Mr. Speaker: I think it is going into great details. I am going to the next question.

Shri Nana Das: Which is the high-

Mr. Speaker: Order, order; next question.

INDO-U. S. TECHNICAL CO-OPERATION AGREEMENT

*2175. Shri Badshah Gupta: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state what annual interest the Government of India will have to pay to the Government of U.S.A. on account of the Technical Cooperation programme entered into between the Government of India and the Government of U.S.A.?

The Minister of State for Finance (Shri Tyagi): No interest will be pay-able as the operational agreements entered into under the Technical Cooperation Programme do not provide for any loans being received.

BASIC EDUCATION

*2176. Shri M. Islamuddin: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state the amount allotted to each State in 1951-52 and 1952-53 to train basic teachers?

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Education and Natural Resources and Scientific Research (Shri K. D. Malaviya): No provision was made during 1951-52 for the training of Basic teachers. During 1952-53, a sum of Rs. 1 crore has been provided for Basic and Social Education, out of which a suitable amount is proposed to be utilized for grants to States for schemes under the 5-year educational plan which includes training of basic teachers.

Shri M. Islamuddin: May I know the amount spent by each State for training of basic teachers?

Shri K. D. Malaviya: I have no information

Shri M. Islamuddin: May I know the total number of teachers trained in India on basic education?

Shri K. D. Malaviya: I have no in-

Mr. Speaker: The point is that the subject is a State subject. He cannot answer all these questions.

Shri M. Islamuddin: I asked about training. May I know whether free and compulsory basic education has been introduced anywhere in India?

Shri K. D. Malaviya: This question is not related to the answer that i have given. These enquiries about basic education schemes should be made from the State Governments.

प्रो० अग्रवाल : क्या में जान सकता हूं कि जो वैसिक शिक्षा उत्तर प्रदेश म है, क्या भारत सरकार उस को सचमुच वेसिक समझती है ?

Mr. Speaker: It is a matter of opinion and interference with the administration of U.P. The question must be addressed to the State Government.

श्री एस॰ एन॰ वास: जो रक्तम इस साल सामाजिक शिक्षा के लिये रक्खी गयी है, उसके बंटवारे के लिये क्या कोई योजना तैयार की गयी है?

श्री के॰ डी॰ मालवीय : जी नहीं, यह तो पंचवर्षीय योजना के अन्दर एक रक़म निर्धारित की गयी है और उसके बंटवारे का जहां तक मुझे मालूम है, अभी कोई निश्चय नहीं किया गया है।

Shri B. K. Das: May I know whether there is any Central scheme for the training of teachers or whether each State Government has its own scheme.

Shri K. D. Malaviya: It is a matter for the State Government to decide.

मध्य भारत का केंद्रीय राजस्य और व्यय

*२१७७. श्री आर० सी० शर्मा : क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बतलाने की कृपा करेंगे:

- (क) पिछले दो वित्तीय वर्षों में केन्द्रीय वित्तीय समन्वय हो जाने के फलस्वरूप मध्यभारत से हुई आय; और
- (स्व) केन्द्रीय सरकार द्वारा इस आय में से मध्यभारत में कर्मचारियों के वेतन और कार्य-प्रबन्ध पर कितनी राशि व्यय की गई और उसमें से कितनी

राशि वहां जनहित के कामों के लिए दी गयी।

The Minister of State for Finance (Shri Tyagi): (a) and (b). I am a fraid it is not possible to furnish the information because the account of revenue attributable to a particular area and of the expenditure met out of such revenue are not kept distinct from those for the rest of the country, nor is it practicable to do so.

Mr. Speaker: The question List is over.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

HINDI IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS

- *2161. Shri N. S. Nair: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:
- (a) in how many States Hindi has teen enforced as second language for Secondary Schools; and
- (b) in how many of these States English is still taught as a compulsory subject, over and above the local language?

The Minister of Education and Natural Resources (Maulana Azad): (a) and (b). A statement giving the available information is laid down on the Table of the House [See Appendix X, annexure No. 36.]

EDUCATION IN TRIPURA

563. Shri Biren Dutt: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

- (a) the amount granted for non-Government schools in Tripura;
- (b) the amount granted for the construction of college building;
- (c) the progress made in respect of construction work since the grant was made; and
- (d) the number of primary and secondary schools expected to be started as a result of the grants made to Tripura?

The Minister of Education and Natural Resources and Scientific Research (Maulana Azad): (a) Rs. 28,800 during 1951-52.

- (b) Rs. 26,000 during 1951-52.
- (c) The outer walls of the eastern half of the building were plastered.

(d) Provision has been made in 1952-53 for grants to five new High English Schools, five Middle English Schools and ten new Primary schools

Written Answers

EDUCATION IN BHOPAL STATE

- 564. Pandit C. N. Malviya: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:
- (a) what amount was spent by the Central Government on education in the Bhopal State from June 1949 to-March 1952;
- (b) what was the number of (i) Primary Schools, (ii) Upper Primary Schools, (iii) Middle Schools and (iv) Secondary Schools in July 1949 and March 1952; and
- (c) what was the total number of students in July 1949 and in 1952 in (i) Primary Schools, (ii) Upper Primary Schools, (iii) Middle Schools and (iv) Secondary Schools?

The Minister of Education and Natural Resources (Maulana Azad): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House in due course.

EXCISE DUTY ON TOPACCO

565. Dr. P. S. Deshmukh: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state-the revenue from excise duty from tobacco State-wise for the years 1949-50, 1950-51 and 1951-52?

The Minister of State for Finance: (Shri Tyagi): A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix X, annexure No. 37.]

NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE

- 566. Shri S. N. Das: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to refer to-Unstarred Question No. 362-A, dated the 4th October 1951 and state:
- (a) the names of students who wereselected as Indian delegates to the-New York Herald Tribune;
- (b) names of the institutions towhich each of them belonged;
- (c) nature of part played by them during discussion;
- (d) whether any report in this connection has been received by the Government?
- The Minister of Education and Natural Resources and Scientific Research (Maulana Azad): (a) and (b). (1) Mr. Rajendra Nath Bara