कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य नंत्री (की अण्णा-साहित पी० किन्दे): (क) 9,386 मीटरी टन ।

Written Answers

- (स) सहकारी समितियों द्वारा दूर के स्थानों पर अधिप्राप्त केवल लगभग 269 मीटरी टन लाखान्नों की थोड़ी सी मात्रा को अधिप्राप्ति के तुरन्त बाद नहीं उठाया जा सका क्योंकि वर्षा के कारण वहा पहुचना कठिन हो गया था। इस 269 मीटरी टन की मात्रा को भी बाद मे उठा लिया गया था।
- (ग) अधिप्राप्ति केन्द्रो पर कीड़ों से कोई गेहूं नष्ट हुआ नही बताया गया है।

भारतीय साद्य निगम द्वारा सहकारी समितियों से साद्यान्नों की बसूली

2328. श्री नाथूराम अहिरवार : क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

- (क) भारतीय खाद्य निगम द्वारा विभिन्म राज्यों में सहकारी समितियों से इस वर्ष 30 जून, 1971 तक वसूल किये गये खाद्यान्नों का क्यौरा क्या है और इसकी मात्रा कितनी है; और
- (ख) इन खाद्यान्नों की वसूली का, राज्य-वार, ब्यौरा क्या है?

कृषि मत्रालय में राज्य मत्री (श्री अण्णा-साहिद पी० दिान्दे): (क) और (ख). एक विवरण सभा-पटल पर रखा गया है। [ग्रथालय में रखा गया। देखिये संख्या LT — 1700/72.]

Scholarships to Physically Handicapped

2329. SHRI B. K. DASCHOWDHURY: Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the scholarships to be given to the physically handicapped in the country have been increased; and
 - (b) if so, to what extent?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SO-CIAL WELFARE (SHRI K. S. RAMASWA-MY): (a) Yes, Sir. The number of scholarships awarded to physically handicapped students by the Union Department of Social Welfare has increased.

Written Answers

(b) The number of awards rese from 1,114 in 1970-71 to 1,781 in 1971-72.

Seminar on Family Planning

2330. SHRI VEKARIA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a plea was made at the Seminar on Family Planning organised by the Indian Medical Association on 15th March, 1972 that medical practitioners should lower their fees for performing abortions;
- (b) if so, whether Government propose to enforce, by law, a fixed fee throughout the country; and
- (c) whether Government have any alternative proposals in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING (PROF. D. P. CIIAITOPA-DHYAYA): (a) The recommendations of the conference, as incorporated in their resolutions, do not make any mention of this point

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

4-Point Plan for self-sufficiency in Cotton and Oilseeds

2331. SHRI P. VENKATASUBBAIAH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether his Ministry has drawn up a four-point emergency programme to attain self-sufficiency in raw cotton and oil seeds and to do away with imports in the near future;
- (b) if so, the salient features of the said programme; and