

doing in this part of the country, in the midst of all sorts of difficulties, must evoke the admiration of Sanskritists all over the country.

These and other research projects and the teaching work of the Society have been receiving assistance from the Central Sanskrit Board which deserves all praise for its efforts to rehabilitate in the country Sanskrit, the bedrock of Indian culture.

I wish all success to Sri T. V. Viswanatha Aiyar, Secretary of the Society, who has been building up the resources of the Society and managing its affairs so well. I am quite sure that the Samskrit Education Society will ere long emerge as an active advanced Centre of a University type for Sanskrit in the South.

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The maintenance and promotion of Sanskrit study in the schools face two difficulties today, one stemming from the language formulae of the Government which is explicitly unfavourable to Sanskrit and secondly, the lack of improved methods of making its learning easy and popular. The Society may well congratulate itself in having addressed itself to the latter problem and brought out these books written by able and experienced scholars, Prof. S. Ramasubbha Sastri and Prof. K. Rama Varma Raja. On behalf of the Society, I must also express my appreciation of the services rendered to the Society by Dr. V. Raghavan who has been in general charge of these and other research projects and publications of the Society. What he and others have been happy we are able to release to the public now.