

Purification of Raw Gas

1773. Shri R. Barua: Will the Minister of Petroleum and Chemicals be pleased to state:

(a) whether Indian Refineries propose to set up a plant for liquification and purification of the raw gas (L.P.G.) at Gauhati refinery;

(b) whether project report for such a plant is approved, if so, when the plant is likely to operate; and

(c) whether any estimate has been made about the wastage of the raw gas?

The Minister of Petroleum and Chemicals (Shri Humayun Kabir): (a) and (b). A project report is under preparation.

(c) 4,315 tonnes of refinery gas were flared in 1962 and 8,160 tonnes in 1963.

Indian School of International Studies

1774. Shri Brij Raj Singh: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount allotted by Government to, and the grants received from the State Governments by, the Indian School of International Studies since 1954-55;

(b) the total grants received by the School from foreign countries during the same period, with the names of the countries;

(c) the total expenditure incurred on trips by staff members of the school to foreign countries during the same period and the nature of work done during such trips; and

(d) the up-to-date progress of actual construction and of expenditure incurred on the buildings for the students hostel?

The Minister of Education (Shri M. C. Chagla):

(a) Maintenance Grants paid by the University Grants Commission. . . . Rs. 22,13,878·68

Fellowship Grants sanctioned by the University Grants Commission Rs. 34,900·01

Scholarship Grants by Central Government Rs. 79,668·04

Scholarship Grants by State Governments Rs. 94,426·82

(b) United States of America Rs. 20,45,532·43
United Kingdom Rs. 41,931·50
Canada Rs. 11,368·00

(c) Rs. 3,11,163.91 nP. The School's programme is carried out on the basis of area studies according to which the staff members were sent to foreign countries for field research in connection with their research projects and to take stock of the available research material and to get first hand acquaintance with scholars and academic institutions in the various countries.

(d) The Site Plans of the Students' Hostel have been submitted to the New Delhi Municipal Committee for approval. A sum of Rs. 5,621.52 nP. has so far been incurred as initial expenditure.

All Indian Service Officers

1775. Shri Harish Chandra Mathur: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the All India Service Officers in his Ministry and elsewhere who have indicated their desire to retire prematurely during the last six months; and

(b) the reasons given by them and Government's reaction in the matter?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri L. N. Mishra): (a) and (b). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-2617/64.]