

**University Education**

\*1251. **Shri Sidheshwar Prasad:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is fact that the University Education Commission recommended that the President should be the Visitor of all the universities in India and the ratification of the University Acts should rest with him and also that the university education should be financed by the Central Government; and

(b) if so, the steps taken in these directions?

**The Minister of Education (Shri M. C. Chagla):** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A statement giving requisite information is laid on the Table of the House.

*Statement*

The President of India is the Visitor of the four Central Universities viz., Aligarh, Banaras, Delhi, and Visva-Bharati. As regards State Universities, the recommendation of the Commission, that the University Acts should be amended to make the President as the Visitor in their cases also, was brought to notice of all the State Governments in December, 1954.

2. As regards the recommendation that the University Education should be financed by the Central Government, the Government of India have already set up the University Grants Commission under an Act of Parliament. Large lump sum grants are placed at the disposal of the Commission by the Central Government and the Commission gives grants to the State Universities for development schemes and to the Central Universities for development schemes as well as their maintenance.

**Admission to Professional Colleges**

2604. **Shri Sidheshwar Prasad:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Mudaliar Commission on Secondary Education recommended that admission to professional colleges should be opened to the students passing the Higher Secondary Course;

(b) if so, whether it was accepted by the Government and is being implemented by all the Universities or institutes concerned; and

(c) whether the recommendation of the Commission regarding multi-purpose schools and students passing from them are also being implemented?

**The Minister of Education (Shri M. C. Chagla):** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir; it is being implemented except in respect of Professional Colleges which have a different qualifying examination (like Inter Science) prescribed.

(c) Yes, Sir.

**दक्षिण में हिन्दी विश्वविद्यालय**

२६०५. श्री रामचन्द्र वीरप्पा : क्या शिक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) केन्द्रीय सरकार दक्षिण में एक हिन्दी विश्वविद्यालय खोलने का विचार रखती थी उसका क्या हुआ और वह कब तक और कहाँ खोला जायेगा ; और

(ख) क्या शिक्षा उपमंत्री जी ने यह कहा है कि दक्षिण में हिन्दी का विरोध होने के कारण इस विचार को त्याग दिया गया है ?

**शिक्षा मंत्री (श्री सु० क० चागला) :**

(क) दक्षिण में कोई हिन्दी विश्वविद्यालय स्थापित करने का विचार नहीं है ।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

**Capsule Cover Manufacturing Units**

2606. **Shri Yashpal Singh:** Will the Minister of Petroleum and Chemicals be pleased to state:

(a) the number of units engaged in the manufacture of capsule cover