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GOVERNMENT OF THE BOMBAY STATE OBSERVATIONS BY THE  
MINISTER FOR FINANCE AND INDUSTRIES

(a)

It gave me great pleasure to visit the Lord Reay Maharashtra Industrial Museum, Poona, on Sunday the 3rd May 1953, which I was shown round by Shri B. V. Gharpure. Much care has been taken by him to bring the museum to its present state. The arrangements made with the various schools in the city for parties of students to be taken round the Museum, well as to take interesting material to the schools for the information and instruction of students add considerably to the utility of the Museum. It is laudable that some young graduates interest themselves in the work of the Museum by giving their part-time services in such work.

The material is so varied and so enormous that it needs a much larger building for the proper exposition and demonstration of the various specimens properly grouped. I was glad to learn that the Poona Municipal Corporation has given a suitable site in the city admitting future extension. ...

Secretariat, Bombay 11th May 1953

Jivraj N. Mehta

Board's Resolution No. 10

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(b)

"The Board of Trustees have great pleasure in recording their appreciation and sense of thankfulness to all School Administrations who have been able to extend co-operation with the Museum and use the Museum Education service for their students. Thanks are especially due to schools and institutions that have a membership with the Museum Education Association and who are deriving benefit from the Museum staff and Museum equipment. The Board is aware of its limitations and the mortgages and short-comings in the Museum equipment and are sure that the scheme could never have been a success had it not been for schools and their representatives to extend wilful co-operation and take a charitable and accommodating view of matters connected with the Museum and the Museum Education Association. The Museum Education Association project is the only one of its kind in India and it is the determination of the administration to pursue it and expand the use and utility of the Museum. More and more school membership and extended service to school will ever remain the ardent desire and pursuit of the institution and it is believed that more institutions would derive more benefit from the Museum."

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