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Library.—The revision of the library catalogue was taken up during the Summer recess of 1925 and the manuscript copy was completed at the end of the Mid-Summer holidays of this academic year. This work and the careful revision of proofs took much of the time of the Librarian and his staff and for this reason and on account of certain rearrangements it was not possible to have the annual stock-taking of the books in the library at the usual time. This however will be taken on hand immediately after the Law Examinations this year when the books are to be finally rearranged according to their order in the new catalogue.

The number of volumes added to the library during the year under report was 244 and so the total number on 31st March 1926 was 9,262.

As already mentioned in the annual report for 1924-25 all the available space in the various sections of the library under the arrangements then in use had been fully utilised. Mr. S. R. Ranganathan, the University Librarian, has however very kindly paid a visit to the college and made various suggestions for the better utilization of the space available. In accordance with these it looks as if sufficient further accommodation to make room for the probable increase of the library during the next ten years can be made with very little inconvenience to students and at a comparatively inconsiderable cost. Proposals for this purpose are now being considered and are already the subject of correspondence with you.

The following table gives an abstract of the records as to the use of books in the various sections of the library and reading room :—

	Consulting.		Lending.		Class.		Reading-room.	
	1925-26.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1924-25.
Students	15,303	15,429	390	735	11,405	12,835	4,296	7,758
Staff	2,075	2,176	63	25	66	22	18	97
Total	17,378	17,605	453	760	11,471	12,857	4,484	7,855

Financial statement.—A financial statement of receipts and charges during 1925-26 is given in appendix E.

Lectures and Classes.—On account of the strength of the F.L. and B.L. classes, each of them was held in two sections this year also. The Pleadership class had separate lectures in all subjects except Hindu Law. An experiment in tutorial classes was made during the first two terms of the academic year. The B.L. class consisting of 320 students was divided into sixteen groups of twenty students each and to eight of the twelve Assistant Lecturers were allotted two each of these groups at fixed times in the weekly time-table. Attendance at these group classes was voluntary, and a variety of choice was given to the lecturers in charge as to the matters dealt with at their group meetings and the method in which they were conducted. I merely threw out suggestions as to what might be done—moot classes in which new cases could be argued, analysis of leading cases, general discussions on points of law, debates, essay writing, students presenting their doubts and difficulties before the tutor, a meeting or two in the Library, tracing the history of the leading Law Reports, and Journals, English, Indian and American and explaining the references to them in the text books. The general idea was that students should do most of the talking and the Tutor should mainly be a guide. I regret to say that on the whole the experiment proved a failure. When the meetings took the form of lectures, they were fairly well attended, but then they differed little save in name from the ordinary class lectures. As a rule students could not discuss or undertake the preparation necessary, e.g., for Moot, class work. There is no doubt that for the general wide interest in legal topics necessary for the success of such classes, a greater sense of leisure than the Law student can afford is required. The examination is the one important goal of his effort and the average student has not the energy to dissipate on extra work that is not going to help directly to that end. In the last term of the year classes in which the lecturers went through the question papers of recent years and showed what kind of answers to them were expected were far more popular and indeed were on the whole largely attended.

The Madras University Students Club situated near the college attracted many students of this college as usual. The following table shows the number of resident and non-resident members from the Law College :—

	Resident.	Non-resident.
Brahmans	52	18
Non-Brahmans	37	18
Total	89	36

Out of total membership of 192, one hundred and twenty-five are students of the Law College.

The Students' Representative Council with a large majority of elected members played the useful part that is always expected of it in the work of the college. The Moot Club held three meetings during the year and gave those students who took part in them as Counsel an opportunity to exercise their forensic talent. Messrs. S. Varadachariar, S. Venkatarama Ayyar and T. S. Venkatesa Ayyar respectively presided on these occasions.

The first issue of the College Magazine came out in January of this year and it is hoped that the next issue will appear by the end of next month.

I think I am bound to record with pleasure a growing sense of responsibility among those students who get elected to the Representative Council and its committees. It is no longer necessary for the Principal to take the initiative in all college activities. For example, the College Magazine came out without my knowing any of its contents and the only matter upon which I was consulted was the form of its cover and heading. The College Day was also organised entirely by the Representative Council members and a few others co-opted by them, and beyond giving my general approval to broad outlines I had nothing to do with the arrangements that were made. Similar remarks apply to the College Sports controlled by the Athletic Association and the Moot Club with its own special Committee.

The Athletic Association.—The Association had Mr. K. Pokker as General Secretary and was active during the year. Mr. K. Krishna Menon continued as Vice-President. The annual athletic fee of Rs. 4 was as usual collected from every student. The Tennis members paid Rs. 7 for the whole year. All the six tennis courts were made use of. Thus the Sub-Committee had the management of funds amounting to Rs. 4,980-0-9 including the Government grant of Rs. 798-11-0. The accounts of the Association were maintained by the head clerk under the direct supervision of the Vice-President.

The students of the college competed for various tournaments organized in the city and acquitted themselves creditably, especially in tennis and football. Owing to a mistake as to the time for entry the college was not entered for the tennis competition of the Madras Collegiate Athletic Association which have so frequently been won by it in previous years, but in football the college succeeded in taking the Wilson and Duncan cups.

Successful college sports were held on 20th February 1926, the Chief Justice very kindly presiding and Lady Coutts-Trotter giving away the prizes.

Some students of the college formed themselves into a Dramatic club and gave a public performance of 'Manohara' in aid of the Leprosy Relief Fund. The Kanara students of the college formed themselves into a college Karnatika Sabha which held three or four meetings during the year.

The University Training Corps.—The Law College "A" Company has once again been full of activity and done very useful work. Applicants for enlistment increase each year and far exceed the number that can be enrolled. Excellent training is to be found for recruits in the drill they learn, and for the N.C.O.'s in the teaching of it. The Company performed useful services at the recent Scout Jambooree and the Naval and Military Tournament, and some of its members distinguished themselves in the athletic sports held in connexion with the latter. The cancellation of the Annual Camp this year has been a cause of grief, as "A" company was looking forward to proving its efficiency there in every direction.

The Law College Day.—The College Day was celebrated this year on the 6th February 1926 under the distinguished presidency of Sir B. N. Sarma. The function was a great success, perhaps indeed one of the most successful the college has so far had, and if this may be ascribed to any one cause, it would be that to which I have already referred, viz., that the detailed arrangements were entirely in the hands of the students themselves. After refreshments, the Principal welcomed the President and spoke of some of the ideals for which the college stood and the problems with which it was faced. Sir B. N. Sarma took a wider outlook in a speech that appeared next day in the Madras daily papers. Mr. K. Pokker, the General Secretary of the Association, said a few words regarding the athletic activities of the

college. Sir B. N. Sarma then presented the T. Rajagopalachariar Jurisprudence prize to C. Nagarajan and the President of the Students' Representative Council thanked Sir B. N. Sarma for presiding and the guests for their presence.

Finally a farce called "Advice Gratis" was acted by students and the meeting came to an end about 8 o'clock.

Lectures on topics of general interest.—The college was fortunate in obtaining a number of outside speakers to address them on various topics during the academic year. Mr. Brooke Elliot spoke on Evidence. Mr. Maung Maung Ji, a recent student in England, spoke on his experiences there and on the League of Youth. Mr. Bepin Chandra Pal advised caution and circumspection in political action to young men in a hurry. Mr. Donald Grant told of the relief work done in Central Europe and the Near East after the War, especially among students. Miss Spauld spoke on the League of Nations. Mr. Edmund Harvey, Ex-Member of Parliament, spoke twice, once on the League, and the second time on the House of Commons in its relation to India. Mr. F. S. Marvin also spoke on the League. The last lecture in point of time was on 'Patriotism' by Mr. Jesse Holmes of Swarthmore College, Philadelphia, to a united meeting of Law College and Pachaiyappa students in the hall of the latter college, which was crammed to its utmost limits of perhaps 1,200. The college does not allow speakers to go away without showing its interest by asking questions. No outsiders are allowed at meetings and no newspaper reporters. And consequently speakers and listeners alike have the greatest possible degree of freedom for discussions. The subjects taken are not necessarily connected with Law, nor even with any strictly academic subject, but it is felt that perhaps the best part of the college's educational work is to be found at these gatherings, where matters of burning interest, though often of a highly controversial character, can be discussed in an atmosphere of calm impartial good humour.

In conclusion, I have to thank my staff and establishment for their hearty co-operation in making the work of the College a success.

APPENDIX A.

Class of community.	M.L. class.	B.L. class.	F.L. class.	Pleadership class	Total for 1925-26.	Total for 1924-25.
Europeans or Eurasians	..	..	1	..	1	..
Indian Christians	..	6	12	..	18	22
Muhammadans	..	3	6	..	9	11
Hindus { Brahmans	9	240	284	99	632	672
{ Non-Brahmans	2	69	116	15	202	187
Total	11	318	419	114	862	892

APPENDIX B-1.

Distribution of students according to occupation of parents or guardians.

Class.	Officials.	Petty Officials.	Land holders.	Traders.	Others.	Total.
M.L.	3	..	7	..	1	11
B.L.	76	..	185	9	48	318
F.L.	120	6	201	26	66	419
Pleadership	38	..	59	4	13	114
Total for 1925-26	237	6	452	39	128	862
Total for 1924-25	347	9	466	50	20	892

APPENDIX B-2.

Distribution of students according to the financial status of their parents or guardians.

Class.	Richer class.	Middle class.	Poorer class.	Total.
M.L.	4	7	..	11
B.L.	27	282	9	318
F.L.	35	350	34	419
Pleadership	1	103	10	114
Total for 1925-26	67	742	53	862
Total for 1924-25	83	783	26	892

APPENDIX B-3.

Class.	Vaccinated.	Smallpox marks only.	Unprotected.	Total.
M.L.	11	..	..	11
B.L.	316	2	..	318
F.L.	394	25	..	419
Pleadership	169	5	..	174
Total for 1925-26	830	32	..	862
Total for 1924-25	855	37	..	892

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District.	M.L.	B.L.	F.L.	Pleader-ship.	Total for 1925-26.	Total for 1924-25.
Anantapur	..	..	6	..	6	9
Arcoot, North	..	16	15	4	35	39
Arcoot, South	1	9	10	1	21	34
Bangalore	..	3	4	..	7	8
Bellary	..	3	5	2	10	8
Chingleput	..	10	19	5	34	42
Chittoor	..	7	11	5	23	21
Coimbatore	..	11	25	..	36	44
Cochin	..	5	9	..	14	27
Coorg	..	..	1	..	1	1
Cuddapah	..	3	4	1	8	12
Ganjam	..	2	7	4	13	6
Godavari	..	19	34	12	65	42
Guntur	2	21	22	9	54	53
Kanara, South	..	13	12	..	25	26
Kistna	..	16	22	6	44	54
Kurnool	..	..	1	..	1	1
Madras	..	17	25	20	44	28
Madura	2	8	13	10	33	19
Malabar	..	28	29	10	67	71
Mysore	..	12	12	..	24	39
Nellore	..	5	9	3	17	16
Pudukotta	..	9	6	2	17	1
Ramnad	..	1	11	4	16	20
Salem	1	12	14	3	30	38
Tanjore	2	52	39	6	99	103
Tinnevely	..	8	27	8	45	32
Travancore	2	4	3	..	7	7
Trichinopoly	1	17	19	10	47	57
Vizagapatam	..	6	5	7	18	32
Gujarat	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bombay	..	1	..	..	1	..
Hyderabad	..	..	..	..	..	2
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Results of the B.L. degree examination—April 1922, October 1923 and April 1924 and 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College	244	213	87.3
	Other candidates	121	30	24.8
	Total	365	243	66.6
1923.	From Law College	218	198	90.8
	Other candidates	129	79	61.2
	Total	347	277	79.8
1924.	From Law College	296	225	76.0
	Other candidates	171	91	53.2
	Total	467	316	67.7
1925.	From Law College	342	283	82.7
	Other candidates	278	200	71.9
	Total	620	483	77.9

APPENDIX D-2.

Results of First examination in Law—October 1924 and April 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College	302	217	71.8
	Other candidates	151	88	58.3
	Total	453	305	67.3
1923.	From Law College	335	268	80.0
	Other candidates	203	127	62.6
	Total	538	395	73.4
1924.	From Law College	418	327	78.2
	Other candidates	296	160	54.0
	Total	714	487	68.2
1925.	From Law College	396	289	72.9
	Other candidates	170	88	51.7
	Total	566	377	66.6

APPENDIX D-3.

Results of the Pleaders' examination—April 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College	81	71	87.7
	Other candidates	14	6	42.9
	Total	95	77	81.1
1923.	From Law College	113	89	78.8
	Other candidates	10	5	50.0
	Total	123	94	76.4
1924.	From Law College	193	98	50.8
	Other candidates	36	12	33.3
	Total	229	110	48.0
1925.	From Law College	153	99	64.7
	Other candidates	110	63	57.3
	Total	263	162	61.6

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Financial statement of the receipts and charges of the Law College, Madras, during the year 1925-26.

Particulars.	RS.	A.	P.
Receipts—			
Ordinary fees including fines from students for late payment of fees.	1,42,613	11	6
Library fines from students.	37	6	0
Miscellaneous—			
Sale-proceeds of calendar and library catalogue	31	8	0
Total	1,42,682	9	6
Charges—			
Principal's salary	18,939	8	0
Special lecturers	14,999	11	0
Assistant lecturers	28,800	0	0
Establishment	4,139	7	0
Total	66,878	10	0
Contingencies—			
Petty works of construction	135	0	0
Books and maps	2,917	13	10
Electricity	368	8	3
Games	663	11	0
Purchase of furniture	98	8	0
Cleaning charges	516	0	0
Rents, rates and taxes	7,740	6	8
Pay of menials	144	0	0
Postage charges	50	0	0
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Europeans or Eurasians	..	..	1	..	1	..
Indian Christians	..	6	12	..	18	22
Muhammadans	..	3	6	..	9	11
Hindus { Brahmans	..	240	284	99	632	672
Non-Brahmans	2	69	116	15	202	187
Total	11	318	419	114	862	892

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Distribution of students according to occupation of parents or guardians.

Class.	Officials.	Petty Officials.	Land holders.	Traders.	Others.	Total.
M.L.	3	..	7	..	1	11
B.L.	76	..	185	9	48	318
F.L.	120	6	201	26	66	419
Pleadership	38	..	59	4	13	114
Total for 1925-26 ..	237	6	452	39	128	862
Total for 1924-25 ..	347	9	466	50	20	892

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Distribution of students according to the financial status of their parents or guardians.

Class.	Richer class.	Middle class.	Poorer class.	Total.
M.L.	4	7	..	11
B.L.	27	282	9	318
F.L.	35	350	34	419
Pleadership	1	103	10	114
Total for 1925-26	67	742	53	862
Total for 1924-25	83	783	26	892

APPENDIX B-3.

Class.	Vaccinated.	Smallpox marks only.	Unprotected.	Total.
M.L.	11	..	..	11
B.L.	316	2	..	318
F.L.	394	25	..	419
Pleadership	169	5	..	114
Total for 1925-26	830	32	..	862
Total for 1924-25	855	37	..	892

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District.	M.L.	B.L.	F.L.	Pleader-ship.	Total for 1925-26.	Total for 1924-25.
Anantapur	..	..	6	..	6	9
Arcoot, North	..	16	15	4	35	39
Arcoot, South	1	9	10	1	21	34
Bangalore	..	3	4	..	7	8
Bellary	..	3	5	2	10	8
Chingleput	..	10	19	5	34	42
Chittoor	..	7	11	5	23	21
Coimbatore	..	11	25	..	36	44
Cochin	..	5	9	..	14	27
Coorg	..	1	1	..	1	1
Cuddapah	..	3	4	1	8	12
Ganjam	..	2	7	4	13	6
Godavari	..	19	34	12	65	42
Guntur	2	21	22	9	54	53
Kanara, South	..	13	12	..	25	25
Kistna	..	16	22	6	44	54
Kurnool	..	1	1	..	1	1
Madras	..	17	25	20	44	28
Madura	2	8	13	10	33	19
Malabar	..	28	29	10	67	71
Mysore	..	12	12	..	24	39
Nellore	..	5	9	3	17	16
Pudukotta	..	2	6	2	10	1
Ramnad	..	1	11	4	16	20
Salem	1	12	14	3	30	38
Tanjore	..	52	39	6	99	103
Tinnevely	2	8	27	8	45	32
Travancore	..	4	3	..	7	7
Trichinopoly	1	17	19	10	47	57
Vizagapatam	..	6	5	7	18	32
Gujarat	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bombay	..	1	..	..	1	..
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Results of the B.L. degree examination—April 1922, October 1923 and April 1924 and 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College	244	213	87.3
	Other candidates	121	30	24.8
	Total	365	243	66.6
1923.	From Law College	218	198	90.8
	Other candidates	129	79	61.2
	Total	347	277	79.8
1924.	From Law College	296	225	76.0
	Other candidates	171	91	53.2
	Total	467	316	67.7
1925.	From Law College	342	283	82.7
	Other candidates	278	200	71.9
	Total	620	483	77.9

APPENDIX D-2.

Results of First examination in Law—October 1924 and April 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College	302	217	71.8
	Other candidates	151	88	58.3
	Total	453	305	67.3
1923.	From Law College	335	268	80.0
	Other candidates	203	127	62.6
	Total	538	395	73.4
1924.	From Law College	418	327	78.2
	Other candidates	296	160	54.0
	Total	714	487	68.2
1925.	From Law College	396	289	72.9
	Other candidates	170	88	51.7
	Total	566	377	66.6

APPENDIX D-3.

Results of the Pleaders' examination—April 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College ..	81	71	87.7
	Other candidates	14	6	42.9
	Total ..	95	77	81.1
1923.	From Law College ..	113	89	78.8
	Other candidates	10	5	50.0
	Total ..	123	94	76.4
1924.	From Law College ..	193	98	50.8
	Other candidates	36	12	33.3
	Total ..	229	110	48.0
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	Total ..	263	162	61

APPENDIX E.

Financial statement of the receipts and charges of the Law College, Madras during the year 1925-26.

Particulars.	RS.	A.	P.
Receipts—			
Ordinary fees including fines from students for late payment of fees.	1,42,613	11	6
Library fines from students	37	6	0
Miscellaneous—			
Sale-proceeds of calendar and library catalogue ..	31	8	0
Total ..	1,42,682	9	0
Charges—			
Principal's salary	18,939	8	0
Special lecturers	14,999	11	0
Assistant lecturers	28,800	0	0
Establishment	4,139	7	0
Total ..	66,878	10	0
Contingencies—			
Petty works of construction	135	0	0
Books and maps	2,917	13	10
Electricity	368	8	3
Games	663	11	0
Purchase of furniture	98	8	0
Cleaning charges	516	0	0
Rents, rates and taxes	7,740	6	8
Pay of menials	144	0	0
Postage charges	50	0	0
Telephone charges	78	12	0
Office expenses	750	0	0
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„ S. Doraiswami Ayyar	Law of Evidence.
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I think I am bound to record with pleasure a growing sense of responsibility among those students who get elected to the Representative Council and its committees. It is no longer necessary for the Principal to take the initiative in all college activities. For example, the College Magazine came out without my knowing any of its contents and the only matter upon which I was consulted was the form of its cover and heading. The College Day was also organised entirely by the Representative Council members and a few others co-opted by them, and beyond giving my general approval to broad outlines I had nothing to do with the arrangements that were made. Similar remarks apply to the College Sports controlled by the Athletic Association and the Moot Club with its own special Committee.

The Athletic Association.—The Association had Mr. K. Pokker as General Secretary and was active during the year. Mr. K. Krishna Menon continued as Vice-President. The annual athletic fee of Rs. 4 was as usual collected from every student. The Tennis members paid Rs. 7 for the whole year. All the six tennis courts were made use of. Thus the Sub-Committee had the management of funds amounting to Rs. 4,980-0-9 including the Government grant of Rs. 798-11-0. The accounts of the Association were maintained by the head clerk under the direct supervision of the Vice-President.

The students of the college competed for various tournaments organized in the city and acquitted themselves creditably, especially in tennis and football. Owing to a mistake as to the time for entry the college was not entered for the tennis competition of the Madras Collegiate Athletic Association which have so frequently been won by it in previous years, but in football the college succeeded in taking the Wilson and Duncan cups.

Successful college sports were held on 20-2-1926, the Chief Justice very kindly presiding and Lady Coutts-Trotter giving away the prizes.

Some students of the college formed themselves into a Dramatic club and gave a public performance of 'Manohara' in aid of the Leprosy Relief Fund. The Kanara students of the college formed themselves into a college Karnatika Sabha which held three or four meetings during the year.

The University Training Corps.—The Law College "A" Company has once again been full of activity and done very useful work. Applicants for enlistment increase each year and far exceed the number that can be enrolled. Excellent training is to be found for recruits in the drill they learn, and for the N.C.O.'s in the teaching of it. The Company performed useful services at the recent Scout Jamboree and the Naval and Military Tournament, and some of its members distinguished themselves in the athletic sports held in connexion with the latter. The cancellation of the Annual Camp this year has been a cause of grief, as "A" company was looking forward to proving its efficiency there in every direction.

The Law College Day.—The College Day was celebrated this year on the 6th February 1926 under the distinguished presidency of Sir B. N. Sarma. The function was a great success, perhaps indeed one of the most successful the college has so far had, and if this may be ascribed to any one cause, it would be that to which I have already referred, viz., that the detailed arrangements were entirely in the hands of the students themselves. After refreshments, the Principal welcomed the President and spoke of some of the ideals for which the college stood and the problems with which it was faced. Sir B. N. Sarma took a wider outlook in a speech that appeared next day in the Madras daily papers. Mr. K. Pokker, the General Secretary of the Association, said a few words regarding the athletic activities of the college. Sir B. N. Sarma then presented the T. Rajagopalachariar Jurisprudence prize to C. Nagarajan and the President of the Students' Representative Council thanked Sir B. N. Sarma for presiding and the guests for their presence.

Finally a farce called "Advice Gratis" was acted by students and the meeting came to an end about 8 o'clock.

Lectures on topics of general interest.—The college was fortunate in obtaining a number of outside speakers to address them on various topics during the academic year. Mr. Brooke Elliot spoke on Evidence. Mr. Maung Maung Ji, a recent student in England, spoke on his experiences there and on the League of Youth.

Mr. Bepin Chandra Pal advised caution and circumspection in political action to young men in a hurry. Mr. Donald Grant told of the relief work done in Central Europe and the Near East after the War, especially among students. Miss Spaul spoke on the League of Nations. Mr. Edmund Harvey, Ex-Member of Parliament, spoke twice, once on the League, and the second time on the House of Commons in its relation to India. Mr. F. S. Marvin also spoke on the League. The last lecture in point of time was on 'Patriotism' by Mr. Jesse Holmes of Swarthmore College, Philadelphia, to a united meeting of Law College and Pachaiyappa students in the hall of the latter college, which was crammed to its utmost limits of perhaps 1,200. The college does not allow speakers to go away without showing its interest by asking questions. No outsiders are allowed at meetings and no newspaper reporters. And consequently speakers and listeners alike have the greatest possible degree of freedom for discussions. The subjects taken are not necessarily connected with Law, nor even with any strictly academic subject, but it is felt that perhaps the best part of the college's educational work is to be found at these gatherings, where matters of burning interest, though often of a highly controversial character, can be discussed in an atmosphere of calm impartial good humour.

In conclusion, I have to thank my staff and establishment for their hearty co-operation in making the work of the College a success.

APPENDIX A.

Class of community.	M.L. class.	B.L. class.	F.L. class.	Pleadership class	Total for 1925-26.	Total for 1924-25.
Europeans or Eurasians	..	..	1	..	1	..
Indian Christians	..	6	12	..	18	22
Muhammadans	..	3	6	..	9	11
Hindus { Brahmans	9	240	284	99	632	672
{ Non-Brahmans	2	69	116	15	202	187
Total ..	11	318	419	114	882	892

APPENDIX B-1.

Distribution of students according to occupation of parents or guardians.

Class.	Officials.	Petty Officials.	Land holders.	Traders.	Others.	Total.
M.L.	3	..	7	..	1	11
B.L.	76	..	185	9	48	318
F.L.	120	6	201	26	66	419
Pleadership	38	..	59	4	13	114
Total for 1925-26 ..	237	6	452	39	128	862
Total for 1924-25 ..	347	9	466	50	20	892

APPENDIX B-2.

Distribution of students according to the financial status of their parents or guardians.

Class.	Richer class.	Middle class.	Poorer class.	Total.
M.L.	4	7	..	11
B.L.	27	282	9	318
F.L.	35	350	34	419
Pleadership	1	103	10	114
Total for 1925-26 ..	67	742	53	862
Total for 1924-25 ..	83	783	26	892

APPENDIX B-3.

Class.	Vaccinated.	Smallpox marks only.	Unprotected.	Total.
M.L.	11	..	..	11
B.L.	316	2	..	318
F.L.	394	25	..	419
Pleadership	169	5	..	174
Total for 1925-26 ..	890	32	..	922
Total for 1924-25 ..	855	37	..	892

APPENDIX C.

Distribution of students.

District.	M.L.	B.L.	F.L.	Pleader-ship.	Total for 1925-26.	Total for 1924-25.
Anantapur	..	..	6	..	6	9
Arcot, North	..	16	15	..	31	39
Arcot, South	1	9	10	1	21	34
Bangalore	..	3	4	..	7	8
Bellary	..	3	5	2	10	8
Chingleput	..	10	19	5	34	42
Chittoor	..	7	11	5	23	21
Coimbatore	..	11	25	..	36	44
Cochin	..	5	9	..	14	27
Coorg	..	1	1	..	2	1
Cuddapah	..	3	4	1	8	12
Ganjam	..	2	7	4	13	6
Godavari	..	19	34	12	65	42
Guntur	2	21	22	9	54	53
Kanara, South	..	13	12	..	25	25
Kistna	..	16	22	6	44	54
Kurnool	..	..	1	..	1	1
Madras	..	17	25	2	44	28
Madura	2	8	13	10	33	19
Malabar	..	28	29	10	67	71
Mysore	..	12	12	..	24	39
Nellore	..	5	9	3	17	16
Pudukotta	..	9	6	2	17	1
Ramnad	..	1	11	4	16	20
Salem	1	12	14	3	30	38
Tanjore	2	52	39	6	99	103
Tinnevely	2	8	27	8	45	32
Travancore	..	4	3	..	7	7
Trichinopoly	1	17	19	10	47	57
Vizagapatam	..	6	5	7	18	32
Gujarat	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bombay	..	1	..	..	1	..
Hyderabad	..	..	..	..	..	2
Total	11	318	419	114	862	892

APPENDIX D-1.

Results of the B.L. degree examination—April 1922, October 1923 and April 1924 and 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College ..	244	213	87.3
	Other candidates ..	121	30	24.8
	Total ..	365	243	66.6
1923.	From Law College ..	218	198	90.8
	Other candidates ..	129	79	61.2
	Total ..	347	277	79.8
1924.	From Law College ..	296	225	76.0
	Other candidates ..	171	91	53.2
	Total ..	467	316	67.7
1925.	From Law College ..	342	283	82.7
	Other candidates ..	278	200	71.9
	Total ..	620	483	77.9

APPENDIX D-2.

Results of First examination in Law—October 1924 and April 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College ..	302	217	71.8
	Other candidates ..	151	88	58.8
	Total ..	453	305	67.3
1923.	From Law College ..	335	268	80.0
	Other candidates ..	203	127	62.6
	Total ..	538	395	73.4
1924.	From Law College ..	418	327	78.2
	Other candidates ..	296	160	54.0
	Total ..	714	487	68.2
1925.	From Law College ..	396	289	72.9
	Other candidates ..	170	88	51.7
	Total ..	566	377	66.6

8-9 APPENDIX D-3.

Results of the Pleaders' examination—April 1925.

		Number of students examined.	Number of students passed.	Percentage.
1922.	From Law College ..	81	71	87.7
	Other candidates ..	14	6	42.9
	Total ..	95	77	81.1
1923.	From Law College ..	113	89	78.8
	Other candidates ..	10	5	50.0
	Total ..	123	94	76.4
1924.	From Law College ..	193	98	50.8
	Other candidates ..	36	12	33.3
	Total ..	229	110	48.0
1925.	From Law College ..	153	99	64.7
	Other candidates ..	110	63	57.3
	Total ..	263	162	61.6

APPENDIX E.

Financial statement of the receipts and charges of the Law College, Madras, during the year 1925-26.

Particulars.	RS.	A.	P.
Receipts—			
Ordinary fees including fines from students for late payment of fees.	1,42,613	11	6
Library fines from students ..	37	6	0
Miscellaneous—			
Sale-proceeds of calendar and library catalogue ..	31	8	0
Total ..	1,42,682	9	6
Charges—			
Principal's salary ..	18,939	8	0
Special lecturers ..	14,999	11	0
Assistant lecturers ..	28,800	0	0
Establishment ..	4,139	7	0
Total ..	66,878	10	0
Contingencies—			
Petty works of construction ..	135	0	0
Books and maps ..	2,917	13	10
Electricity ..	368	8	3
Games ..	663	11	0
Purchase of furniture ..	98	8	0
Cleaning charges ..	516	0	0
Rents, rates and taxes ..	7,740	6	8
Pay of menials ..	144	0	0
Postage charges ..	50	0	0
Telephone charges ..	78	12	0
Office expenses ..	750	0	0
Total ..	13,462	11	9

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