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CENTRE'S CONTRIBUTION TO STATES UNDER THE FIVE YEAR PLAN

45. SHRI H. C. MATHUR: Will the Minister for PLANNING be pleased to state the amounts which were actually paid by the end of September 1953 to the different States as Centre's contribution under the various heads in implementation of the Five Year Plan and the dates on which these amounts were made available?

THE MINISTER FOR PLANNING (SHRI G. L. NANDA): Statements showing loans and grants sanctioned by the Central Government in favour of Part A and Part B States during the period 1951-52 to 1953-54 are laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix VI, Annexure No. 19.]

IMPORT OF LIQUOR

46. SHRI GOVINDA REDDY: Will the Minister for COMMERCE AND IN-DUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of liquor imported (itemwise) in 1951 and 1952; and

(b) how the import position in these two years compares with the import position in the years from 1947 to 1950, in respect of quantity imported and customs and excise duties realised?

THE MINISTER FOR COMMERCE (SHRI D. P. KARMARKAR): (a) and (b). Two statements are attached. Excise duties are collected by the State Governments and the Union Government have not got the details in their possession. [See Appendix VI, Annexure No. 20.]

INDIANS WHO HAVE LEFT BURMA

47. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether some Indians were asked to leave Burma by the Government of that country; (b) if so, how many Indians left Burma in pursuance of that order;

(c) whether these Indians own any immovable property in Burma, if so, what is its value; and

(d) what action has been taken by the Government of India in the matter?

THE PRIME MINISTER AND MINIS-TER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND DEFENCE (SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU): (a) to (d). Information is not yet available and has been asked for from the Indian Embassy in Rangoon. It will be placed before the House when received.

FINANCIAL HELP TO NEWSPRINT CONCERNS

48. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister for COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) which are the newsprint manufacturing concerns that have been financially helped by Government during the past three years; and

(b) how many newsprint manufacturing concerns applied for assistance from the Centre during the period?

THE MINISTER FOR COMMERCE (SHRI D. P. KARMARKAR): (a) and (b). There is only one newsprint manufacturing concern in the country at present (National Newsprint and Paper Mills) which is under erection in Madhya Pradesh.

The Government of India have advanced a loan of Rs. 97.33 lakhs to the Madhya Pradesh Government for financing this project. No application for financial assistance has been received direct from this concern.

REPRESENTATIVE OF U. N. HIGH COM-MISSIONER FOR REFUGEES

49. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state: