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UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.

No. 791

SENATE HOUSE, 23 JAN. 1926

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FROM

THE REGISTRAR,

University of Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Law (Education) Department,

Fort St. George, Madras.

Sir,

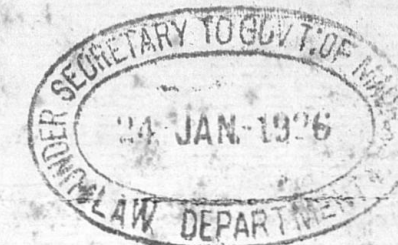
With reference to correspondence ending with this office letter No.10543 dated 16th October 1923 on the subject of encouragement of Historical Research in this Presidency, I have the honour, by direction, to inform you that the Syndicate approved of the resolution of the Academic Council recommending that the proposals for the appointment of a Professor of Historical Research and his training in Methods of Research in England be not accepted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

L. K. S. Registrar.



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C. 198 C. From the Registrar, University of Madras, No 791 of 23.1.26

Subject - Encouragement of historical research.

In a resolution passed at one of its meetings, held at Lahore in 1920, the Indian Historical Records Commission suggested certain methods by which officers in charge of records might best encourage research. Mr. H. Dodwell, the then Secretary of the Madras Record Office, whose remarks were included in the resolution suggested inter alia that the University might be asked to reserve one studentship a year for research work in the Record Office. The

Resn VII in p. 44 of the pamphlet (part of) Appendix B in Pt 11-12 of the pamphlet.

(3) in p. 23 of Govt No 1571 of 8.11.23 (D)

p. 5 - ibid.

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the Madras Com was in charge of the office.

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University accepted the suggestion. Before the suggestion was acted on, Mr. Dodwell went on leave and there was no officer in his place, who could guide the research students of ^{they} were selected. [Mr. Dodwell retired in 1924.] Consequently the suggestion was not acted upon.

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proposed ^{for the} institution of a research
scholarship for work in the
Record office was given up; and the
they were requested to consider
another suggestion made by Mr E.W. Green
the then Principal of the Muhammadan
College, Madras; viz, that the work of
historical research should be
conducted by a trained Research
Professor appointed by or associated
with the University and that, to this end,
a qualified candidate should be
deputed to England to study the
methods of historical research,
~~was~~ ~~remitted~~ ~~to the University.~~

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² The University accepted the
principle underlying Mr Green's
suggestion and proposed to place
the question before the Academic
Council as soon as it was con-
stituted.

The University now states that the
Academic Council has decided
that the proposal for the appointment
of a Professor of Historical
Research be not accepted and
that the Syndicate has approved
of the decision.

³ No action is necessary.

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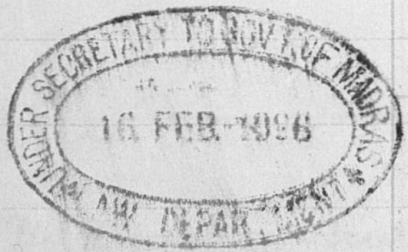


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