



## Devendra College facing teacher shortage

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MANIKGANJ, Aug. 17.—Government Devendra College, has been facing manifold problems for a long time.

The college has no required number of teachers. At present one post of professor and one post of assistant professor, in the department of Bengali, and post of lecturer in Islamic Studies and Arabic, one post of Associate Professor and one post of lecturer in Management, one post of Assistant Professor and one post of lecturer in Accounting, one post of Associate Professor in Economics, and post of Associate Professor and one post of lecturer in Islamic History and Culture, one post of lecturer in Philosophy, one post of Associate Professor in Physics, one post of Associate Professor and one post of lecturer in Chemistry, one post of Associate Professor in Botany, one post of Associate Professor in Zoology and one post of Demonstrator have been lying vacant for a long time:

Besides one post of librarian and one post of senior cataloguer are lying vacant.

The study of the students of Government Devendra College is being affected badly due to absence of number of teachers.

The dream of the students to study honours in Political Science and Accounting in Government Devendra College has not yet been materialised.

An official source told this correspondent that the government allowed the college authority to open honours in the two subjects in April 1986 but the university authority did not give approval due to lack of necessary teachers. The government has yet taken no step to solve the problem.

Hundreds of students of Manikganj district are deprived of the study of honours in Political Science and Accounting. They are now suffering from a great frustration.

The college has no boundary wall. The college authority is facing a problem for the absence of the boundary wall.

There is no canteen in the college area. As a result the students are suffering.

The college has no motor vehicle. Most of the students of the college have been affected.

The teachers and employees of Devendra College are deprived of residential accommodation. Many of them have to come to the college for performing duties from the remote areas of the district.

The college needs additional classrooms to cater to the need of the students. The study of the students is being affected for want of additional classrooms.

The college has not been properly electrified. There are no fans in the classrooms. The absence of fan causes sufferings to the teachers and students during the summer.