

Educational (1907) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Questions

Recording papers on the
Subject of the question asked at the ^{meeting of} Legislative
Council held on 9-4-07 regarding the establish-
ment of elementary schools in certain tracts
where there are no elementary schools.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

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The Hon'ble B. Narasimhaswara Sarma Garu.

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Local and Municipal Department.

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- XLV. (a) Having regard to the fact that about 1696 and 4745 villages with a population ranging between 1000 and 2000 and 500 and 1000 respectively have no elementary ~~primary~~ schools whatsoever, will the Government be pleased to state any scheme has been prepared to provide the said villages with schools in the near future ^{and} if no such scheme be ready, direct the preparation of one?
- (b) Will the Government be pleased to state how many primary ~~and~~ elementary schools have been newly opened in 1906-07 and are intended to be opened in 1907-08 and the estimated direct cost thereof?

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1696
4745
6441 total at Rs. 100.
= Rs. 6441 lakh.

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NOTES.

641 miles at 1900
= 1900 1/2 miles

The question was received only today after
the prescribed time limit. A draft answer is ~~however~~
prepared as far as possible in the event of its
being specially admitted.

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But ~~these~~ do D.P.'s
figure include
Village schools?

6745
644 577

The Hon Member appears to have taken his
figures from paragraph 75 of the Public
Instruction Report for 1905-6 and from Table
73 in Vol. II of the report. From the table
the correct figures appear to be 1700 & 4736.

As to the latter portion of clause (a)
the Govt. cannot give any guarantee. The
cost of providing 6441 schools into a single
master on the lowest scale of Rs 8, with
contingencies would - excluding the cost
of buildings amount to Rs 6 1/2 lakhs
approximately.

The number has probably been reduced
since 1st April 06 but we have no knowledge of
the actual figures at date as it is not
possible to obtain them at such short notice.

It is not clear ~~whether~~ whether the figures
in the Report include unaided indigenous
schools, probably not.

There is a scheme in the | his general scheme has been drawn up
sense that the D.P. for supplying all these villages with schools
was hard at work. I believe Mr. Bowring had it in his mind
the last two hours ^{considering the} when distributing the distribution of the 6 lakhs
funding places ^{in 1905-6} were
No new schools ^{down}
were under to put one 577

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From the statement on page 4 of 186

735 D. R. 14 Nov 06. It will be

seen that a sum of Rs 7735-

was allotted for the maintenance

of new schools in 1906-7, but it

is not known whether there

new schools were actually new

or newly replaced old indigenous

or aided schools.

The following draft reply is

suggested.

(H. C.) at the Govt. believe that the figures

for public & private schools? quoted by the Hon. Member

represent approximately the

state of things at the end of

March 1906. The Govt.

have not called for the

preparation of any such

general scheme as that

indicated by the Hon. Member,

nor are they prepared to do so

at present. The maintenance of
schools where the elementary schools in the district

of the Local Board, and all

proposals for the establishment

of new schools must be

considered in the first instance

subject to the sanction of Govt.
by the Local Board, with reference

to the funds at their disposal

This is not
really correct.
A scheme need
not be a tabular
statement. The D. P. I
is scheming hard
to establish about
schools where the elementary schools are not
are not

In 1906-7 an allotment of \$7755.50 was made to Local Board for the maintenance of 691 new Board schools out of the special allotment of 6 lakhs made by the Govt. of India under of Punjab Education. The Govt. have not information at present as to the number of new schools ~~open~~ actually opened during the year 1906-7, nor are they at present aware how many new elementary schools the Local Board propose to open or aid in 1907-8.

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I understand that the Govt has disallowed all late $\frac{1}{2}$ paise, so I do not go into this proposed ref

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