

(b) the countries visited and the purpose of their visits;

(c) the amount of foreign exchange expended on each of the missions; and

(d) the number of foreign cultural missions that visited India during the same period and the countries from which they came?

The Deputy Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Dr. M. M. Das): (a) to (d). Statements A and B are laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 54.]

State Bank of India

879. { Shri Shree Narayan Das:
Shri Ram Krishna:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 2415 on the 19th September, 1958 and state:

(a) how many branches of State Bank of India have been opened since then, State-wise; and

(b) the names of places where the branches have opened?

The Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): (a) and (b). I place on the Table of the House a statement giving the required information. [See Appendix II, annexure No 55.]

Central Rubber Research Institute

880. Shri V. P. Nayar: Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to refer to page 10 of the Administration Report of the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research for 1956-57 and state whether the details of the proposed Central Rubber Research Institute have been worked out by the Sub-Committee referred to therein?

The Deputy Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Dr. M. M. Das): Not yet, Sir.

Post-Matric Scholarships for Scheduled Castes in U.P.

881. Shri S. M. Banerjee: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) the amount allocated for award of scholarships to students belonging to Scheduled Castes for post-Matric studies in Uttar Pradesh for the year 1959-60; and

(b) the total amount of scholarships granted for the purpose during 1957-58?

The Minister of Education (Dr. K. L. Shrivastav): (a) and (b). A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

(a) Under the Government of India Scheme of post-Matriculation scholarships to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and other Backward Classes students, no separate grant is allocated for the award of scholarships to the Scheduled Castes students belonging to Uttar Pradesh or any other State. The amount to be spent on the award of scholarship to the Scheduled Castes of Uttar Pradesh in 1959-60 is not known yet.

(b)

Name of the Community	Expenditure incurred
Scheduled Castes	Rs. 23,46,863

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८८२. { श्री मन्त बर्लिन :
श्री वी० कं० शर्मा :

क्या प्रतिरक्षा मंत्री १० दिसम्बर, १९५८ के तारांकित प्रश्न संख्या ८१५ के उत्तर के सम्बन्ध में यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या एम० ई० एस्० कन्सट्रक्शन कमेटी की रिपोर्ट पर इस बीच विचार कर लिया गया है ; और