

whether the officers recruited under the Frontier Administrative Service are meant for North East Frontier Agency only or for Manipur and Tripura also?

The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru): The Officers recruited under Indian Frontier Administrative Service are meant for posts included in IFAS Cadre which includes some posts in Manipur and Tripura also, in addition to the posts in the North East Frontier Agency.

Per Capita Output

287. Shri V. F. Nayar: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state whether Government have information regarding the per capita yearly output in the various States in India by (i) Mining Industry (ii) Metallurgical Industry (iii) Chemical Industry and (iv) Small Scale Industries?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Morarji Desai): No statistics are maintained in this manner. However, if the Hon'ble Member wants some specific details or statistics for any particular industry in any State, I will be pleased to furnish the same.

Government of India Press in Delhi

288. Shri S. C. Samanta: Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Supply be pleased to state

(a) how many old and worn-out printing machineries in the Government of India Press in New Delhi have been replaced since 1950,

(b) how many pre-1920 printing presses are still working,

(c) whether the output from the newly purchased machineries is satisfactory;

(d) whether there are cases where the output is low due to bad-handling and bad-placing of machineries, and

(e) if so, what arrangements have so far been made to give proper training in the matter?

The Minister of Works, Housing and Supply (Shri K. C. Reddy): (a) Eleven.

(b) None

(c) Yes, generally.

(d) Yes, in a few cases in the Govt. of India Press, New Delhi due to handing by personnel, who were not fully trained

(e) A training scheme to train the workers employed in the New Delhi Press has been stated and has been in operation from 1956.

"Yojana"

289. Shri Ansar Harvani: Will the Minister of Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state:

(a) how many copies of "Yojna" are being printed and how much expenditure is involved on it by way of printing, salary of staff and other expenses, and

(b) how many paid subscribers are there for this publication?

The Minister of Information and Broadcasting (Dr Kekar): (a) 30,000 copies of the English edition and 25,000 copies of the Hindi edition of YOJANA are being printed every fortnight. A statement showing the approximate average expenditure per issue is placed on the Table [See Appendix II, annexure No 7]

(b) Total paid circulation of the English YOJANA is 10,100 copies and of Hindi 7055 copies

Accommodation to Government Employees

290. Shri Ansar Harvani: Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Supply be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Government employees in Delhi and New Delhi who have not still been provided with accommodation by Government;

(b) how many out-of-turn allotments were made in 1956-57, in Delhi and New Delhi, category-wise?

The Minister of Works, Housing and Supply (Shri K. C. Reddy): (a) New Delhi 38,421
Old Delhi 5,263.

(b)	New Delhi	Old Delhi	
Special 'B' class	14	} 'Nil'	
Special 'C' class	15		
CI class	2		
DI class	105		
DII class	95		
Special 'D' class	11		
'E' class	21		..
'F' class	4		
'G' class	251		2
'SE' class	105		
'SF' class	255		

Silk Industry

291. Shri Jhulan Sinha: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state the amount of help given by way of grants or loans for the development of Silk Industry in Bihar during the First Five Year Plan and the result achieved as a result thereof during the same period?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Morarji Desai): The details of the financial assistance given to the Government of Bihar for development of sericulture during the period of the First Five Year Plan and the progress achieved are as follows:—

Particulars of Scheme	Amount of grant sanctioned	Expenditure upto 31-3-56	
	Rs.	Rs.	
1. Establishment of mulberry demonstration farm-cum-graunage.	20,000	13,689	The object of the scheme was to educate sericulturists on the rational methods of mulberry cultivation and silk worm rearing. The State Government surrendered Rs. 6,311 out of the grant. Upto 30-6-57, 66 disease-free layings were reared and 15 oz. of silk was reeled.
2. Establishment of basic tassar seed supply & research station, Chabasa.	1,69,600	43,821	The object of the scheme was to prepare and supply basic tassar seed to the tassar rearers. The full grant could not be utilised due to delay in acquisition of land and construction of building.
3. Reorganisation of eri silk worm seed supply station.	67,100	Nil	The scheme was not taken up in 1955-56 as sanction was issued only in January, 1956.

No loans were sanctioned.

Cement Production

292. Shri Jhulan Sinha: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) the total quantity of cement produced from limestone during the last two years; and

(b) the total quantity produced from alternate materials during the same period?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Morarji Desai): (a)

Tons	
1955	3,873,564
1956	4,225,789
(b) 1955	522,518
1956	702,729