

Western zone at Pune and one in the southern zone at Mysore.

3. Ignorance of law is no excuse. The traders, who adulterate foodstuffs and thus jeopardise the health of the innocent people, commit a social crime which should be dealt with severely.

**Opening of Post and Telegraph Office in Shobhapur, Hoshangabad District, Madhya Pradesh**

3480. SHRI HARI VISHNU KAMATH: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether representations have been received for opening a post and telegraph office in Shobhapur, Hoshangabad district, Madhya Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI BRIJ LAL VERMA):  
(a) No, Sir.

There is already an extra departmental Sub Post Office at Shobhapur. It has a Public Call Office and Telegraph Branch working on phonocom.

(b) Does not arise.

**Jobs in Highly Educated Persons in Delhi**

3481. SHRI AHMED M. PATEL: Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether highly educated persons who had qualification of B.Sc. (Hons.) 1st Class, M. Sc. 1st Class and B. Ed. etc. could not get a job for the last two to three years;

(b) if so, the number of such candidates registered in employment exchange, Arab Ki Sarai, New Delhi till 31st March, 1977; and

(c) by when Government would provide jobs to them?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND LABOUR (SHRI RAVINDRA VARMA): (a) and (b). The number of job-seekers registered with the employment exchange Arab-ki-Sarai, New Delhi for two years or more as on 31st March, 1977 was as follows:—

(i) B. Sc. (Hons.) 1st Class	—	3
(ii) M. Sc. 1st Class	—	5
(iii) B. Ed.	—	8,485

(c) Government propose to follow an employment-oriented strategy and the Planning Commission have been asked to formulate the 6th Five Year Plan with a high employment content in order to tackle the problem of unemployment both among the educated as well as uneducated persons.

**चलते फिरते डाकघर**

3482. श्री यज्ञ दत्त शर्मा : क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या झुग्गी झोंपड़ी बाहुल्य क्षेत्रों में चलते फिरते डाकघरों की व्यवस्था करने के कार्य को प्राथमिकता देने का सरकार का विचार है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसकी रूप रेखा क्या है ?

संचार मंत्री (श्री बृजलाल वर्मा) :  
(क) और (ख). शहरी और देहाती दोनों ही क्षेत्रों में समाज के कमजोर वर्गों को डाक सुविधायें प्रदान करने में प्राथमिकता दी जा रही है। झुग्गी झोंपड़ी वाले इलाकों को आवश्यकताओं को पूरा करने के लिये 47 चलते फिरते डाकघर पहले से ही काम कर रहे हैं। यह भी प्रस्ताव है कि जहाँ भी आवश्यकता हो और डाक यातायात के आधार पर औचित्य हो, ऐसे और अधिक डाकघर खोल दिये जायें।