

(b) Scholarships for Research granted.

	1960-61	1961-62 (Up-to-date)
Andhra University	13	4
Osmania University	8	..
Sri Venkateswara University	6	

Scholarships for research to be granted.

Cannot be indicated at present.

#### Vigyan Mandirs in Andhra Pradesh

4482. **Shri Madhusudan Rao:** Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Vigyan Mandirs started in Andhra Pradesh during 1960-61 have since been completed;

(b) whether some new Vigyan Mandirs will be started in the State during 1961-62; and

(c) if so, the names of the places for the same?

**The Deputy Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Dr. Mono Mohon Das):** (a) No Vijnan Mandir was established in Andhra Pradesh during 1960-61.

(b) and (c). The locations of Vijnan Mandirs are fixed in consultation with State Governments. So far, one Vijnan Mandir has been established in Andhra Pradesh at Kodur (District Cuddapah) during 1961-62.

#### Building for Regional Engineering College, Warangal

4483. **Shri Madhusudan Rao:** Will the Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the progress so far made in regard to the construction of building and hostels of the Regional Engineering College at Warangal in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) the total amount spent so far on construction and the amount that remains to be spent; and

(c) whether the construction work is expected to be completed within the scheduled period?

**The Minister of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs (Shri Humayun Kabir):** (a) and (b). The construction of two hostel blocks and a dining hall, one unit of Workshops and one unit of Engineering Laboratories is in progress and is expected to be completed in the course of next 3-4 months. An amount of Rs 7.98 lakhs has been spent on these buildings, so far and a further amount of Rs. 7.98 lakhs is expected to be spent for their completion.

(c) The entire construction programme is being carried out in three phases, and is expected to be completed according to schedule subject, however, to the availability of the necessary building materials.

#### Allocation of Steel to Andhra Pradesh

4484. **Shri Madhusudan Rao:** Will the Minister of Steel, Mines and Fuel be pleased to state:

(a) the total allocation of steel to the Andhra Pradesh Government for construction of its projects during the years 1960-61 and 1961-62;

(b) the break-up figures of each project;

(c) whether the work of any project has been hampered by non-supply of steel to it; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

**The Minister of Steel, Mines and Fuel (Sardar Swaran Singh):** (a) Government of India do not make separate allocations to different projects of any State Government. A quota is placed at the disposal of the State Governments who allocate it among various consumers including their projects, according to their priority. The steel quotas allotted to Andhra Pradesh Government during 1960-61 and the first-half of 1961-62 were 9,299 and 4,650 tons in respect of sheets (thinner than 14 gauge) and