

(ii) One official out of 41 was not entitled to receive gratuity as he had not put in ten years service. He did not avail of Contributory Provident Fund

(iii) 3 officials were given terminal gratuity;

(iv) 3 cases of gratuity are yet to be finalised;

(v) In one case, as the required information regarding pension from the Army has not been furnished, the case has been taken up with the Army Record Office concerned.

(c) 41, as per statement laid on the Table of the House. [*Placed in Library See No. LT-1972/72*].

#### Introduction of Bill on B. H. U

5290. SHRI C. K. CHANDRAPPAN : Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government intend to move a comprehensive Bill on Banaras Hindu University,

(b) if so, the salient features thereof; and

(c) time by which is it likely to be introduced ?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (PROF. S. NURUL HASAN) : (a) to (c). The University Grants Commission has set up a Committee under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor, Banaras Hindu University to examine the structure of the University and to work out proposals for legislation in the light of the recommendations made by Gajendragadkar Committee on Governance of Universities. On receipt of the report of the Committee, action for introducing a comprehensive legislation for the Banaras Hindu University will be initiated.

#### Talks on Indo-Soviet Cooperation in Agricultural Research

5291. SHRI C. K. CHANDRAPPAN :  
DR. LAXMINARAIN  
PANDEYA :

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether talks on Indo-Soviet Cooperation in Agriculture Research have been held in Delhi recently;

(b) if so, the main features thereof, and

(c) the results of the talks ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ANNASAHEB P SHINDE) : (a) Yes, Sir

(b) and (c). An Agreement operative for five year in the first instance was entered into on 18th June, 1971 between the Govt. of India and the Govt of USSR for development of Scientific and Technical Cooperation in the fields of Agriculture and Animal Sciences. The recent talks were in pursuance of this Agreement and covered the programme for 1972 and the first half of 1973. A copy of the Protocol of the talks signed on 10.4.1972 is given in the statement laid on the Table of the House [*Placed in Library. See No. LT-1973/72*]

#### National Seminar on Small and Marginal Farmers and Agricultural Labourers

5292. SHRI C. K. CHANDRAPPAN :  
SHRI P. NARASIMHA  
REDDY :

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state the main recommendations made by the National Seminar on Small and Marginal Farmers and Agricultural labourers held recently in Delhi ?