[4th February 1929]

Rai BRIJ RAJ KRISHNA: Do Government undertake not to proceed against individual officers whose names are brought forward?

Mr. H. K. BRISCOE: I understand that is a request for inaction.

MANAGEMENT OF HINDU RELIGIOUS ENDOWMENTS IN BIHAR AND ORISSA.

14. Dewan Bahadur SRI KRISHNA MAHAPATRA: Will Government be pleased—

(a) to state the number of committees appointed under Act XX of 1863 for the management of Hindu religious endowments under each District Judge in the province, and

(b) to lay on the table a statement showing the name of each such endowment and its approximate annual income?

Mr. E. C. ANSORGE: (a) and (b) The information is not available.

REPORT OF THE ORISSA OPIUM ENQUIRY COMMITTEE.

15. Dewan Bahadur SRI KRISHNA MAHAPATRA: Will Government be pleased to state what stage the work of the Orissa Opium Enquiry Committee has reached and when the report of the Committee is likely to be published?

Mr. G. E. OWEN: The Committee's report has been received by Government and is being printed for publication. It is expected to be ready for publication shortly.

AFFILIATION OF THE RAVENSHAW COLLEGE TO THE HONOURS STANDARD IN SCIENCE SUBJECTS.

16. Dewan Bahadur SRI KRISHNA MAHAPATRA: With reference to the resolution moved in the August session of the Council regarding the affiliation of the Ravenshaw College in Floring the affiliation of the Ravenshaw College in Honours in Science subjects will Government be pleased to state__

(a) what steps have been taken in the matter, and

(b) whether there is any prospect of the said college being affiliated in Physics, Chemistry and Botany from July next; 8