Survey of India in 1955 when some indication of the possibility of mineralisation was there. However the detailed mapping during 1958-59 has not yielded any promising results. Numerous quartz veins were plotted between north west of Kolari and west of Saigaon. None of them showed any mineralisation.

Government Rubber Factory, Kerala

1948. Shri Warior: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the ex-manager of Government Rubber Factory, Trivandrum, Kerala State, was reinstated in the old post;
 - (b) if so, for what reason; and
- (c) whether Government is aware that he was formerly removed as a result of the recommendations of the Estimates Committee of the Kerala Legislature?

The Minister of Home Affairs (Shri G. B. Pant): (a) to (c). In 1951 the Rubber Expert of the Travancore Rubber Works Trivandrum was also made responsible for the administration of the factory and was given the designation of General Manager. In its 5th report submitted to Government in March 1958 the Estimates Committee for Government commercial concerns recommended that a full time General Manager should be appointed for administrative functions. In pursuance of these recommendations separate posts of technical expert and General Manager were created by Government in January 1959. Experience however showed that the revised arrangement had resulted in deterioration in the factory's work and that there was no justification for separate posts of technical expert and General Manager. Orders were therefore issued combining the two posts and appointing the technical expert to function as the General Manager also.

Red Fort. Delhi

1949. Shri P. C. Borooah: Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Red Fort in Delhi has any cellars;
- (b) whether the portion of the Red Fort under military occupation contains important historic monuments or sites; and
- (c) if so, whether Government will consider throwing open the cellars and the historic monuments and sites to the visitors?

The Deputy Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Dr. M. M. Das): (a) Yes, Sir. The Rang Mahal has a cellar.

- (b) The monuments in the area under occupation of the military are relatively unimportant and are not centrally protected.
- (c) It is not considered safe to throw the cellar open to the public due to inadequate light and ventilation. The protected monuments and sites under the Union Department of Archaeology are open to the visitors.

Industrial Projects

1950. Shri Morarka: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

- (a) the total amount invested in all the industrial projects in the public sectors during the First and the Second Five Year Plan periods;
- (b) how much of it is by way of loan and how much by way of capital;
- (c) the dates on which interest was paid and the amount outstanding at that time; and
- (d) when will the amount of loans be repaid?

The Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): (a) The total amount