

**Shri K. D. Malaviya:** I am not aware of it.

**Shri V. P. Nayar:** The hon. Minister referred to crude oil. I want to know the position with respect to lubricating oil because India's refineries are not manufacturing them at present.

How are we proceeding with lubricating oil?

**Shri K. D. Malaviya:** I will require notice for that.

श्री तिहासन सिंह: अभी माननीय मंत्री ने बताया कि बाहर से कूड आइल आता है और उसका यहाँ पर पेट्रोल बनाया जाता है। मैं जानना चाहता हूँ कि जो पेट्रोल बाहर से आता है और जो यहाँ पर बाहर से आये हुए कूड आइल से बनाया जाता है उन दोनों की कीमतों में क्या कुछ फर्क है ?

श्री कों. दे० मालवीय: जब तक बुनियादी तौर पर हमारे देश में ही कूड आइल अधिक मात्रा में नहीं बनने लगेगा मुझे डर है कि यह जो आखिरी रकम हम देने हैं उसमें काफी रियायत हम को मिल सकेगी या नहीं। यह एक अप्रिय सत्य है लेकिन वास्तविक बात यही है।

#### Research in Engineering and Technology

\*78. **Shri Supakar:** Will the Minister of Education and Scientific Research be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Universities and Engineering Colleges in India where it is proposed to organise research in Engineering and Technology during the second Five Year Plan period; and

(b) the amount proposed to be spent for the above work?

**The Deputy Minister of Education and Scientific Research (Shri M. M. Das):** A statement giving the required information is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix I, annexure No. 24].

**Shri Supakar:** Out of these eight institutions that have been mentioned in the list, may I know in how many of them any research is actually being carried on at present?

**Shri M. M. Das:** Certainly, Sir. The applications of these institutions for research have been accepted and some money has been paid to them; and actually some research is going on in these institutions.

**Shri Supakar:** May I know what amount is actually being paid to each of these institutions?

**Shri M. M. Das:** We have paid each of these institutions Rs. 20,000 (non-recurring) upon each subject of research.

**Shri Supakar:** May I know how many and which of these institutions are carrying on research—there are eight institutions mentioned here.

**Shri M. M. Das:** The list has been given here in the statement, and it has been said that the institutions which have been mentioned in the statement have applied, their applications have been received, money has been paid, and they are carrying out research.

**Shri T. B. Vittal Rao:** In the long statement laid on the Table of the House, covering about three pages, it is stated that research is being done in hydrodynamics, chemical engineering, etc. But there is no research for mining. May I know whether Government propose to have research done in mining?

**Shri M. M. Das:** We have received applications for financial assistance for carrying out research from nine other Universities and eleven non-university technical institutions. Their applications are under consideration.

**Mr. Speaker:** Are there any applications for mining research?

**Shri M. M. Das:** I want notice, Sir.

#### Suez Canal Blockade

\*79. **Pandit D. N. Tiwary:** Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state the extra amount that Government