

Coastal Belt of India" by V. Mahadevan, G. R. Narayandas and N. Nagaraja Rao—Presented at the Second International Conference on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy Geneva, September 1958, and contained in the proceedings of the Conference.

- (2) "A Survey of Uranium & Thorium Occurrences in India" by K. L. Bhola, etc.—Presented at the Second International Conference on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy, Geneva, September 1958, and contained in the proceedings of the Conference.
- (3) "A Review of the Activities of the Atomic Minerals Division" by D. N. Wadia and K. K. Dar contained in "Industrial India—Atomic Energy Supplement" January 1961.

(b) The valuable minerals in the beach sands are ilmenite, monazite, rutile, zircon and sillimanite. With a view to ensuring that the quality of the minerals, which are recovered, is uniformly good, certain minimum specifications have been prescribed. Nevertheless research work is directed towards obtaining improved recoveries of the minerals and an integrated flow-sheet for their recovery has been developed. The major uses of these minerals are well established. However, selected projects are in progress to further develop their application in industry.

Industries in Jammu and Kashmir

746. { Bakshi Abdul Rashid:
Shri Abdul Ghani:

Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) the new industries started in Jammu and Kashmir State during the years 1960-61 and 1961-62; and

(b) the facilities extended to them by the Centre?

The Minister of Industry in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry (Shri Kanungo): (a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House in due course.

Manipur Handloom Products

747. Shri Rishhang Keishing: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) the total quantity of yarn consumed by Manipur in 1960-61 and 1961-62;

(b) the output of handloom products in Manipur in the said years;

(c) the marketing facilities available for handloom products inside and outside Manipur; and

(d) the schemes to improve and increase the handloom products and to avail of more marketing facilities?

The Minister of International Trade in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry (Shri Manubhai Shah): (a) The information is not available but is being collected from the Manipur Administration.

(b) Production figures are compiled for calendar years. The figures for the years 1960 and 1961 are as follows:

(Figures in lakhs)

Year	Production Quantity	Value	
		Yds	Rs.
1960	3.06	4.46	
1961	4.84	6.76	

(c) Five sales depots have been sanctioned for the Administration. The Manipur Administration sanctions loans to the Apex Society for marketing. The All India Handloom