will be decided on the merit of each case.]

पत्र-ब्यवहार द्वारा पाठ्यक्रमों तथा सायंकालीन कालेजों का चालू किया जाना

- १२. श्री भगवत नारायण भागंव : क्या शिक्षा मंत्री ७ मार्च, १६६३ को राज्य सभा में तारांकित प्रश्न संख्या २६५ के दिये गये उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :
- (क) पत्न-ज्यवहार द्वारा पाठ्यक्रमों तथा सायंकालीन कालेजों की योजना १६६३-६४ के वर्ष में कहां कहां चालू की गई तथा १६६४-६५ के वर्ष में उसके कहां-कहां चालू किये जाने की संभावना है; ग्रीर
- (ख) क्या पत्र-व्यवहार द्वारा नाठ्य-कमों में एम० ए० की परीक्षा भी शामिल कर ली गई है ?

t [Introduction of Correspondence Courses and Evening Colleges

- 12. SHRI B. N. BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 295 on 7th March, 1963 in Rajya Sabha and state:
- (a) the names of places where the scheme of correspondence courses and evening colleges was started during the year 1963-64 and the names of places where it is likely to be started in the year 1964-65; and
- (b) whether MA. Examination has also been included in the correspondence courses?]

शिक्षा मंत्री (श्री एम० सी० चागला):
(क) १६६३-६४ के दौरान डाक द्वारा
कोई पाठ्यकम या सायंकालीन कालेज
ग्रारंभ नहीं किया गया । १६६४-६५
के दौरान कहीं भी डाक द्वारा
पाठ्यकम ग्रारंभ करने का कोई विचार नहीं

है। किन्तु सायंकालीन कालेजों को सहायक अनुदान की एक योजना सभी राज्य सरकारों और विश्वविद्यालयों को भेजी गई है, और उनके सुझावों की प्रतीक्षा है।

(ख) जी नहीं

●(•[THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION (SHRI M. C. CHAGLA): (a) No Correspondence Courses or Evening Colleges were started during 1963-64. In 1964-65 also there is no proposal to start Correspondence Courses anywhere. But a scheme of grant-in-aid to Evening Colleges has been sent to all State Governments and universities; and proposals are awaited.

(b) No, Sir.]

I.A.S. CANDIDATES OFFERING HINDI

13. Shri J. S. PILLAI: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state the number of candidates who had taken Hindi as an optional subject from amongst those who have been selected for I.AJS. i_n 1964?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI L. N. MISHRA); Out of the 135 candidates recommended by the U.P.S.C. for appointment to IAS/ I.F.S. on the results of the IAS, etc., examination held in 1963 two had taken Hindi as an optional subject for the examination. Appointments of these candidates to the IAS/IFS are under consideration.

12 NOON PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

THE INDIAN TELEGRAPH (SECOND AMENDMENT) RULES. 1964

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI B. BHAGAVATI): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table, under subsection (5) of section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885, a copy of the Department of Posts and Telegraphs