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[Maulana Acad: Some of the recommendations made in the Report of the Commission concerned the Government of-India and some concerned the State Governments and universities. The Central Government has sent all the recommendations concerning the latter to them and has drawn their attention to thera ]

Oral Answers

**Shri Dab**: May I know whether it is a fact that a Gram Vidya Pith is being established in Saurashtra?

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[Maulana Azad: May be.]

Mr. Deputy-Speaker: Such questions must be given previous notice of, so that the answers may be collected.

Shri B. S. Murthy: May I know whether the Central Government is in correspondence with the State Governments regarding the question of having a comprehensive scheme for rural universities?

[Maulana Azad: The recommendation of the Commission has been sent to the State Governments and correspondence with them is in progress.]

Mr. Deputy-Speaker: He began very well. He may go on.

Shri B. S. Murthy: Sir, I would have proceeded but for the interruptions. My question is this, whether the Central Government is in correspondence with the State Governments, especially for the bringing into being of these rural universities?

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[Maulana Azad: The recommendation of the Commission was that all State Governments should form a council for rural education. The Central Government was to decide in what manner and at wha' place the universities are to be established. Government of India have learnt on enquiry from the State Governments that no State has so far set up such a Council. Government wants that such councils should be formed first.]

Dr. Suresh Chandra: Do the Government propose to give grants to private institutions who want to run these universities?

[Maulana Azad: No such request has been made to Government.]

श्री गणपति रामः क्या में जान सकता हूं कि सन् ५३, ५४ के बजट में रूरल युनिवर्सिटियों के लिए क्रोई फंड रक्सा गया है ?

[Maulana Azad: There is no such fund for rural universities, but provision has been made for university education.]

## CYCLONE RELIEF WORK

\*550. Shri Veeraswamy: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of India have given any help to the Madras Government in connection with cyclone relief work; and

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(b) if so, what is the nature of help given so far?

The Deputy Minister of Home Affairs (Shri Datar): (a) and (b). No monetary help has been rendered from the Central Revenues. However, in response to an appcal issued by the Prime Minister for aid to Cyclone sufferers, contributions amounting to about Rs. 4,000 were received in the Prime Minister's National Relief Fund, out of which a sum of Rs. 2,350 has already been remitted in the Governor of Madras. In addition, a sum of Rs. 30,000 has also been sent to the Governor from the Prime Minister's National Relief Fund for relief of distress in the Cyclore affected area.

Shri Veeraswamy: May I know whether the Central Government has deputed any official to go and study the conditions of the people affected by the cyclone?

Shri Datar: I should like to have notice of the question.

Shri Venkataraman: May I know the extent of the damage suffered by the Tanjore and Tiruchirapalli districts in the cyclone?

Shri Datar: That information is not before me here.

Shri Venkataraman: May I know whether the Government of Madras asked the Central, Government for any assistance?

Shri Veeraswamy: May I know ...

Mr. Deputy-Speaker: Hon. Members will wait for the answers to be given.

Shri Datar: According to the information at our disposal no help was asked for so far as relief of distress in the cyclone-affected areas as such is concerned. But I understand this is one of the numerous heads for which help has been generally asked for.

Shri Veeraswamy: May I know whether the Madras Government has opproached the Central Government for any financial a'd in this respect?

Mr. Deputy-Speaker: The same question, and the squite answer, 513 PSD

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\*५५१.श्री रघुनाथ सिंह : क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बतलाने की कृपा करेंगे :

(क) क्या सरकार किन्हीं छात्र-सैनिकों तथा विभागीय अधिकारियों को आधुनिक युद्ध प्रणाली का ज्ञान प्राप्त करने अथवा उस में वास्तविक प्रशिक्षण प्राप्त करने के लिये विदेशों को भेजने की प्रस्थापना करती है, यदि हां, तो किन देशों को ; तथा

(ख) भारतीय सशस्त्र बलों में इस समय कितने विदेश-प्रशिक्षित अधिकारी हैं ?

The Deputy Minister of Defence (Shri Satish Chandra): (a) Selected officers of all the three Services are sent for specialised training abroad to the extent necessary. They are sent generally to the U. K. and occasionally to U. S. A., Canada and Australia.

(b) 836.

Shri B. S. Murthy: May I know whether any of our officers have been sent to West Germany for training and, if so, how many?

Shri Satish Chandra: I require notice for it. I do not know if any officers were sent to West Germany.

श्री रघुनाथ सिंह : क्या में जान सकता हूं कि इन फारेन ट्रेन्ड अ.क्रसरान के स्थान की पूर्ति के लिये हिन्दुस्तान में अफ़सर कितने दिन में टेन किये जायेंगे ?

श्री सतीश चन्द्रः सरकार की पालिसी है कि जहां तक हो सके उन चीखों की ट्रेनिंग का जिनका प्रबन्ध अभी यहां नहीं है, हिन्दुस्तान में किथा जाय, यह अफ़सर प्रवन्ध सिर्फ उन चीखों की ट्रेनिंग के लिये भेजे जाते हैं जिनका यहां इन्तजाम नहीं है।

श्री रधुनाथ सिंह : सुरक्षा की दृष्टि से विदेशियों को सेना में रखना क्या बांछनीय होगा ?

प्रधान मंत्री (श्री जव.हरज.ल नेहरू): जी नहीं, बहत ही कम है, साजो न।दिर नजर

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