

(c) the number of appeals more than 6 months and 1 year old on 31st December, 1963; and

(d) the State Government propose to take to expedite finalisation of these cases?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Hajarnavis): (a) 1454. [upto 31-1-1964].

(b)

Year	No. of appeals filed.	No. of appeals pending on 31st December
1961	304	261
1962	1,108	1,060
1963	815	1,434

(c) 985 and 710 respectively.

(d) Another court of Additional District and Sessions Judge has been created and the incumbent is expected to take over the charge shortly.

Evening Colleges for Advanced Studies in Delhi

366. Shrimati Savitri Nigam: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state whether his Ministry has got any scheme to remove the great difficulty felt by the working people, who are keen to study advance courses in commerce, science and Technology in the absence of any evening degree colleges in the Union Territory of Delhi?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Education (Dr. M. M. Das): Yes, Sir.

Girls Education

367. { Shri Subodh Hansda;
Shri M. L. Dwivedi;
Shri Onkar Lal Berwa;
Shri P. R. Chakraverti;

Will the Minister of Education be

pleased to state:

(a) whether the girls education is free in all the States upto Matriculation standard;

(b) if not, the standard upto which this is free and in which States; and

(c) whether the cost of tuition is borne by the States or by the Centre where it is free?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Education (Shrimati Soundaram Ramchandran): (a) No, Sir.

(b) A statement is laid on the table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-2331/64].

(c) The expenditure is borne by the State Governments except in union territories and Centrally administered areas where it is borne by the Centre.

The Centre also gives grants to State Governments where a scheme to make education free for girls is included in the plan.

Utilisation of Talents of Retired Teachers

368. { Shri Subodh Hansda;
Shri S. C. Samanta;
Dr. P. N. Khan;
Shri M. L. Dwivedi;
Shri Ram Harkh Yadav

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to utilise the services of retired teachers of higher secondary and post-higher secondary teachers;

(b) if so, the main features of the