

may not be reached at the end of the Plan. At the same time, the demand for coal also may not come up to earlier expectations owing to delay in commissioning of coal-consuming projects. Even so, every effort is being made to achieve the target so that production keeps ahead of demand.

Revocation of Proclamation of Emergency

*203. { Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath:
Shri Prakash Vir Shastri:
Shri Birendra Bahadur Singh:
Shri Kolla Venkaiah:

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to advise the President to revoke the Proclamation of Emergency; and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor?

The Minister of Home Affairs (Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri): (a) and (b). The Proclamation of Emergency was issued because the security of India was threatened by external aggression. This threat persists; Government, therefore, do not propose to advise the President to revoke the Proclamation.

Summer Schools

Shri Shree Narayan Das:
Shri Bishanchander Seth:
* Shri D. C. Sharma:
Shri Sarjoo Pandey:
Shri Rameshwar Tantia:

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

(a) what were the precise nature of subjects discussed at the Summer Schools organised by Government recently;

(b) whether any future plan of study has been planned; and

(c) if so, the nature of the same?

The Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Shri Humayun Kabir): (a) The subjects discussed at the four Summer Schools are briefly as under:—

Name of the School	Subject
(i) Summer School in Engineering.	Modern Developments in Engineering Structures.
(ii) Summer School in Chemistry of Polymers.	Recent Developments of Chemistry of Polymers.
(iii) Summer School in High Energy Physics.	Recent Developments in High Energy Physics.
(iv) Summer School in Himalayan Geology.	To discuss and formulate a plan for the intensified study of Himalayan Geology in its various aspects.

(b) and (c). Summer Schools are study groups where work that is being done in different disciplines in different parts of the country is systematically discussed and reviewed. Research workers give an account of their own work and submit it to the criticism of fellow scientists.

The proceedings of the Summer Schools are to be published as priced publications and are useful to research workers in India and abroad.

Structural Drilling Operations in Cauvery Basin

*205. { Shri Yashpal Singh:
Shri P. C. Borroah:
Shri Warrior:
Shri Vasudevan Nair:
Shri D. C. Sharma:
Shri P. Venkatasubbaiah:
Shrimati Joytsna Chanda:
Shri Muthiah:

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

(a) whether the Oil and Natural Gas Commission has undertaken the

work of structural drilling operations in the Cauvery basin area of Madras State; and

(b) if so, the progress made so far?

The Minister of Mines and Fuel: (Shri Alagesan): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The first structural well will be drilled at a place about 2 miles from Pattukkottai in the district of Tanjore Madras. The well will be spudded in shortly.

Koyali Oil Refinery

*206. { Shri P. C. Borooah:
Shri D. J. Naik:

Will the Minister of Mines & Fuel be pleased to state:

(a) whether the work on the projected Koyali Oil Refinery has been taken up; and

(b) the progress made in that direction so far?

The Minister of Mines & Fuel (Shri Alagesan): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) (i) 21 sheds to accommodate various office, godowns, stores, workshops, garages, hospital canteen are under construction.

(ii) The South Link Road between Bajuwa Railway crossing and the Refinery is expected to be completed by the middle of July 1963.

(iii) Land for the railway siding is being acquired.

(iv) Construction of North Link Road is in hand.

(v) Tender for fencing Refinery area has since been finalised.

(vi) Existing structures within the Refinery area have been re-conditioned for use as temporary offices. The layout and construction of the refinery grid pillars has been completed.

(vii) The temporary roads within the Refinery, connecting various go-

downs and sheds are under construction.

(viii) Tenders for the main Civil Engineering Works for the Refinery have since been issued. Tenders for the construction of a 150 house temporary township have also been issued. Tenders for the Mechanical Engineering Works are under preparation and are expected to be issued very shortly.

Reforms in Education System

{ Shri Bhagwat Jha Azad:
Shri Bhakt Darshan:
*207. { Shri Yashpal Singh:
Shri Sarjoo Pandey:
Shri Mohan Swarup:

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Advisory Board of Education has suggested some reforms in the country's educational system in a meeting held at Panchmahri in May, 1963;

(b) if so, the outlines thereof;

(c) whether Government have considered the same; and

(d) if so, their reaction thereto?

The Minister of Education (Dr. K. L. Shrimali): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A copy of the relevant recommendations is placed on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-1491/63].

(c) and (d). Most of the recommendations are for State Governments Union Territory Administrations to consider and to act on. Government of India have sent all the recommendations of the Central Advisory Board of Education to them.

Recommendations which specifically relate to Government of India are under examination.