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gular staff of the Institute is as follows:—

Assistant Chief
Research Officer 1
Research Officer 1
Assistant Research Officers. 3
Research Assistants 4

Total: 9

For specific projects Investigators and Assistants are recruited on an Adhoc 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)

- 1276. 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. Shri A. V. Raghavan:
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 such proposal is at present under consideration by Government. They have no current information whether the