

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Teachers Participating in Active Politics

*579. **Shri Balkrishna Wasmik:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that teachers were being found taking part in active politics and election campaigns; and

(b) if so, whether Government desire to take any action in the matter?

The Minister of Education (Dr. K. L. Shrimali): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

Chinese Nationals in Delhi

*580. { **Shri Bade:**
Shri Inder J. Malhotra:

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some Chinese nationals residing in Delhi were expelled recently;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) how many Chinese nationals are presently residing in Delhi; and

(d) whether Government are proposing to put some restrictions on these Chinese nationals?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar):

(a) Five Chinese nationals were required to leave India during 1961 and 1962, out of whom three have left under their own arrangements, one had to be deported and the case of the remaining one is still under consideration.

(b) Anti-Indian activities.

(c) Two hundred and seventy eight, including fifty-four minors, but excluding holders of Diplomatic passports.

(d) The restrictions applicable to foreigners under the Foreigners' Act 1946 and the Registration of Foreigners Act, 1939 are considered adequate for the present.

Trade in Nicobar Island

*581. **Shri A. V. Raghavan:** Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the entire trade in Nicobar Island is in the hands of a single contractor;

(b) whether it is a fact that there is an abnormal rise in price of food-stuffs;

(c) whether it is a fact that due to the heavy rise in the price of rice, people are living only on coconuts; and

(d) whether Government will consider the desirability of opening fair price shops in the island?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar):

(a) No.

(b) No.

(c) No.

(d) Fair Price Shops operated by the Trading Companies are already functioning in all the islands except Chowra, which has a population of only 1,000 and which has no safe anchorage for loading and unloading of goods.

Chinese National

*582. **Shri P. R. Patel:** Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a request from Shri Liang Pei-Chang who had been asked by Government to leave India for his anti-Indian activities for extension of his stay in India; and

(b) if so, what final order has been passed in the matter?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar):

(a) Yes.

(b) The matter is under consideration.

Wagons for Coal

*583. **Shri Ram Sewak Yadav:** Will the Minister of Mines and Fuel be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that out of the quota of 2100 coal wagons allot-