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Accommodation problem in Kurigram Girls School

From Our Correspondent

KURIGRAM, Aug 16:— The "Kurigram Girls High School" has been facing bottlenecks including shortage of accommodation, teachers, furniture and inadequate equipment in Science Laboratory and lack of necessary appliances for games and sports.

The school was started in 1928 as a "Middle English School" at Kurigram Town and later on upgraded into a fullfledged high school on January 1, 1946.

The roll strength of the school is nearly 1500 but the seat arrangement cannot meet the need for want of necessary number of benches. Besides, furniture including chair table and almirahs are insufficient.

Due to inadequate number of necessary books in the library, the students can hardly prosecute their studies. The science laboratory accommodated in small room has been running without requisite modern science equipment resulting in difficulties to the science students.

Shortage of teachers is hampering the education in the school. There are twenty teaching staff for running the classes of nearly 1500 students.

Besides, there are one office assistant and five forth class employees in the school.

Despite its good academic atmosphere the school can not accommodate the girl students seeking admission into respective classes.

The people of the area including guardians have urged the government to nationalise this age-old Girls High School.

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