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- (ii) Heavy Electri- at Ramachandrapuram cal Plant (Czech near Hyderabad in Credit). Andhra Pradesh.
- (iii) High Pressure at Tiruchi in Madras Boiler (Czech. State. Credit).

Bank of China Employees

1265. Shri P. R. Patel: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether some employees of the Bank of China were found guilty of subversive activities; and

(b) what action was taken against them?

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

(b) They were dealt with under the provisions of the Foreigners' Act, 1846, and seven of them have already left India.

Grants for Harijan Welfare for Punjab

1266. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Punjab have approached the Government of India to increase the grants for Harijan Welfare for Funjab; and

(b) if so, what action has been taken?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar): (a) No, sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Indian Council for cultural Relations

1267. Shri Ravindra Varma: Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state how much money has been spent by the Indian Council for Cultural Relations during the period from 1957 to 1961:

(i) for promoting cultural relations with countries in the Arabic and Persian speaking regions of the world;

- (ii) for promoting cultural relations with non-Arabic speaking countries in Africa;
- (iii) for promoting cultural relations with countries in Latin America (including Brazil);
- (iv) for promoting cultural relations with North America, Europe and Australia; and
- (v) for promoting cultural relations with countries in South East and East Asia?

The Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Shri Humayun Kabir): (i) Rs. 3,04,155.00 nP.

(ii) Rs. 3,26,197 00 nP.
(iii) Rs. 1,75,333 00 nP.
(iv) Rs. 2,73,715 00 nP.
(v) Rs. 3,76,231 00 nP.

Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi

1268. Shri Ravindra Varma: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of financial assistance that the Government of India have given to the Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi;

(b) the number of research personnel at present on the staff of the Institute;

(c) the number of books, monographs etc. that have been published by the Institute; and

(d) how many of these publications were the result of researches conducted by the Research Staff of the Institute?

The Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): (a) Rs. 72.04 lakhs.

(b) The number of research personnel at present in position on the regular staff of the Institute is as follows:—

Assistant Chief Research Officer Research Officer	1 1
Assistant Research Officers. Research Assistants	3 4
Total:	9

For specific projects Investigators and Assistants are recruited on an Ad hoc basis. The teaching staff of the School also are engaged in research work.

(c) The books, monographs etc., published by the Institute are listed in the statement. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 40.]

(d) The two monographs, the bibliography and the book on the Organisation of the Government of India were the results of research in this Institute. In addition considerable material in connection with a number of seminars and conferences, some of which have been detailed in the list of publications, was collected.

Exploitation of Minerals in Tiruchy

1269. Shri Umanath: Will the Minister of Mines and Fuel be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 100 on the 23rd April, 1962 and state:

(a) the names of the areas with the names of the materials found in each area in Tiruchy District;

(b) approximate assessed quantum of those materials; and

(c) details of the steps taken by Government to exploit and utilise the materials?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Mines and Fuel (Shri Hajarnavis): (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 41.] Iron Ore Deposits in Tiruchy (Madras)

1270. Shri Umanath: Will the Minister of Mines and Fuel be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that iron ore deposits have been found in the Pudukkotai Division of Tiruchy District;

(b) if so, the total estimated quantity in the area;

(c) the percentage of iron content;

(d) whether Government contemplate measures for its exploitation and utilisation; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Mines and Fuel (Shri R. M. Hajarnavis): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The reserves of the deposits at Mallampatti are estimated at 50,000 tons (50,800 tonnes) to a depth of 6 metres.

(c) the iron content varies from 25 to 40 per cent.

(d) No, Sir. The quality and quantity of the reserves do not merit State exploitation.

(e) Does not arise.

Housing Scheme at Cannanore Cantt.

1271. \int Shri A. V. Raghavan: \int Shri Pottekkatt:

Will the Minister of **Defence** bepleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to start a Low Income Group Housing Scheme at Cannanore Cantonment; and

(b) if so, the number of quarters: sanctioned?

The Minister of Defence (Shri-Krishna Menon): (a) and (b) No suchproposal is at present under consideration by Government. They have no current information whether the