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and seventy-four thousand only), representing two-thirds of the estimated expenditure to be incurred by the Government of Kerala on increasing the emoluments of low-paid employees of the State Government and Local Bodies and teachers in private primary schools, was sanctioned by the Ministry of Finance during 1957-58. The grant is subject to final adjustment on the basis of actual entitlement.

(b) One-third of the total expenditure

(c) The expenditure involved in sanctioning the increases m emoluments will have to be incurred by the State Government in full in the first instance. Thereafter the Government of India re-imburses its share of the expenditure, subject to the conditions laid down for the grant of Central assistance being fulfilled.

Machinery for Neyveli Project

721. Shri Thanu Pillai: Shri Subbiah Ambalam:

Will the Minister of Steel, Mines and Fuel be pleased to state

(a) the total amount sanctioned for purchase of machinery for the Neyveli Lignite Project.

(b) the value of machinery purchased so far, and

(c) the names of suppliers and their agents in India and the value of machineries supplied by each firm?

The Minister of Steel, Mines and Fuel (Sardar Swaran Singh): (a) The total amount sanctioned so far for the purchase of machinery for the Neyveli Lignite Project is about Rs. 740 lakhs.

(b) The value of machinery for which orders have been placed so far is about Rs 669 lakhs.

(c) A statement giving the required particulars is laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha. [See Appendix II, Annexure No. 97.]

Minor Irrigation Projects

722. Shri Hem Raj: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 2027 on the 6th May, 1958 and state:

(a) whether the report of the Team for Irrigation and Power Projects set up by the Committee on Plan Projects has submitted its report on minor irrigation projects, and

(b) if so, whether a copy of the report will be laid on the Table?

The Minister of Finance (Shri Merarji Desai): (a) No.

(b) As soon as the report is received it will be placed on the Table of the Lok Sabha

Delhi University

723. Sardar Iqbal Singh: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that Ford Foundation has granted aid of 20,000 Dollars to the Delhi University, and

(h) if so, name of scheme to be financed from this aid?

The Minister of Education (Dr. K. L. Shrimali): (a) and (b) The grant of 20,000 dollars has not been made to the University of Delhi, but to the Delhi Training and Orientation Centre for foreign technicians in India which functions under the guidance and supervision of the Delhi School of Economics Society and provides Orientation courses for these technicians

Testing Adulteration of Ghee

724. { Shri S. M. Banerjee: Shri Hem Barua:

Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether Central Food Technological Research Institute (Mysore) has