

The wholesale price of castor seed per imperial maund of 82 2/7 lb. as reported from important markets towards the close of November 1936 was Rs. 5-7-0 in Vizagapatam and Ellore, Rs. 5-6-0 in Vizianagaram, Rs. 5-3-0 in Rajahmundry, Rs. 5-1-0 in Cocanada, Rs. 5-0-0 in Bezwada and Cuddapah, Rs. 4-14-0 in Vellore, Rs. 4-12-0 in Masulipatam and Bellary, Rs. 4-11-0 in Trichinopoly, Rs. 4-9-0 in Nandyal, Rs. 4-7-0 in Salem, and Rs. 4-2-0 in Tinnevely. As compared with the prices reported at the corresponding date of last year, these prices reveal a rise of 14 per cent in Cuddapah, 9 per cent in Ellore, 8 per cent in Vizianagaram, 5 per cent in Vizagapatam, 4 per cent in Rajahmundry and Vellore and 1 per cent in Cocanada, Nandyal and Trichinopoly and a fall of 20 per cent in Bellary, 12 per cent in Tinnevely and 1 per cent in Salem whilst they remained stationary in the other centres.

College News & Notes.

Mr. R. C. Broadfoot, Principal and Ex-Officio President of the M. A. S. U. returned from leave and took charge on 30-12-'36 from Mr. K. Ramiah who was in additional charge of the Principal's Office from 23-12-'36. Mr. R. W. Littlewood left for Hosur on 6-1-'37. The same day Mr. D. G. Munro left for Cochin enroute to England, on leave.

Students' Corner. The College reopened after the Xmas and New Year holidays on the 4th January. Students of the 2nd year B. Sc., have gone on tour.

Departmental Notifications.

Transfers & Postings. Mr. N. Ganeshamurthy, A. D., Salem to be A. D., Harur; Mr. P. Appaswamy Pillai, A. A. D. on leave to be A. A. D., Salem; Mr. V. Satagopan, A. D., Coimbatore deputed to the Botanical Sub Station, Pusa for training in flue curing of tobacco; Mr. T. K. Thangavelu, A. D., Coonoor to be A. D., Coimbatore; Mr. K. G. S. Bhandary, A. D., Ootacamund to be in additional charge of Coonoor sub-circle; Mr. N. Srinivasa Rao, A. D., Tirupur to be A. D., Pollachi; Mr. B. G. Narayana Menon, A. D., Pollachi to be A. D. in the Co. 2 Scheme.

Leave. Mr. A. Abdul Samad, Dry Farming Station, Bellary, 1. a. p. for 30 days from 4-12-'36 with permission to prefix the Xmas and New Year holidays; Mr. R. Kolandavelu Naicker, A. D., Peruvani, extension of 1. a. p. for 2 months on m. c.; Mr. A. Gopalan Nair, F. M., Taliparamba extension of 1. a. p. for 3½ months on m. c. from 23-12-'36; Mr. P. Kesavanunni Nambiar, A. D., Co. 2. Scheme, 1. a. p. for 2 months from 23-12-'36.