

कर चुके हैं, उन में अब कोई नया परिवर्तन न किया जाय, क्योंकि उन का व्यावहार सभी जगह होने लगा है ?

Dr. M. M. Das : I want notice.

श्री एम० एल० द्विवेदी : मैं यह जानना चाहता हूँ कि जैसेकि जो शब्द तैयार होते हैं और फाइनलाइज होने लगते हैं तो स्वीकृत होने के पूर्व उन का कुछ प्रचार किया जाता है, क्या उस तरह से यह शब्द प्रचार के लिये या राय जानने के लिये संसद के सदस्यों तक भी नहीं भेजे जाते ?

Dr. M. M. Das : They are not sent to the Members of Parliament.

But the newly coined words go through an elaborate process. I may describe it to the hon. Member.....

Mr. Speaker : Not necessary.

Shri S. C. Samanta: May I know whether this Expert Committee is the same as the Committee on Hindi Terminology, or it is a different one, and if it is a different one, what connection it has with the other committee?

Dr. M. M. Das: There is a Board of Scientific Terminology, which was set up in 1950 for the preparation of these Hindi terms. This Board set up 19 expert committees on different subjects, and one of these expert committees is on law.

Territorial Army

*834. **Shri D. C. Sharma :** Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Central Government employees in Delhi and New Delhi who have joined the Territorial Army; and

(b) the number of training centres opened in Delhi and New Delhi for them?

The Minister of Defence Organisation (Shri Tyagi) : (a) 591.

(b) All Territorial Army personnel receive training in their own units. No special training centres have therefore been opened for the Central Government employees.

Shri D. C. Sharma: May I know what is the proportion of the number of Government employees in Delhi and New Delhi to the total strength of the Territorial Army?

Shri Tyagi: I am sorry that has not been calculated, but I might inform the Hon. Member that the percentage is very small.

Shri D. C. Sharma: May I know whether Government have considered why it is that there are not a large number of persons coming forth to join the Territorial Army?

Shri Tyagi: It is not the policy of Government to encourage recruitment on a large scale from government offices for this Territorial Army. They may be required in time of need and may have to be deployed elsewhere. Then the government offices will suffer by their absence. Therefore, it is not the policy to encourage such recruitment on a large scale.

Shri D. C. Sharma: May I know whether the hon. Minister has with him the break up of figures with regards to technical and other units in the Territorial Army?

Shri Tyagi: I require notice.

Recruitment to the Armed Forces

*835. **Sardar Hukam Singh:** Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:

(a) whether qualifications as to size, chest measurements and expansion; and other physical fitness requirements are uniform for recruitment to the Armed Forces throughout India;

(b) if not, what are the variations; and

(c) whether any particular community is debarred, temporarily or permanently, from being recruited for any particular Services or branch of Service (e.g., Parachute Battalions)?

The Minister of Defence Organisation (Shri Tyagi): (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix V, annexure No. 20].

Sardar Hukam Singh: May I know whether Government at any time got this constitutional aspect examined by its experts because apparently there seems to be a conflict with the provisions of the Constitution in that this variation constitutes discrimination between citizen and citizen?

Shri Tyagi: The measurement of the chest always depends upon the height of the person and the size of the body. For example, the chest measurement of a Gurkha differs from that of a Sikh. So it is all because of physical stature.

Sadar Hukam Singh: May I know whether any community has been kept out of recruitment in the parachute battalion since 1952 when it was known that certain sections had a larger number of recruits in that particular department?

Shri Tyagi: Upto 1952, recruitment to the parachute battalion was confined to Sikhs, Dogras, Marathas, Kaumanis and Ahirs only, but since then deficiencies in them are being made up by transfer of soldiers belonging to other units.

Sardar Hukam Singh: That was not the question. My question is whether any classes have been kept out of recruitment after 1952 in this parachute battalion?

Shri Tyagi: No, there is no distinction made.

Shri C. D. Pande: Since in modern warfare, brain power is more important than brawn, will Government give any consideration to this aspect?

Shri Tyagi: Psychological examination is held and so importance is given to brain as well. But there is no 'brain washing.'

The Minister of Defence (Dr. Katju): Muscles come first.

Sadar Hukam Singh: May I know whether the change in the class composition of units has been examined by any expert committee as to whether it has promoted efficiency and discipline in the Army?

Shri Tyagi: My hon. friend is biased from the figure that in the case of Sikhs the chest measurement is more than....

Sardar Hukam Singh: I strongly object to that. I have absolutely no bias. I am asking whether this has been examined by any expert committee.

Mr. Speaker: What he really meant was not 'bias' but misled.

Shri Tyagi: I can assure you that all these variations had been made after due examination and after consultation with the medical authorities. It is they who have advised us.

Sardar Hukam Singh: My question is different. It related to the change in the class composition. There were separate units of Sikhs, Dogras, Gujars and so on. Now there is joint composition. I am asking another question with regard to that and I am being accused of bias and he is giving a different answer. I want to know whether the change in the class composition has been examined by any expert committee, as to whether it has brought about greater discipline and more efficiency.

Shri Tyagi: No Committee was appointed to examine this question. But the general policy of Government is to do away with any class distinction even in the Army. The programme could not be completed because the structure of the Army has in the past been based on a class pattern. It was not considered proper to upset it altogether at one time. But the policy is to infuse other classes by slow methods, so that ultimately there will be a mixed army.

Shri Ramachandra Reddi: The hon. Minister referred to 'brain washing.' May I know whether there is 'brain washing' resorted to after recruitment?

Shri Tyagi: No.

Shri Jaipal Singh: In view of what the hon. Minister has stated, may I know it is the policy of Government to do away with these class nomenclatures that now obtain in the christening of the various regiments?

Shri Tyagi: Yes, that will also come. The Government considered all these questions, but did not think it convenient to effect any change just now.

किंग जार्ज के सैनिक स्कूल

*२३६. श्री एम०. एल० द्विवेदी : क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि क्या किंग जार्ज के सैनिक स्कूलों में प्रशिक्षणार्थियों की संख्या बढ़ाने का प्रयत्न किया जा रहा है ?

रक्षा संगठन मंत्री (श्री त्यागी) : जी हां ।

श्री एम० एल० द्विवेदी : मैं जानना चाहता हूँ कि इस वक़्त इन स्कूलों में जो लोग भर्ती किये जाते हैं उन की कुल संख्या कितनी है, और क्या यह सच है कि भर्ती के मामले में कई देहाती क्षेत्रों का प्रतिनिधित्व और कुछ प्रदेशों का प्रतिनिधित्व नहीं हो पाता, क्योंकि वहाँ तक आपका प्रचार पहुँचता नहीं है ?

रक्षा मंत्री (डा० काटजू) में सवाल-को सभसा नहीं लेकिन मैं इतना ही कहना चाहता हूँ कि कोशिश हो रही है कि तालिब इल्म बहुत ज्यादा लिये जायें और लिये भी जाते हैं । प्रचार जितना हो सकता है होता है ।

श्री एम० एल० द्विवेदी : मैं जानना चाहता हूँ कि सेना विभाग के कर्मचारियों और सैनिकों आदि के जो बच्चे हैं उन को भर्ती के मामले में क्या कोई विशेष सुविधायें दी जाती हैं, यदि हाँ, तो क्या, और यदि नहीं, तो क्यों नहीं ?