

(क) उन में से कितने विदेशों में रहने अपना बाव में बड़ा चले गये और वहाँ नौकरी कर रहे हैं अपना स्वतंत्र रूप से अपना कारोबार चला रहे हैं ?

शिक्षा मंत्री (डा० का० ला० श्रीवास्तव) :

(क) और (ख). सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है।

#### Raygad Fort

2113. Shri Amar: Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether Raygad Fort in the district of Kolaba (Bombay State) is under the management of the Central Archaeological Department;

(b) if so, the amount sanctioned by Government for its maintenance during 1957-58 and 1958-59;

(c) whether Government have any scheme to develop the fort as a tourist centre; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

The Deputy Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Dr. M. M. Das): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 1957-58. Rs. 911.  
1958-59. Rs. 6,940.

(c) The Union Department of Archaeology has no such scheme.

(d) Does not arise.

#### Central Excise Collectorate, Mysore

2114 { Shri D. A. Katti:  
Shri Manay:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) what was the collection of gleaned tobacco in the Belgaum Division of Mysore Collectorate of Central Excise where Mahar concession licences are issued, from 1944 to 1958; and

(b) if there has been any fall, the reasons therefor?

The Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): (a) The information regarding the quantity of tobacco gleaned by the Mahar Concession Licensees in the Belgaum Division of Mysore Collectorate available with the Government, is as follows—

Year	Quantity in lbs. (nearest thousand)
1954 . . .	6,60,000
1955 . . .	2,69,000
1956 . . .	1,10,000
1957 . . .	1,19,000
1958 . . .	1,06,000

The Departmental records relating to the earlier years which were ripe for destruction have been destroyed.

(b) The fall noticed in the recent years is reported to have been due to the following reasons—

(i) Progressive fall in tobacco acreage in the Belgaum Division from 52,000 acres in 1954 to 34,000 acres in 1959.

(ii) Due to fall in acreage, the growers utilising even inferior tobacco most of which they were discarding earlier, thereby leaving lesser and lesser quantity for the Mahars.

(iii) Greater vigilance by growers over the activities of Mahars who also pilfered good quality tobacco leaves.

#### Small Savings Scheme

2115. { Shri Warier:  
Shri Kodiyar:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state how much amount in the Small Savings Scheme has been collected by way of transfer from either reserve or deposit amounts of banks and such other financial institutions during the Second Five Year Plan period so far?

The Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): As the investors are