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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Budget Motion - Madras
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To reduce the allotment of Rs. 20,86,400 for University by

Rs. 100/-

(to discuss why the oriental languages research and Botany research resolutions of the Senate were discarded by the Government).

Law (Education) Department.

In connection with Part II ~~proposed~~ for 1926-1927 the Madras University ~~proposed the following scheme~~:-

(i) ~~more~~ Establishment of a research institute in

(a) Dravidian languages.

and (b) other languages, Sanskrit, Telugu, Arabic and Persian.

and (ii) ~~more~~ Research laboratories in

(a) Bio-chemistry.

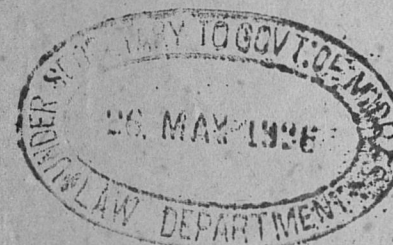
(b) Zoology and

(c) Botany.

Item (i) ~~more~~ Research Institute in languages

The Hon'ble the Minister considered item (a) more urgent than (b), and hence the University was asked to forward a restricted scheme confined to Dravidian languages. The University agreed to revise the scheme. An estimate of Rs. 31,000 was sent to Government and the Government were asked to grant Rs. 21,000 from Provincial funds, the University meeting Rs.10,000 from its own funds. The question was discussed in the Cabinet on the 4th February 1926 and it was decided that a grant of Rs. 11,000 be given from Provincial funds, the University contributing the balance of Rs. 20,000.

The University has asked for reconsideration of the orders and ~~the question~~ *if has just now been decided by* the cabinet *that a grant of Rs. 14,000 for eight months in 1926-27 be made.*



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Item (ii) above.

The scheme for all the three subjects was estimated to cost Rs. 3.30 lakhs (non-recurring) and Rs. .56 lakhs recurring.

The Honourable the Minister expressed the opinion that as Botany is provided for the Agricultural College, Coimbatore, the ^{University} Institute might be confined to zoology and bio-chemistry.

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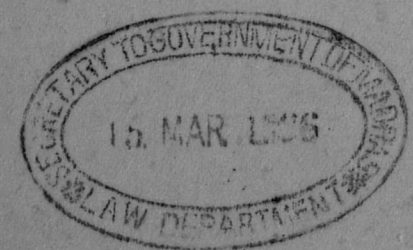
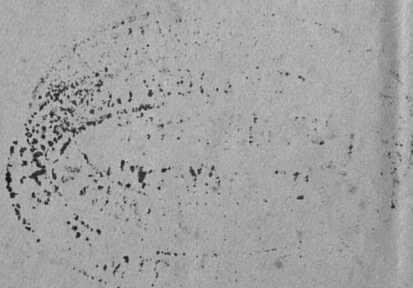
Accordingly a ~~total~~ demand for Rs. 1,00,000 for expenditure on buildings was placed before the Finance Committee which ~~has~~ accepted the scheme. Provision for this has been made for this in the B.E. for 1926-1927.

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