

first instalment of the Central Government Scholarships for Post Matric Studies for 1964-65;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether similar reports have been received in respect of any other State Governments; and

(d) if so, the action taken by the Central Government to expedite payment of the scholarships in time?

The Minister of Education (Shri M. C. Chagla): (a) and (b). The Scheme of Post-Matric Scholarships to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Economically Backward Classes students for studies in India was decentralised in 1959-60 and since then payment of scholarship to the students is the responsibility of the State Governments|Union Administrations. A complaint about the non-payment of scholarship amount to students from Manipur studying in the Colleges in Delhi has been received and a report called for from that Administration. In the mean-time *ad-hoc* payments have been made by the Education Ministry to avoid hardship to the students.

(c) and (d). Occasional complaints have been received and immediately the State Government|Union Administration concerned has been pressed for arranging prompt payments.

Examination held by U.P.S.C.

1472. Shri Rishang Keishing: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the number of successful candidates in the last examination of the I.A.S., I.P.S., C.S.S. and other allied services held by the Union Public Service Commission;

(b) the respective number of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes who were successful in the said examinations;

(c) the number of selected candidates who have been given appointment; and

(d) whether any special attention is being given for speedy appointment of the selected Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes candidates?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Hathi): (a) and (b). The number of candidates so far recommended by the Union Public Service Commission for appointment to Services on the results of the Combined Competitive Examination held in 1963 is as follows:

(i) General	370
(ii) Scheduled Castes	58
(iii) Scheduled Tribes	29
	Total: 457

(c) The number of candidates so far appointed/allotted to the Services is as under:

(i) General	292
(ii) Scheduled Castes	40
(iii) Scheduled Tribes	23
	Total: 355

The appointment/allotment of the remaining eligible candidates is in progress.

(d) Measures are taken to appoint| allot all the recommended candidates to the Services as speedily as possible.

Scientists in C.S.I.R.

1473. Shri Madhusudan Rao: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to combine the senior and junior scientific|technical staff of the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research and make only one cadre for them; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the pay scales fixed for the new grade?

The Minister of Education (Shri M. C. Chagla): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.