

caves known as USHA-KUTI containing some paintings, carvings and inscriptions and also a number of neolithic sites containing numerous flint fragments bearing clear marks of clippings have been found in Sundargarh District of Orissa; and

(b) if so, whether Government are contemplating an archaeological survey of the area in the near future?

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

(b) Yes.

CONFERENCE OF HOME MINISTERS

*382. { Shri Madhao Reddi:
Shri Dabhi:
Ch. Raghubir Singh:

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the decisions taken at the last conference of Home Ministers of Part 'A' and 'B' States;

(b) whether any discussion about the crime situation in the country and for controlling the same at any early date was also held; and

(c) if so, the decision taken in this regard?

The Deputy Minister of Home Affairs (Shri Datar): (a) to (c). There was a general discussion on problems relating to the police, methods of investigation and maintenance of law and order.

The general crime situation in the country was also discussed.

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

*383. **Shri B. D. Shastri:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to lay a statement on the Table of the House showing:

(a) the total grant, university-wise given by the University Grants Commission so far during the current year;

(b) the main purposes for which the grant has been given; and

(c) whether any report about the expenditure will be submitted to the Commission?

The Minister of Education and Natural Resources and Scientific Research (Maulana Azad): (a) and (b). A statement giving the information is laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha. [See Appendix III, annexure No. 6.].

(c) Yes, Sir.

INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND

*386. **Th. Jugal Kishore Sinha:** Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) whether any delegation of the International Monetary Fund visited this country in January, 1955; and

(b) if so, what was the purpose of the visit?

The Minister of Finance (Shri C. D. Deshmukh): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Mission came for consultations under Article XIV of the Articles of Agreement of the I.M.F. regarding the retention of restrictions by India on payments for current international transactions. These are routine consultations held every year.

RESEARCH CO-ORDINATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

*387. **Shri K. C. Sodhia:** Will the Minister of Natural Resources and Scientific Research be pleased to state the number of meetings of the Advisory Committee for co-ordinating scientific work held during the current year?

The Minister of Natural Resources (Shri K. D. Malaviya): Two.

संज्ञा में हिन्दी

*385. संज्ञा गोपबन्धु शर्मा : क्या संज्ञा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि संज्ञा के किन-किन क्षेत्रों और केंद्रों में हिन्दी संज्ञा की सुविधा नहीं है ?