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The Memorandum on the Growth of Education (pages 318-331) has been prepared under the direction of the Governor and Ministers. It has been examined by the Governor in Council who has been given an opportunity of expressing views on it.

The Memorandum containing constructive proposals (pages 411 to 429) has been prepared by the Governor in Council. Notes on it by the Ministers are appended in pages 430-439.