

Veterinary Dispensaries, Five Stockman Centres, Two Veterinary Units and one Mobile Veterinary Unit are proposed to be set up during Third Five Year Plan. While establishing these centres and units due consideration will be given to those areas which are not covered by the existing Veterinary Units.

Cotton Cultivation in Tripura

305. Shri Dasaratha Deb: Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) the schemes adopted in Tripura for the development of cotton cultivation during the Third Five Year Plan period;

(b) whether any of these schemes has been implemented; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Food and Agriculture (Shri A. M. Thomas): (a) No such scheme has yet been sanctioned. A scheme for development of "Comilla" cotton cultivation during the Third Five Year Plan at a total cost of Rs. 1.42 lakhs is, however, under consideration of the Indian Central Cotton Committee and will be implemented as soon as it is approved by that Committee.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Training Centres for Panchayat Presidents

306. Shri E. Madhusudan Rao: Will the Minister of Community Development, Panchayati Raj and Co-operation be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the training centres for Panchayat Presidents in each State; and

(b) the total number of Panchayat Presidents who have so far obtained training in these centres in each State?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Community Development, Panchayati Raj and Cooperation (Shri B. S. Murthy): (a) A list of Pan-

chayati Raj Training Centres for training of Sarpanches, Up-sarpanches, Members of Block Panchayat Samitis/Block Development Committees, Panches and Part-time Panchayat Secretaries, so far set up/proposed to be set up, in each State is placed on the Table of the House. [See Appendix I, annexure No. 40].

(b) The information is being collected from the States.

National Highways in Andhra

307. Shri E. Madhusudan Rao: Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state the total mileage of National Highways to be built during the Third Five Year Plan period in, Andhra Pradesh (District-wise)?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Bhagavati): The information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the Sabha.

Training Centre for Aerodrome Officers

308. Shri E. Madhusudan Rao: Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state the progress so far made in regard to the opening of one training centre for aerodrome officers in Mamnoon in Andhra Pradesh?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Mohiuddin): There is no proposal for opening a training centre for Aerodrome Officers at Mamnoon in Andhra Pradesh.

P. & T. Employees

**309. { Shri Buta Singh:
Shri Gulshan:**

Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) the number of prosecutions instituted in the courts in India by the P. & T. Department against its employees and pending on the 20th August, 1962;