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### PREFACE.

This volume contains statistics for education in India for the period April 1st, 1922 to March 31st, 1923. statistics have been compiled for the first time in a new form prepared by the Central Advisory Board of Education. Many headings which were obsolete in the old tables have been excluded. The material left has been rearranged and in some of the tables, particularly tables IV and V much additional information has been given. the text of the report have also been incorporated tables showing in a comparative form the progress made in the various provinces. The text summarises very briefly the developments recorded in the various provincial reports. A much fuller account of the position of education in India at the present time will be found in the Quinquennial Review on education for the period 1917—1922 which was published at the beginning of this year.

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