao Pantulu Garu.
		M.R.Ry. Amemba Srinivasa Pai Av ^{aya} l. (Chairman).
		" Diwan Bahdur M.Gopalaswami Mudaliar Avargal.
		" M.C.S.Anantapadmanabha Rao Avargal.
M a l a y a l a m.	{	Srimati G. Parukutti Amma (Chairman).
		M.R.Ry. L.T.Anantanarayana Sastriar Avargal.
		" K.T.Chandu Nambiar Avargal.
O r i y a.	{	Sriman B. Sivara ^{ya} Ratho Mahasayo (Chairman).
		" Madhusudana Panigrahi Mahasayo.
S a n s k r i t.	{	M.R.Ry. S. Kuppaswami Sastriar Av ^{aya} l. (Chairman).
		" G. Jagannadhaswami Garu.
Urdu (Hindustani), Persian and Arabic.	{	Khaja Khan Sahib Bahadur, Khan Sahib (Chairman).
		Muhammad Abdul Huq Sahib Bahadur.
Latin, Greek and French.	{	The Rev. W. Meston (Chairman).
		Mr. S. A. S t e e l e:

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Appendix VI.

Compares the number of books in the several languages considered during the quinquennium under review and the preceding one.

Language.	Number of books submitted.		Suitable for School use.		Suitable for Teachers or Libraries.		Unsuitable.	
	1915-20	1920-25	1915-20	1920-25	1915-20	1920-25	1915-20	1920-25
English.	1,272	865	735	581	320	195	217	89
Tamil.	618	711	263	467	310	192	45	52
Telugu.	651	569	316	288	168	224	167	57
Kanarese.	112	103	64	55	37	44	11	4
Malayalam.	213	209	29	112	75	64	109	33
Oriya.	-	51	-	21	-	20	-	10
Urdu, Arabic & Persian.	165	99	102	56	27	22	36	21
Sanskrit.	44	48	23	40	12	7	9	1
Latin and Greek.	3	1	3	1	-	-	-	-
French and German.	31	11	31	6	-	-	-	5
Total	3,109	2,667	1,566	1,627	949	768	594	272

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PRESS.

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