

**Dr. Ram Subhag Singh :** May I know whether the other palaces of fighters of freedom of 1857 would also be vacated by the Governments or individuals which are at present occupied by them?

**Dr. M. M. Das :** Taking over of these historical monuments, palaces etc. depends upon the merits and importance of each individual case. Our Director of Archaeology visits these places and if he thinks that a particular monument is of great national importance, then it is taken over.

**Dr. Ram Subhag Singh :** May I know if the palace of Babu Kunwar Singh of Jagadapur was visited by the officers of the Archaeological Department and whether any recommendation has been made by those officers to the Government of India?

**Mr. Speaker :** I am afraid this goes much beyond the question here.

**श्री धुलेकर :** झांसी के महल के लिये क्या योजना बनाई गई है और उसके लिए कुल कितना सालाना बजट मुकरर किया गया है ?

**Dr. M. M. Das :** These things will be considered when the palace is taken over by our Archaeological Department.

### Educated Unemployment

\*138. **Shri Gadlingana Gowd :** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Andhra Government has made a request for financial assistance under the Scheme to Relieve Educated Unemployment; and

(b) if so, the amounts sanctioned in this regard?

**The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Education (Dr. M. M. Das) :**

(a) Yes.

(b) Rs. 4,65,300.

May I add that the Andhra Government did not participate in the scheme during the year 1953-54. During 1954-55 they were sanctioned Rs. 3,60,000 for the appointment of 1200 teachers out of which they appointed only 1053 teachers. During the current financial year, Government of India's contribution of Rs. 4,21,200 for the continuation of the 1053 teachers appointed during 1954-55 had been approved and their share for the first quarter amounting to Rs. 1,05,300 has been sanctioned.

**Shri Raghaviah :** May I know what is the total educated unemployed in Andhra and how much grant has been proposed by the Central Government to be given to Andhra to alleviate educated unemployment?

**The Deputy Minister of Education (Dr. K. D. Shrimall) :** I shall need notice to answer the question about the total number of educated unemployed in Andhra State. I might inform the hon. Member that this scheme has a very limited scope. It is intended to employ those educated people who are not employed and who are willing to become teachers. It is not to provide employment to all the unemployed but only to those people who are willing to work as teachers in rural areas.

### Naharkatiya Oil Field

\*141. **Shri Bogawatt :** Will the Minister of Natural Resources and Scientific Research be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of oil and petroleum likely to be available from the Naharkatiya Oil Field in Assam during the next two years; and

(b) whether attempts are being made by the Assam Oil Company for the discovery of petroleum, if so, where and with what result?

**The Minister of Natural Resources (Shri K. D. Malaviya) :** (a) and (b). The Assam Oil Company is carrying out intensive systematic exploration work by geophysical surveys. The Company has intensified its search for oil all over the valley after its successful find of petroleum at Naharkatiya on the southern edge of the Brahmaputra Valley. As the extent of the discovery of the Naharkatiya field has not yet been firmly established, it is too premature to estimate what the production of oil from this field will be during the next two years.

### "Gandhi Mahapurana"

\*142. **Shri Sanganna :** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 804 on the 14th April, 1955 regarding financial assistance for publishing the "Gandhi Mahapurana" and state the decision taken in the matter?

**The Parliamentary Secretary of the Minister of Education (Dr. M. M. Das) :** The matter is still under consideration.

I may add that the matter had been referred to the Government of Orissa for assessing the standard of this work and to find out about the willingness of the