

The Honourable Director of Education, Nicosia.

Sir,

I the undersigned Nicola Xiontz, of Limesol, before applying to you for certain topics, I beg to introduce myself. I am a professor of Literature-teaching at the Limesol Gymnasium. It is only a few months ago that I was fortunate enough to make your personal acquaintance at Limesol, on which occasion I invited you to attend my lecture on Modern History of the 6th class of the said school.

-Considering that the prospective appointment of a Inspector of Secondary Education in Cyprus is a serious step which ought to be examined from several aspects, I have the honour to apply to you to allow me to express my opinion, which probably may be of some use to you in taking up such a step.

Another request which I have to make to you is about the reappointment of Miss Theodora Phrancofinou and Miss Corallia Phrancofinou as school teachers. Both these ladies have been school teachers at infants schools. The former had served for five years at Theosinou, in the district of Laroussa, while the latter served for 4 years at Pego, in the district of Paphos. Their father Mr. Michael Phrancofinou is serving his last fortieth year as school teacher at Polimidia.

He has a family of 9 persons, and I anticipate next year, should his daughters be not reappointed, they will all have to starve.

Trusting you will be kind enough to concede to my above requests and let me know at your earliest convenience,

I have the honour to be
Your obedient servant
N. Xiontz
Professor of Literature

Limesol, May 30th, 1934.