

†[THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI): The Asian Games will be held at Djakarta from 24th August to 4th September, 1962. The Indian Olympic Association, which is responsible for sending teams for participation in these Games, has not yet taken any final decisions in the matter.]

COMMUNITY SINGING OF NATIONAL ANTHEM IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

320. SHRI M. P. BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to refer to the answer given to Starred Question No. 282 in the Rajya Sabha on the 7th May, 1962 and state:

(a) the names of the States from which further communications have been received concerning the implementation of the recommendations of the National Integration Conference that the day's work in educational institutions should begin with the community singing of the National Anthem;

(b) the names of the States from which no communication has so far been received; and

(c) the names of the States which have so far adopted the recommendation?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI): (a) to (c) With the exception of Punjab all other States have accepted the recommendation of the National Integration Conference that the day's work in educational institutions should begin with the community singing of National Anthem. A reply is still awaited from the Punjab Government.

SAINIK SCHOOL IN MADHYA PRADESH

321. SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken a final decision to open a Sainik School in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the place where it is to be opened?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI K. RAGHURAMAIAH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The School is being set up at Rewa in Madhya Pradesh and will start functioning from July 1962.

RIGHT TO STRIKE BY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

322. SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to abandon the proposal of depriving its employees of the right to strike; and

(b) if so, since when the proposal has been abandoned?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI LAL BAHADUR): (a) and (b) The entire matter regarding Government's relationship with its employees is under consideration.

DIFFERENT LANGUAGE EDITIONS OF SAINIK SAMACHAR

323. SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) who supervises the work of different Indian language editions of 'Sainik Samachar' and what are the minimum qualifications and experience required for this work; and

(b) who is responsible for the collection of articles published exclusively in the language editions and who edits them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI K. RAGHURAMAIAH): (a) The work is supervised by the Editor, two Assistant Editors and ten Sub-Editors. A

statement showing the qualifications and experience prescribed for the posts of Editor, Assistant Editor and Sub-Editor is enclosed.

(b) These articles are collected and edited by the Sub-Editors in consultation with the Assistant Editors and the Editor.

STATEMENT

Name of the Post	Minimum Qualification and experience required
1. Editor <i>Essential</i>	<p>(a) Degree of a recognised University.</p> <p>(b) About 5 years' experience of responsible journalistic work preferably as Sub-Editor of a newspaper or journal or as a Military Observer or as a Public Relations Officer.</p> <p>(c) Thorough knowledge of pictorial journalism or feature writing as well a experience in lay out. (Qualifications relaxable at the Commission's discretion in the case of candidates otherwise well qualified).</p>
	<i>Desirable</i>
	<p>(a) Experience in Army, Navy or Air Force.</p> <p>(b) Knowledge of one or more of the following languages :— Roman-Urdu, Urdu, Hindi, Punjabi, Tamil, Telugu, Gorkhali and Marathi.</p> <p>(c) Experience of office administration.</p>
2. Assistant Editor.	<i>Essential</i>
	<p>(a) Degree of a recognised University.</p> <p>(b) About 3 years' experience of responsible journalistic work preferably as Sub-Editor of a newspaper or journal or as a Military Observer or as a Public Relations Officer.</p> <p>(c) Thorough knowledge of pictorial journalism or feature writing as well as experience in lay out. (Qualifications relaxable at the Commission's discretion in the case of candidates otherwise well qualified.)</p>
	<i>Desirable.</i>
	<p>(a) Experience in Army, Navy or Air Force.</p> <p>(b) Knowledge of one or more of the following languages :— Roman-Urdu, Urdu, Hindi, Punjabi, Tamil, Telugu, Gorkhali and Marathi.</p> <p>(c) Experience of office administration.</p>
3. Sub-Editor <i>Essential</i>	<p>(a) Degree of a recognised University (relaxable in exceptional cases, if the candidate is otherwise well qualified).</p> <p>(b) Honours/Proficiency in the language concerned.</p> <p>(c) Journalistic experience of at least one year in a newspaper or journal of the language concerned.</p> <p>(d) Capacity to write feature articles, subbing, proof-reading, reviewing, books and periodicals and looking after the lay out, typography and get up of an illustrated magazine.</p>