

The other parent desired that the existing ceiling of Rs. 1,000 p.m. should be raised to Rs. 1,500 p.m. for allowing exemption in school fees.

(c) It has been decided to continue for the present the existing income limits.

**गंगानगर रेलवे स्टेशन के निकट एक गोले का गिरना**

2172. श्री हुकम चन्द कच्छवाय: क्या गृह-कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि 21 जून, 1965 के लखनऊ तथा राय बरेली सेशन पर गंगानगर रेलवे स्टेशन के बाहरी सिग्नल के निकट रेलवे लाइन के पास 5 मन भार का एक गोला बड़े घमाके के साथ गिरा था;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या सरकार ने इस गोले की जांच कराई है; और

(ग) यदि नहीं, तो इस के क्या कारण हैं ?

गृह-कार्य मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (श्री ल० ना० मिश्र) : (क) राय-बरेली-लखनऊ रोड पर गंगानगर रेलवे स्टेशन के निकट कुछ ग्रामीणों को 22 जून, 1965 को पिछली रात 2.00 बजे 224.5 और 221 पीड बजन की दो गोलागार चीजें मिली ।

(ख) जी हां । उन की जांच की जा रही है ।

(ग) प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता ।

**Crime Situation in the Country**

2173. Shri Harish Chandra Mathur: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether any survey has been made of the crime situation in the country in general and in the Union Territories in particular;

(b) whether Police force is adequately equipped to meet the situation and if any deficiencies are felt, what those are; and

(c) the steps Government propose to take to improve the situation?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri L. N. Mishra): (a) to (c). As maintenance of law and order and police administration are State subjects, the crime situation is reviewed periodically by the State Governments and appropriate steps taken by them to remedy the deficiencies in their police forces and equipment and to keep the crime under control.

As regards Union Territories, the crime situation is reviewed periodically by the Administrations/Union Territory Governments. The strength of police force and its equipment are also reviewed periodically. Senior police officers of the Government of India were deputed to Union Territories of Manipur, Tripura, Goa, Daman and Diu, Pondicherry and Dadra and Nagar Haveli, to study police set up and to recommend measures for improvement. In Delhi, steps are being taken to augment the strength of the police force to make it more efficient and better equipped. It is also proposed to establish a Forensic Science Laboratory in Delhi under the control of the C.B.I.

**Teaching of Science in Madhya Pradesh Schools**

2174. { Shri Vidya Charan Shukla:  
Shri A. S. Saigal:  
Shri J. P. Jyotishki:  
Shri Wadiwa:  
Shri Chandak:  
Shrimati Minimata:

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether an inquiry has been made with regard to the supply of equipment for the teaching of science in the Higher Secondary Schools in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) the number of Higher Secondary Schools in Madhya Pradesh