

[13th July 1923]

Mr. J. D. SIFTON: (a) The 1st May 1922.

(b) The 17th March 1923.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

10. Rai Bahadur DVARIKA NATH: (a) Will the Government be pleased to state when their final orders are expected to be passed on the recommendations of the Education Committee?

(b) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table copies of criticisms or opinions, if any, received by Government on the report of the Education Committee in pursuance of the Government resolution inviting such criticism or opinion?

Mr. B. A. COLLINS: (a) The report is now under the consideration of Government, and decisions have been reached on most of the recommendations of the committee. In a few cases references to local bodies and the University are necessary, but Government do not propose to delay the rest for the results of these, and orders on the report will be issued shortly.

(b) A large number of criticisms and opinions were sent to Government and have received careful consideration in each case. Government regret they cannot lay these on the table as the expense of printing them would not be justifiable, but the member is welcome to see to them if he wishes to do so.

REORGANIZATION OF THE SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

11. Rai Bahadur DVARIKA NATH: Will the Government be pleased to state whether any, and if so, what orders have been passed on the memorial of the graduate members of the Subordinate Educational Service for increase of scale of pay and in case of sub-inspectors of schools, for increase of travelling allowance also?

Mr. B. A. COLLINS: A decision has been reached regarding the pay of the lower division of the service, and an announcement will be made shortly. The question of the travelling allowance of sub-inspectors of schools is still undecided, and has been referred to local bodies for their opinion along with other matters connected with these officers.