

**The Minister of Health (Rajkumari Amrit Kaur):** (a) and (b). The Medical Council of India have recommended the recognition of the M.B.B.S. degree of Bihar University granted after the 1st April 1953. The question of recognising the degree under the Indian Medical Council Act, 1933 and including it in the First Schedule to the Act is under consideration of the Government of India.

#### DINING CAR IN LUCKNOW-KATI HAR MAIL

**\*1010. Shri Amjad Ali:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state whether Government propose to provide dining car facilities in the Lucknow-Katihar mail train?

**The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan):** A buffet car is already running on the Lucknow-Katihar mail.

Arrangements are in hand to replace the buffet car with a dining car service.

#### I. L. O. FELLOWSHIP SCHEME

**\*1016. Shri M. N. Singh:** (a) Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state whether it is a fact that candidates are recommended for training under the I.L.O. fellowship scheme from different Railways?

(b) If so, what is the basis of selection for these candidates?

**The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan):** (a) Yes, but it is proposed to take advantage of the Point-4 Programme.

(b) The matter is under consideration.

#### BOOKLET ON "KULU AND KANGRA"

**\*1019. Shri Amjad Ali:** Will the Minister of Transport be pleased to state:

(a) whether a booklet in pictures was issued recently by the Tourist Traffic Branch of the Ministry of Transport, with the title "Kulu and Kangra"; and

(b) what facilities for the stay of tourists are given in that area?

**The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan):** (a) Yes.

(b) The State Government allow the use of the P.W.D. and Forest Rest-Houses in these valleys to tourists on payment of usual charges.

#### A. M. S. DEGREE OF BANARAS UNIVERSITY

**\*1021. Shri Bibhuti Mishra:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether the degree of A.M.S. conferred by the Hindu University, Banaras is recognised by any State Government for purposes of employment; and

(b) if so, in which States?

**The Minister of Health (Rajkumari Amrit Kaur):** (a) Yes.

(b) Uttar Pradesh, Assam, Orissa, Madhya Pradesh, Bombay, Rajasthan, Hyderabad, PEPSU, Saurashtra, Madhya Bharat, Bhopal, Vindhya Pradesh, and Himachal Pradesh.

#### FAMILY PLANNING COMMITTEE

**\*1022. Shri Muniswamy:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state what are the main recommendations of the Family Planning and Programmes Committee?

**The Minister of Health (Rajkumari Amrit Kaur):** A statement showing the main recommendations of the Committee is placed on the Table of the House. [See Appendix IV, annexure No. 71.]

#### RECRUITMENT IN RAILWAY WORKSHOPS, KHARGPUR

**\*1023. Shri Sanganna:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) the number of recruitments made into class IV services in the Railway Workshops, Khargpur, in the years 1950, 1951, 1952 and 1953;