The Minister of Information and Broadcasting (Dr. Keskar): (a) None.

Written Answers

- (b) (i) Applications for financial assistance received from the following two institutions under the Scheme of Strengthening Physical Education Training Institutions, are still under consideration:—
 - 1. Government College of Physical Education, Trivandrum.
 - 2. Government College of Physical Education, Kozhikode.
- (ii) Applications for financial assistance received from the following institutions under the Scheme of Grants to Vyayamshalas, Akharas etc. have been returned to the State Government for want of complete information with the request that these may be resubmitted with complete information:
 - Aikya Kerala Kalari Sangham Cannanore.
 - C.S.S. Gymkhana Club, Perumthani, Trivandrum.
 - Sea-View Gymnastic Arena, Ernakulam.
 - Kerala Gymnasium and Vyayamshala, Bharanikkavu, Alleppy.
 - 5. Universal Gymkhana, Kottayam.

Aid for Students' Tours

715. Shri Warior: Shri Vasudevan Nair:

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the institutes in Kerala which were given financial aid for students' tours, with amounts to each during 1958-59; and
- (b) the details of the tours conducted (places visited) with the aid given?

The Minister of Information and Broadcasting (Dr. Keskar): (a) and (b). A statement is laid on the table

of the House. [See Appendix II, manexure No. 6].

Oil Survey in West Bengal

716. Shri Subodh Hansda: Shri R. C. Majhi:

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

- (a) whether any search for oil was made in Sunderbans area; and
 - (b) if not, the reasons therefor?

The Minister of Mines and Oil (Shri K. D. Malaviya): (a) No, Sir.

(b) This was outside the limits of the licensed exploration area covered by the Indo-Stanvac Petroleum Project agreement.

Surplus Vehicles

717. { Shri Rajeshwar Patel: Shri Morarka:

Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:

- (a) whether vehicles (3 ton 15 cwt 4x2) lying surplus for the army requirements have been sold out in the civilian market; and
- (b) if so, what is the number sold out and the prices fetched?

The Deputy Minister of Defence (Shri Raghu Ramaiah): (a) Yes, Sir. Sir.

(b) Two separate statements showing the number of 3 ton 4x2 vehicles and 15 cwt 4x2 vehicles disposed of during the past 5 years and the prices fetched thereon are laid on the Table. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 7].

Trucks and Tractors

718. Shri Rajeshwar Patel:

Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:

(a) how many trucks and tractors assembled in Ordnance Factories were