Strengthening the Borders

- *442. Shri Yashpal Singh: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government propose to rehabilitate the ex-Servicemen and other people who have been victims of the Chinese and Pakistani aggression in the areas and vicinity of Indian Frontiers with Pakistan and China: and
 - (b) if so, the details thereof?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shrl L. N. Mishra): (a) and (b). Proposals for settling ex-servicemen in border areas in certain compact blocks where land may be available are under consideration of Central Government in consultation with the State Governments. A scheme for Tripura has been recently sanctioned.

Information under other items is under collection.

Research in Astrology

*443. Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government propose to institute scientific research in Astrology;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if answer to part (a) be in th€ negative, the reasons therefor?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Education (Shri Bhakt Darshan): (a) to (c). This Ministry has no proposal to institute scientific research in Astrology as such. Even though certain Institutions like the Varanaseya Sanskrit Vishwavidyalaya ore having Astrology as a subject of study, in terms of modern scientific development, astrology has yet to establish itself as a full-fledged science. It would therefore be premature to institute scientific research in Astrology at Government level.

Voluntary Sanskrit Organisations who inter alia are engaged in the study and teaching of Astrology are, however teligible for a grant under this Ministry's scheme for financial assistance to Voluntary Sanskin: Organisations etc.

बम्बई में भी नम्बूबरीबाद का भाषण

*444. श्री हुकम चन्द कछ्वाय : श्री घोंकार लाल बेरवा : श्री युद्धबोर सिंह : श्री जगवेब सिंह सिद्धान्ती : श्री विभाम प्रसाद :

क्या गृह-कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

- (क) क्या वामपन्नी साम्यवादी नेता श्री ई० एम० एस० नम्बृद्धीपाद ने बम्बई में दिये गये अपने किसी भाषण में कहा है कि पाकिस्सान तथा चीन दोनों से भारतीय राज्य-क्षेत्र वापिस नहीं लिया जाना चाहिये; भीर
- (ख) यदि हां, तो सरकार ने इस सम्बन्ध में क्या कार्यवाही की है ?

गृह-कार्य मंत्री (श्री तन्या): (क) कहा जाता है कि 9-11-65 को वस्पई में दियं गयं प्रपने एक भाषण में श्री ई० एम० एस० नस्बुरीपाद ने यह कहा कि यदि मारन सरकार का यह उद्देश्य हो कि पाकिस्तान से प्राज्ञाद काश्मीर भीर चीन में भन्साई चिन वापस ले लिया जाय भीर निज्जन को भाजाद कराने के लिये भाकमण कर दिया जाय नो उनकी पार्टी मरकार का ममर्थन नहीं करेगी।

(ख) सरकार उपयुक्त समय पर जरूरत के मुताबिक कार्यवाही करेगी ।

Mystery Document Circulated in Kerala

*445. Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath; Shri D. C. Sharma;

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 194 on the 25th August, 1965 and state:

- (a) whether the inquiry into mystery document circulated in Kerala has since been completed; and
 - (b) if so, the result thereof?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs and Minister of Defence Supplies in the Ministry of Defence (Shri Hathi): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) It has not been possible to trace the origin of the document.

Retired Govt. Servants Employed in Private Companies

1170. Shri Madhu Limaye: Shri Bagri:

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of retired Government servants who are at present holding managerships or directorships or similar high offices in private sector companies; and
- (b) whether Government propose to put a ban on such Government servants accepting posts in companies in the private sector?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs and Minister of Defence Supplies in the Ministry Defence (Shri Hathi): (a) Government have no information.

(b) Attention is invited to the reply given on the floor of the House to Starred Question No. 428 on 4th March, 1964, Starred Question No. 189 on 25th August, 1965 and Starred Question No. 129 on 10th November, 1965. The matter is under consideration.

Reservation in Services for Military Personnel

1171. Shri Madhu Limaye: Shri Bagri:

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

Government have (a) whether received any request from the Punjab Government to the effect that while recruiting and selecting personnel for IPS: IAS and IFS between 1967-70, 33 to 20 per cent of the posts should be reserved for armed personnel who took part in fighting against Pakistan;

(b) if so Government's reaction thereto?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri L. N. Mishra): (a) and (b) No. Government however, decided, as one of the measures for the rehabilitation of released Emergency Commissioned Officers, to reserve the following percentages of permanent vacancies in the All India Services and the Central Services posts class I and Class II (nontechnical) for released Emergency Commissioned Officers:

IAS/IFS 20% 33100 Class I Service/Posts 25% (non technical) Class II Service/Posts 33 100 (non technical:

This scheme was under consideration of Government in consultation with the State Governments and the Punjab Government had conveyed their concurrence in the proposed reservation of vacancies.

Diversification of Studies

1172, Shri A. K. Gopalan: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that experiment in the diversification and terminalisation of studies at Secondary School level has not proved a success;
 - (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) when and in how many schools the experiment was started?

The Minister of Education (Shri M. C. Chagla): (a) and (b). Diversification has been effected through the scheme of multipurpose schools. Their