

(iii) Cooperation of the Special Armed Police and other State Government officers to assist the customs preventive and mobile parties on certain land frontiers.

#### CENTRAL STATISTICAL ORGANISATION

##### \*877. Th. Lakshman Singh Charak:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state whether the recommendations of the Central Statistical Organisation have been accepted and implemented both by the Central and the State Governments?

**The Minister of Finance (Shri C. D. Deshmukh):** The hon. Member is presumably referring to the recommendations made by the First and the Second Joint Conferences of the Central and State Statisticians. A statement showing the main recommendations requiring implementation by Central Ministries and State Governments and the progress made in implementing them is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix IV, annexure No. 28.]

#### PETROLEUM IN RAJASTHAN

\*880. **Shri Karnj Singhji:** Will the Minister of Natural Resources and Scientific Research be pleased to state whether Government propose to carry out a geological survey of the areas of Bikaner Division in Rajasthan which have not so far been explored with a view to discovering the possibilities of extracting petroleum there?

**The Minister of Education and Natural Resources and Scientific Research (Maulana Azad):** Yes, Sir.

#### NATIONAL MUSEUM BUILDING

\*883. **Shri Bahadur Singh:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

a) whether the construction work of the building for the National Museum has been taken in hand; and

(b) what amount is likely to be spent on it during the current financial year?

**The Minister of Education and Natural Resources and Scientific Research (Maulana Azad):** (a) No Sir.

(b) Nil.

#### HARNESS AND SADDLERY FACTORY, KANPUR

\*887. **Shri H. N. Mukerjee:** Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been any proposal for the installation of a Boot Plant in the Harness and Saddlery Factory, Kanpur; and

(b) if so, the progress made so far in the matter?

**The Deputy Minister of Defence (Shri Satish Chandra):** (a) Yes.

(b) Full details of machines required to establish this manufacture have been obtained from foreign suppliers and the matter is being studied further by the Director General, Ordnance Factories.

#### CONFERENCE OF HOME MINISTERS

\*889. { **Shri Bheekha Bhal:**  
**Shri Madhao Reddi:**

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a conference of State Home Ministers has been convened by the Government of India in New Delhi; and

(b) if so, the main items of the agenda to be discussed in the conference?

**The Minister of Home Affairs and States (Dr. Katju):** (a) Yes.

(b) To consider the problems relating to the Indian Police, their methods of investigation etc.

मध्य भारत में सेना की भूमि

\*८९२. श्री राधे लाल व्यास: क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) उज्जैन (मध्य भारत) में रक्षा विभाग को मध्य भारत के भूतपूर्व रक्षा