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Owing to the great space taken up by the momentous events of the Civil Disobedience campaign launched by Mahatma Gandhi, room could not be found for the proceedings of the Provincial Councils in this volume. It is proposed, however, to incorporate the proceedings of those Councils for the whole year in the next issue.

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