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QUESTION.—No. 561

for the meeting of the Legislative

Council to be held on the in March 1925.

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the

Law (Education) Department.

The Question has been admitted.



D.O. No. , dated

To

The Law (Education) Department.

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Stated Question.

Muhammad Ghous Khan Sahib:-

THE LAW (Education) DEPARTMENT.

561. Will the hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state:-

(a) when the Muhammadan Educational Association of Trichinopoly first proposed to hand over the management of the Islamiyah Secondary School to the Government;

(b) whether the Government took charge of the control and management of the school as early as 1919; and

whether the school was legally transferred to the Government in 1923;

(c) why the Government have not till ~~now~~ made the school permanent;

(d) whether ~~this~~ a similar institution started in Vellore in the year 1919 was made permanent and was raised to the status of a High School;

(e) whether the Government undertook in 1917 and in 1925 to raise the institution to the status of a High School immediately after the question of its legal transformation was complete; and

to put up a pucca building for its location;

(g) whether it is a fact that every year since 1919 the Government are spending Rs. 100 /- to Rs. 300/- towards the repairing of the shed under which classes

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f) why they have not carried out the undertakings;

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have been held since then;

(g) why they have not carried out these undertakings;

(h) whether it is not a fact that the district Collector of Trichinopoly once asked the Deputy Superintendent of Police to inspect the school; if so, the result of the inspection?

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Clause (a) of the question.

The consent of the Muhammadan Educational Association to transfer the Islamia Secondary School to Government management was first conveyed in the Correspondent's letter dated 19th March 1916 - vide G.O. No. 743 Educational, dated 6th July 1916.

2. Clause (b).

The Government approved the proposal to take the school under departmental management in G.O. No. 848 Home (Education), dated 5th July 1919. The draft deed relating to the legal transfer of the school properties to Government was approved in G.O. No. 883 (Law) dated 23rd June 1923.

In October 1924 the D.P.I. reported that the transfer of the properties of the school to Govt. had been effected.

3. Clause (c).

In October 1924 when the D.P.I. asked for sanction to the retention of the school on a temporary basis till the end of June 1926, he stated that the question of the permanent retention of the school would be considered when the strength improved. The present strength of the school which is 110 does not justify the permanent retention of the school.

4. Clause (d).

An incomplete secondary school for Muhammedans was opened at Vellore from the 1st January 1916. The school has been subsequently raised to the high school grades *made permanent*.

5. Clauses (e) and (f).

No such undertaking as that referred to in the question was given by Government. In 1919 the D.P.I., however, *promised* that steps would be taken to open the fourth form of the school from July 1920. In the deed of transfer it is stated "that the institution should be raised to a high school when circumstances appear favourable in the near future."

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6. Clauses (g) and (h). No information is

~~The D.P.I. may be consulted in regard to these clauses.~~ available.

~~7. The file may be sent to the D.P.I. with reference to paragraphs 2 and 6 above.~~

7. The draft answer submitted below is for approval.

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The following draft answer is for approval:-

(a) In 1916.

(b) The answer to the first part of the clause is in the affirmative. In October 1924 the D.P.I. reported that the transfer of the properties of the school to Government had been effected.

(c) The question of the permanent retention of the school will be considered when the strength of the school improves.

(d) Yes.

(e) No. According to the terms of transfer of management of the school the institution ^{would be} ~~should be~~ raised to the status of a high school ^{as soon} ~~when~~ circumstances appeared favourable ~~in~~ ~~transmission~~.

(f) Does not arise.

(g) & (h) The Government have no information.

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* 388 Q.—MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB: Will the hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state—

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(h) whether it is not a fact that the District Collector of Trichinopoly once asked the Deputy Superintendent of Police to inspect the school; if so, the result of the inspection?

A.—(a) In 1916.

(b) The answer to the first part of the clause is in the affirmative. In October 1924 the Director of Public Instruction reported that the transfer of the properties of the school to Government had been effected.

(c) The question of the permanent retention of the school will be considered when the strength of the school improves.

(d) Yes.

(e) No. According to the terms of transfer of management of the school the institution was to be raised to the status of a high school as soon as circumstances appeared favourable.

(f) Does not arise.

(g) & (h) The Government have no information.

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"In answer to clause (b), it is stated that in October 1924 the Director of Public Instruction reported that the transfer of the properties of the school to Government had been effected, carefully avoiding to give the date of the document of transfer. May I ask the hon. the Minister to be pleased to give the date of the document conveying the transfer of property from the management to the Government?"

The hon. the PRESIDENT:—"Did the hon. Member ask in his original question for the date of the transfer?"

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"Yes, Sir."

The hon. the PRESIDENT:—"In what part of the question?"

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"In clause (b), I have asked whether the Government took charge of the control and management of the school . . . and whether the school . . ."

The hon. the PRESIDENT:—"In both the cases it is 'whether' and not 'when'."

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"In the second part of clause (b) I have asked whether the school was legally transferred . . ."

The hon. the PRESIDENT:—"Did the hon. Member ask in his original question when the school was transferred? I put this question because the hon. Member said that Government carefully omitted to answer it. It does not appear to me that the question was ever asked."

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"The answer to the question says that the Director of Public Instruction reported in October that the transfer had been made. The actual transfer did not take place in 1924 but in 1923 in the month of September or October. I want to know the actual date."

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—"The actual transfer might have been made earlier; but the fact was reported to Government in October 1924."

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"With reference to the answer to clause (c), may I ask the hon. the Minister whether he has ascertained the strength of the school?"

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—"If the hon. Member wants the information I shall call for a report with regard to the strength of the school."

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"Is there any minimum strength prescribed on the basis of which alone the school can be made permanent?"

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—"I believe there are certain rules in connexion with that."

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"For the information of the hon. the Minister I may say that the school has at present 120 students. Under the circumstances, have the Government any intention of opening the high school classes at once?"

[5th March 1925]

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—"If the strength of the school is 120 and if there is a demand for it, certainly the question will be examined further."

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"Are not Government in possession of some information collected by the District Superintendent of Police at the instance of the District Collector?"

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—"No information is available."

MR. MUHAMMAD GHOUSE MIAN SAHIB:—"Will Government be pleased to at least call for a report from the District Collector or the District Superintendent of Police?"

The above was the final

for on the question and answer. The D.P. has been separately asked to submit the report for the opening of the high school in the school.

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