

far, applications for import of machinery and equipment required for the above project valuing about Rs. 5.74 crores have been received and licences have been issued for Rs. 4.12 crores. The Licensing Authorities have been asked to expedite the grant of licences in the remaining cases. The colliery companies are also constantly being persuaded to submit applications for import licences expeditiously so that the loan is utilised by due dates.

Reviewing Committee for Survey of India

226. Shrimati Maimoona, Sultan: Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the reviewing committee for Survey of India and the National Atlas Organisation has submitted its final report to the Union Government;

(b) if so, what are the main recommendations of the Reviewing Committee; and

(c) what decisions Government have taken thereon?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Dr. M. M. Das): (a) to (c). Yes, Sir. The report is under consideration by the Government. It will be placed upon the Table of the House in appropriate time.

All India Sports Congress

227. Shri Karni Singhji: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposals made during the All India Sports Congress have been implemented; and

(b) if not, whether Government will indicate a phased programme for implementation of the proposals?

The Minister of Education (Dr. K. L. Shrimall): (a) and (b). The All India Council of Sports—a body set up by this Ministry for advice in all

matters pertaining to Sports and Games—considered recently the various recommendations made by the First All India Sports Congress and expressed its view thereon. These are now receiving the attention of Government.

Students Funds in Delhi

**228. { Shri P. K. Ghosh:
Shri Y. N. Singha:**

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there are numerous complaints from the student class against the diversion of students society funds, games funds and college building funds by the managements of various aided colleges in the Capital; and

(b) if so, what action Government have taken to stop such exploitation of students funds?

The Minister of Education (Dr. K. L. Shrimall): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

National Museum, Delhi

**229. { Shri Narendra Singh Mahid-
Shri Solanki:**

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

(a) whether it is a fact that entrance to the National Museum in New Delhi is free on Sundays and Holidays, and on Fridays the entrance is by tickets of Re. 1 each, and during the rest of the week at 25 nP. each; and

(b) if so, what is the reason that visitors are charged Re. 1 on Fridays and 25 nP. on other days?

The Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Shri Humayun Kabir): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. It is the practice in most countries to charge an entrance fee to such