

(ii) Hindi or English.

(iii) One modern Indian language other than the one taken under (i) and (ii).

This amendment makes study of three languages compulsory instead of two languages as envisaged in Secondary Education Commission's Report, but it does not make Hindi compulsory in non-Hindi areas.

#### GRANTS PAID TO UNIVERSITIES AND TECHNICAL INSTITUTIONS

\*239. SHRI H. C. MATHUR: Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of grants paid by the Central Government to each university and each technical training institution from year to year since 1950;

(b) the purpose for which the grants were paid; and

(c) the conditions subject to which the grants were given?

THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (MAULANA ABUL KALAM AZAD): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

#### DEFENCE PERSONNEL RECEIVING TRAINING ABROAD

\*240. SHRI H. C. MATHUR: Will the Minister for DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) how many Indian officers are at present receiving military training abroad;

(b) in which countries and for what courses they are receiving training; and

(c) whether any programme or arrangement for foreign training during the next three years has been fixed up so far?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR DEFENCE (SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA):

(a) 77 officers of the Army, Navy, and Air Force are at present undergoing training abroad,

(b) They are receiving training in special and technical courses in U.K., U.S.A., France, Canada and Australia.

(c) No.

उच्च शिक्षा के लिये विदेश भेजे गये व्यक्ति

\*२४९. श्री कृष्णकान्त व्यास : क्या शिक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) भारत सरकार की छात्रवृत्ति सम्बन्धी योजनाओं के अधीन उच्च शिक्षा प्राप्त करने के लिये १९५५ में कितने व्यक्तियों को छात्रवृत्तियाँ दे कर विदेश भेजा गया ;

(ख) अध्ययन समाप्त कर के १९५५ में कितने व्यक्ति भारत वापस आये ;

(ग) वापस आये व्यक्तियों में से कितनों को उन की नई योग्यता के अनुसार नौकरियाँ दी गई हैं ;

(घ) उन में से कितने अभी अपने पुराने स्थानों पर ही सेवायुक्त हैं ; और

(ङ) कितने अब भी बेकार हैं ?

†[PERSONS SENT ABROAD FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

\*249. SHRI KRISHNAKANT VYAS: Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons sent abroad for higher education on scholarships under Government of India Scholarships Schemes during 1955;

(b) the number of persons who returned to India in 1955 after completion of studies;

(c) the number of those amongst them who were given appointments compatible with their new qualifications;

English translation.