

area in Madhya Pradesh to find out the Bauxite deposits;

(b) if so, the estimated quantity of Bauxite found; and

(c) whether this survey was undertaken by our geologists or some foreign experts were engaged to survey the region?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Mines and Fuel (Shri Hajarnavis):

(a) and (b). The preliminary survey of the bauxite deposits of Amarkantak region was completed by the Geological Survey of India during the period 1947—53. The reserves of bauxite with alumina content of about 50 per cent. have been estimated at about 9,45,000 tonnes.

(c) No foreign expert was engaged on the preliminary survey carried out by the Geological Survey of India. Detailed work on prospecting and exploration of the Bauxite deposits in this area has recently been undertaken by the Geological Survey of India. The work is in progress.

Three Year Degree Course

2342. Shri Bhagwat Jha Azad: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether the University Grants Commission is making available funds for which it is committed to such Universities which have introduced three year degree course; and

(b) whether such funds have been allocated to the Universities of Lucknow, Allahabad and Gorakhpur?

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

(b) No, Sir. These universities have not yet introduced the three-year degree course.

Yoga in Delhi Jails

2343. Shri A. S. Saigal: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state whether it is a fact that Yoga has been started in Delhi Jails to keep

the prisoners fit and twenty inmates will shortly qualify as Yoga Instructors?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar): Yes, 14 prisoners have been trained as instructors so far. Thirty more prisoners will qualify as Yoga instructors in about 3 weeks.

बैलाडिला परियोजना

२३४४. श्री लक्ष्मू भवानी : क्या खान और ईंधन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि बैलाडिला प्रोजेक्ट में पढ़े-लिखे आदिवासी छात्रों को नौकरी में प्रमत्तता क्यों नहीं दी जाती ?

खान और ईंधन मंत्री (श्री केशव देव मालवीय) : इस समय भारतीय खान विभाग राष्ट्रीय खनिज विकास निगम की तरफ से बैलाडिला क्षेत्र के विभिन्न निक्षेपों के विस्तृत अन्वेषण कार्य में लगा हुआ है। जब यह विभाग इस कार्य को पूरा कर लेगा तब निगम द्वारा प्रत्येक निक्षेप के लिए विस्तृत परियोजना रिपोर्ट तैयार की जायेगी और उनका कार्यान्वित करने के लिए आवश्यक कार्यवाही की जायेगी। अतः मौजूदा स्थिति में उपर्युक्त परियोजना में नौकरी का प्रश्न परिपक्व नहीं है।

Recovery of Contraband Ganja

2345. Shri Raghunath Singh: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) whether 3 maunds of contraband Ganja was recovered by the Excise Department in Etah District of Uttar Pradesh on the 29th April, 1962; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

The Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): (a) and (b). On the 22nd April, 1962 a party consisting of Station Officer, Sahawar, Circle Inspector 'K' and Excise Inspector, Kasganj organised a raid and seized Indian Hemp Plants weighing 3