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Shortage of teachers in Manikganj schools

MANIKGANJ, Nov. 16:—Nearly 100 secondary educational institutions in Manikganj district are facing shortage of good English teachers. As a result teaching of English has become a problem and the students are being deprived of learning English.

Reliable sources told this correspondent that most of the English teachers of the secondary schools and madrasahs are not proficient in the teaching of English. They cannot even write in correct English, but they were appointed as English teachers by the authority, it is alleged.

Many schools advertised in the national dailies for English teachers. But they did not get qualified candidates for appointment as English teachers, and are facing problem.

The study of the students is greatly hampered.

It is learnt that the posts of English teachers in Atigram A.C.B. High School and Mohini Mohan High School have been lying vacant for a long time. The authorities are not getting suitable candidates for appointment.