

from Peking and from pro-Peking sources to send anti-Indian literature to India by various insidious means. In an attempt to elude detection by the Customs and Postal authorities, such literature is sometime mailed from various foreign countries. Government have not come across any large-scale inflow of such literature into Kerala from Ceylon, though some pamphlets are reported to have come in.

"I may assure the Members that constant vigil is being maintained in the matter and appropriate action is being taken under the law whenever necessary."

CULTURAL DELEGATIONS TO AND FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES

231. { SHRI SANKAR PRATAP
SINGH DEV;
SHRI RAM SINGH:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state the number of cultural delegations sent abroad and the number of such delegations which visited India during the last two years together with the expenditure incurred on each?

THE MINISTER OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (SHRI R. M. HAJARNAVIS): Forty-three cultural delegations were sent abroad as against forty-seven such delegations which visited India during the last two years. Sanctioned expenditure amounted to Rs. 7,99,263 and Rs. 7,67,126 respectively. Firm figures of expenditure are not available as, in many cases, accounts have not so far been settled.

LOANS ADVANCED TO D.P.s. BY WEST BENGAL GOVERNMENT

232. { SHRI SANKAR PRATAP
SINGH DEV;
SHRI RAM SINGH:

Will the Minister of REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that he held a discussion with the West Bengal Rehabilitation Minister regarding the sharing of losses by the Centre on unrecovered loans advanced to the displaced persons by the West Bengal Government; and

(b) if so, what are the details of the agreement reached as a result of that discussion?

THE MINISTER OF REHABILITATION (SHRI MAHAVIR TYAGI): (a) Yes.

(b) No agreement has yet been reached. The matter is still under consideration.

†HOSTILE NAGAS

59. SHRI M. S. GURUPADA SWAMY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state whether it is a fact that a gang of hostile Nagas armed with automatic weapons attacked the police station of Chandel, headquarters of Tengnongpal Sub-Division of Manipur on the 16th April, 1965?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI JAISUKHLAL HATHI): According to Manipur Administration, on the night of 16th April, 1965, Chandel police heard two shots fired about four hundred yards away. They then fired five rounds. Nothing else took place.

†DEATH OF A NAGA LEADER

80. SHRI R. P. N. SINHA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the news of the death of one of the Naga leaders, Rani Gaidila, has been found to be incorrect; and

†Transferred from the 4th May, 1965.