

expenditure likely to be incurred during the remaining part of the period stipulated for this survey?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (DR. PRATAP CHANDRA CHUNDER) (a) to (e). The survey of antiquarian remains is being conducted on country-wide basis since 1956-57. From the current financial year, however the project of village to village survey has been more intensive with the active collaboration of fourteen universities. The areas so far covered are given in the statement laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-3094/78]. So far 4892 sites were found to contain antiquarian remains. The archaeological potentialities of the important sites are published in the respective issues of *Indian Archaeology—A Review* in view of the magnitude of the Project and the nature of the work, it is not feasible at this stage to fix any target date for its completion.

Membership of Cooperative House Building Society, Shahdara

3920. **SHRI CHATURBHUI:** Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION be pleased to refer to the answer given to Unstarred Question No. 4756 dated the 25th July, 1977 re: cancellation of Membership by Cooperative House Building Society, Shahdara and state:

(a) whether all persons who were enrolled members of the house building cooperative societies prior to 3rd August, 1967 but were expelled by the societies for whatever reasons, had been served notices; and

(b) whether this had also been done in case of the unjustly expelled members of the Ministry of Works, Housing and Supply Cooperative House Building Society; if not, the reasons therefor; when the same would be done?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT): (a) and (b). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Permission for Export of Rice to African Countries

3921. **SHRI M. RAM GOPAL REDDY:** Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Andhra Pradesh Government has requested the Centre to allow the State to export rice to African countries where there is a great demand for Andhra rice; and

(b) if so, the decision of the Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir; the Andhra Pradesh Government have approached the Centre for allowing the State to export rice to some African and South East Asian countries.

(b) No decision in the matter has been taken yet.

दिल्ली में क्या अध्यापकों की प्रतिष्ठित [स्नातक] अध्यापकों का वेतन दिया जाय

3922 की बाकीया देनाई: क्या शिक्षा, स्नातक अध्यापक और संस्कृति मंत्री यह बताते की क्या करतें कि :

(क) क्या दिल्ली प्रशासन में 440-750 रूप के बतनमान में काम कर रहे और एम०ए० की एक० तथा एम० एक० बादि अध्यापकों को क्या अध्यापकों की अपन कातर है उनी बतनमान बास प्रतिष्ठित स्नातक अध्यापकों के 'कातर' में जाने की अनुमति नहीं दी जाती ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसके विस्तृत कारण क्या है जबकि दोनो कातरों का बतनमान एक संमान है और

(ग) प्रशासन द्वारा कब तक उक्त अनुमति विधि जाने का विचार है ?

विना, समाज कल्याण और संस्कृति मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती रेणुका देवी बरकटकी) : (क) से (ग) : मुबना एकल की जा रही है और यथाशीघ्र समा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी।

नककगड़ नाले पर पुल

3923. श्री बाजोबा बेलाई : क्या निर्माण और आवास तथा पूर्ति और पुनर्वास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या मदन पार्क, जयदेव पार्क गारि कालोनी से मिल की जाने वाले भूमिओं की गुंजाह के लिए स्वतंत्र भारत मिल कालोनी के पीछे नककगड़ नाले पर एक पुल निर्माण करने के लिए नवत मांग की गई है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस बारे में सरकार द्वारा क्या कार्यवाही की गई है, और

(ग) इस पुल का निर्माण कब तक हो जाने की समावना है ?

निर्माण, और आवास तथा पूर्ति और पुनर्वास मंत्री (श्री तिकन्वर बख्त) : (क) जी, नहीं।

(ख) तथा (ग) : प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता।

Acreage of Commercial Crops and their Exports

3924. SHRI KUMARI ANANTHAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) the acreage of plantation and the total production of the commercial crops—Cashew, Groundnut and Tobacco during 1976-77 and 1977-78 in the four Southern States, namely, Tamilnadu, Andhra Pradesh, Kerala and Karnataka;

(b) the export in tonnage of these crops and the countries to which exported;

(c) the foreign exchange earned during 1976-77 and 1977-78; and

(d) what steps have been taken for the development of these crops?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI SURJIT SINGH BARNALA): (a) The acreage of plantation and the total production of the groundnut and tobacco during 1976-77 and 1977-78 in the four southern States is given in Statement-I. The area under Cashewnut during 1976-77 and 1977-78 is given in Statement-II. The production statistics in respect of cashewnut are not available.

(b) and (c). The information is given in Statement-III.

(d) Cashew: The programme for increasing the production of cashew are being implemented both in the State Sector and Central Sector of the Plan. In addition a new Centrally Sponsored Scheme has been taken up from 1976-77 for raising cashew in departmental lands and private lands. The Kerala Agricultural Development Project has been taken up with the World Bank assistance for implementation from 1977-78.

Groundnut: A Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Oil seeds development has been implemented in different States. The Government of India have also sanctioned a Centrally Sponsored Scheme for extension of oilseeds to new irrigated areas mainly in respect of groundnut in different States.

Tobacco: A comprehensive Centrally Sponsored Scheme of VFC tobacco initiated during 1966-67 was continued during the Fifth Plan. During 1978-79 a fresh area of 12,200 hac. has been proposed to be taken up under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme for exportable types of Tobacco in different States.