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CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY THE Hon. the Colonial Secretary in reply to the motion of the Hon. Mr. Rajaratnam that the Secretary of State for the Colonies has agreed to sanction the holding of the Civil Service Examination simultaneously in England and Ceylon will be welcomed by the Ceylon public. Sometime back on the recommendation of the Public Services Commission the distinction between the local division of the Civil Service and the Civil Service proper was done away with and certain number of posts in the Civil Service was reserved for the Ceylonese. Since this alteration only one examination was held in Ceylon and that was about six years ago. During this period the Secretary of State for the Colonies appointed from time to time candidates who either passed the Civil Service Examination there or who took up the Examination but failed to secure a pass. Thus it happened that candidates who would never have had a chance in a fair competition were selected merely because they had the means to remain in England for a couple of years.

The Civil Service is the highest public service in the Island. There should be equal opportunities for all to enter this Service provided that they possess the necessary educational qualifications. The present system of limiting the recruitment to those who go to England had debarred many a deserving candidate from entering this Service and made it a preserve for monied mediocrities. If training in England is considered essential the successful candidates may be sent there at State expense as it is done in India or after some years of service they may be encouraged to go to England under the free passage system.

We are glad that Mr. Rajaratnam invited the attention of the Government to this piece of injustice and that the Government has agreed to remove by consenting to hold the Civil Service Examination in Ceylon as well.

HINDU BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We invite the attention of our readers to the appeal for funds of the Manager of the Hindu Board schools published elsewhere. From the list of donations and subscriptions it is evident that the Hindu Board received the support of the public last year. But with the expansion of its work its financial responsibilities are increasing year by year. Forty schools have to be kept in a state of efficiency and more new schools have to be opened in areas where they are needed. This the Board cannot be expected to do without the assistance of the public. We need not emphasise the great work the Board is doing for the propagation of the light of Saiva education and for the revival of the Saiva religion. We are sure that no Hindu who reads the appeal of the Hon. Mr. Rajaratnam will fail to realise his own duty to the Board. Let no Hindu wait to render his assistance until he is approached by a representative of the Hindu Board. "குறிப்பிட்டு சொல்வதற்கு" is a great virtue. We appeal on behalf of the Board to every Hindu who reads this paper to give something, a worthy something, for the promotion of this noble cause. Any amount that will be sent to the Board will be acknowledged by the Treasurer or the Manager in these columns.

EDITORIAL NOTE.

KARAINAGAR, H. E. SCHOOL:—The above School is one of the oldest institutions in the island. It represents to us the heroic sacrifice which its founder and the Hindu public of Karainagar made to promote Saiva education in this island. Under the management of the Board of Directors of the Jaffna Hindu College this School has grown in numbers and efficiency. A new Vernacular school has been opened as a feeder school to the English branch. Lack of land and accommodation handicaps the further expansion of this School. We hope that the people of Karainagar will regard this School as their own and will come forward to render financial assistance, so as to increase its usefulness to the people.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

WEATHER:—The sky is overcast at times but there is seems to be no prospect of rain.

CHANGE OF SCHOOL MANAGEMENT:—Mr. C. Thamplam has been appointed Manager of the Moolai Anglo Vernacular School in place of Mr. S. Sinathambiy.

ATTEMPTING TO SNATCH A FEZ CAUSES LIFE:—A young Sinhalese cricketer met with his untimely death on Friday last at Darley Road, Colombo. It appears a party of eight was travelling in a five seater to witness a cricket match. The occupants of the car were not seated in a rational manner. Two were on the front seat, two on the back two on either doors and the remaining two on the hood. While the car was in motion the deceased who was seated on one of the doors attempted to snatch a fez from a Moor man who was just out of his reach. In doing so he lost his balance, fell off the car and fractured his skull. He was removed to the General Hospital where he died.

OFFICIAL:—Mr. W. C. D. Pentelow has assumed duties as Office Assistant to the Govt. Agent, N. P., Jaffna from the 16th inst., in succession to Mr. L. A. Northcott.

—Mr. S. Balasingham, Inspector of Excise, Jaffna, is to act as Assistant Superintendent of Excise, Batticaloa circle, vice Mr. R. Oslie Chetty, transferred.

—Mr. G. de Soysa of the Jaffna Kasehberli is to be Office Assistant, Kegalla with effect from March 16, 1928 until further orders.

CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR GOVT. SCHOOLS:—Last Friday's Gazette publishes certain amendments to the Code of Regulations for Government schools which have been passed by the Board of Education and confirmed by H. E. the Governor in Executive Council.

TRAINING CLASS FOR SANITARY INSPECTORS:—The same Gazette notifies with the necessary particulars that applications will be received till April 5, 1928 by the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services from candidates desirous for admission to the Training Class for Sanitary Inspectors to be started on May 1, 1928.

LEAVE TO TEACHERS IN ASSISTED SCHOOLS:—The same Gazette publishes certain regulations regarding leave to teachers in Assisted English Schools.

A PUBLIC LECTURE:—The next meeting of the Ceylon Psychological Society will be held at 5 p.m. on Monday the 26th inst. (today) at Jaffna Central College when Dr. C. W. Miller of Madura will lecture on "The Common Foundations of Religious Education."

THE LOST PROPERTY:—That gold chain with a stone set pendant found on the College Road, Vannarponnai, on Sunday the 11th inst. information about which was published in these columns on the 12th inst. was claimed by Mrs. A. Ponnampalam, a lady teacher at the Salvaiprakasa Vidyalai, (Natalur's School), Vannarponnai, and on being identified was restored to her.

MOTOR DRIVER'S LICENCE FOUND:—A Motor Driver's Licence was found on the Jaffna—Point Pedro Road adjoining the Nallur market ("Muthirachantalai"). The owner can claim it from the Manager of the "Hindu Organ" and on giving the particulars contained in the licence and on identification of the person, it will be restored to him.

MAGISTRATE'S FINDING IN RAIL DISASTER:—In his finding delivered in the Kalutara Police Court today (Saturday) Mr. R. Y. Daniel, who held the magisterial inquiry into the Coast line railway disaster, considered that the officers responsible for the non observance of the regulations, as a result of which the collision took place, were Driver Bennett (dead), Head Guard Edgar David Smith, H. W. B. Peiris, Officer in Charge, Kalutara South, and O. M. S. P. Jayawardene, Parera's Clerk, Kalutara South. Mr. Daniel dealt with various theories which had been put forward and stated that they were not founded on facts or supported by corroborative evidence. "Mr. Daniel said he could not speak too highly of all that was done to help the victims of the disaster on the night in question. Finally, the Magistrate made some useful suggestions to the Railway Department with regard to starting signals, head-lights, telegraphists and medical boards. "It is obvious," he added, "that Guard Smith should not have been employed in the O. G. R. after having once been found to be of uncracked mind and unfit for duty." —"Times."

Letter To 'The Hindu Organ'

MR HENSMAN'S MISAPPREHENSION.

Sir,

I have always thought it strange that Christianity—a religion demonstrated both by science and scholarship alike to be not work the salt—should pretend to predominate over all the religions and profess to be the only true religion, ignoring the fact that it is backed up by wealth, influence and temporal power for its very propagation. Now, Mr. Hensman, who seems to be giddy with his own misapprehension that he has attained salvation by believing the teachings of the "Holy Bible" which is full of fables and statements which are all the outcome of hopeless ignorance and also of lives of persons who are expounded as friends and devotees of Jehovah, one of the tribal gods of the Old Testament, now tries to deify Hinduism of which evidently he knows nothing.

Many of the things that are prohibited in Hinduism are deliberately taught in the Bible; and its teachings are quite contradictory to all the sciences of the day. The Bible tends to defile infallibly the minds of its victims.

I confide that I can demonstrate my statements should Mr. Hensman so desire and express himself through the medium of this paper. In the meantime I will advise him to study the two books that have been published in Tamil viz:—

"மறுபிழைப்புத் தத்துவம் பரிசாரம்" and "மறுபிழைப்புத் தத்துவம் பரிசாரம் இலக்கணபஞ்சகம்"

which I am sure will render him perfect peace of mind and will get him rid of the present state of ignorance of religious truths as they have done in the case of a turbulent priest. They are sure to help Mr. Hensman to realize "Christ a Myth and Christianity a misery". If, however, he minds buying these books I will arrange to send him a copy of each, free of charge, in case he could let me know his address through the medium of this paper.

Debiowita, Yours etc,
25-3-28. S. RATNAM.

Karainagar H. E. School.

LACK OF FUNDS IMPEDES PROGRESS

APPEAL FOR A NOBLE CAUSE.

Mr. A. Saravanamuttu, Head-master of the above School writes:—

Karainagar Hindu English School is the only Hindu English Institution at Karainagar. It has on the roll 150 boys and 4 girls. Its strength is increasing every year. This year, the number of the pupils has increased from 120 to 164. This is an institution of long standing which has become the 'cherishing mother' of many worthy sons of Karainagar, who are doing well in the Federated Malay States. During its early existence the School was conducted efficiently without Government aid for twenty years in the teeth of opposition of the Christian Missionaries by Mr. Stampu, the founder and the then proprietor of the School. The people of Karainagar should be grateful to the great benefactor who has sacrificed and is still sacrificing his life time in moulding the character of the young men of Karainagar. The School also owes its debt of gratitude to the Kalut Union of Malaya for the financial help and interest in promoting its welfare during the years of its struggle.

STATUS OF A SECONDARY SCHOOL.

The School at present has classes up to the E. S. L. C. It is very efficiently managed by the Board of Directors of the Jaffna Hindu College. A Tamil leader school has been opened and there are about 50 pupils studying in it. It is under the charge of Mr. Anabalam, a First Class Trained Teacher of long experience who has been the Tamil Pandit in the English School for many years. He is assisted by two teachers, one of whom is a lady teacher. According to the new scheme of studies, Elementary Science, Mathematics and Oriental Music have been included in the curricula of the English School from the sixth standard upwards. Handwork too forms part of the School work. The same education as in a secondary school is imparted here. There is no necessity for a boy to go to a distant college before he passes his E. S. L. C. examination.

LACK OF ACCOMMODATION.

The staff consists of a First Class trained teacher, a Second Class certificated teacher, three provisional certificated teachers, and two uncertificated teachers, all of vast experience. The appointment of a teacher qualified to teach Music, Drawing and Handwork is very necessary. The staff is adequate but the accommodation in the buildings is not sufficient for the growing strength of the School. A higher grade Hindu English school teaching up to the senior classes is a necessity at Karainagar. If the people of Karainagar and the members of the Kalut Union of Malaya render financial help, as they did in the past, a new set of class rooms can be built and the School can be easily converted into a higher grade school, teaching up to the London Matriculation class.

Words of wisdom from far & near

(SPECIAL TO THE "HINDU ORGAN")

"Be greatest as the heavens, but stoop like the heavens to the level of common earth and never, in your highest triumphs, disdain the struggler still entangled in the under growth of petty things."

—Mr. J. Krishnamurti, in "Brahmacharya."

"Man possesses no greater gift than the power to say: I will. But nothing in the machinery of the human mind paralyses this gift more effectively than the habit of thinking: I am afraid."

—An eminent Psychologist in "Indian Daily Mail."

"The tragedy of foreign Government, even when benevolent and efficient, is this, that it remains foreign. It cannot be assimilated. It continues merely as something external. So it tends to come to grief, when it deals with internal affairs."

—Mr. O. F. Andrews, in "People."

"Smoothness and sharpness are excellent qualities in an eel or a razor-edge. But they do not adorn a mind or add excellence to a character. Physically they suggest the creatures that crawl or prowl, the deadly fang and claw."

—Editor, "Ceylon Observer."

"Asia may work out Sciences from Religion, Europe may build up Religion from Sciences. But the processes, when complete, will be identical."

—Mr. S. V. Ramamurti, I. C. S. in "Modern Review."

"I do not mind bare truth, but I do object to spiced truth. Spicy language is as foreign to truth as hot chillies to a healthy stomach."

—Mahatma Gandhi in "Young India."

"The greatest successes in life are the victories a man wins over himself. No one but himself will ever know; the world will have no pleads for his ears. And if a man can conquer himself, there is nothing that he cannot achieve."

—Prof. Thompson in "John Bull."

"The world is talking about peace, and about three parts of the world seems to be getting ready for another war. I do not remember any time when the nations were thinking and acting as cross-purposes more than just now. The truth is we are all nervous and suspicious. All the ententes and combinations, treaties and alliances, now being negotiated between nations, indicate that there is bad blood somewhere, though the customary allegation of all is that these agreements are for defence, not defiance."

—Sir John F. Fraser, in "Tit Bits."

"Curb desire and cultivate contentment; let your wants be few and simple, and your ambitions for progress and usefulness rather than for possessions; and you will find that you have eliminated one of the most fruitful and potent causes of misery."

—From "The Hidden Side of Things."

"The Dark Evil is one of the onerous germs which eats away at the foundations of our international life, prosperity and well-being. None other can lay claim to so much success, none can so readily be proved to be the basis, or an important factor in a great deal that prevents the materialization of the plan of God for man."

—Editor, "Service" of London.

"When a community is depressed it is easy for one with some degree of education to get nominated to represent them. But it is difficult to think and act for them when education and prosperity have divided you from them."

—Mr. O. Rajagopalachari in "Swarajya."

"I am myself an admirer of some English manners and so is Mahatma Gandhi. But it is quite a different thing to be slaves to fashion. If required one ought to be able to live quite happily on four annas a day or even perhaps less."

—Lala Lajpat Rai in "People."

Health maxims.

Gold is the greatest enemy of old age. Lean people outline the fact. That man lives the longest who wisely divides the occupations of his between brain & muscle. The height of a man is equal to the measure of his extended arms from tip to tip of finger. Exercise to the extent of gaining fatigue does more harm than good. To sleep well a man must work hard. An encouraging word or a cheerful look often does the patient more good than pill, powder or lotion.

The almost universal cause of dyspepsia is eating too fast, too often and too much. Those who have survived an attack of small-pox are notably exempt from ordinary maladies and usually live to a good old age. The first tooth appears about the sixth month, in three years all the first set are out, the second, between 7 and 21.

A cheerful disposition is the sunshine of the soul. Presence of mind is often the best life preserver. Never take a cold bath while physically tired, nor less than two hours after a regular meal. Farmers do not live so long as philosophers, because they have too little brain work, too much body work and pay too little attention to the laws of health and life.

If you want to live happy, be busy in that which is remunerative, useful and good. A light heart makes a good digestion. The moral, mental and physical character of a man is largely influenced by what he habitually eats and drinks. —Homeopathy.

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