

sum total effect of these measures has been that fertiliser has, by and large, been reached to the destinations wherever it is required.

**Opening of Telegraph Offices on Public Holidays in Leh and Kargil Districts of Ladakh.**

870. SHRI P. NAMGYAN: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that telegraph offices all over the country remain operative on all days including Sundays and other Public holidays?

(b) if so, the reasons for non-functioning of telegraph offices in Leh and Kargil districts of Ladakh; and

(c) whether these offices would be made operative on Sundays and other public holidays?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI KARTIK ORAON): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Opening of Leh and Kargil Combined offices is under consideration. Other telegraph offices in Ladakh Division Viz., Drass, Bru and Diskit have negligible traffic on Sundays and holidays.

**Death of student of Shamlal College, Shahdra, Delhi**

871. SHRI N. E. HORO: Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a B.Sc. student of Shamlal College, Shahadra, Delhi, who was contesting the college union election, was allegedly stabbed to death by his rival on 16th August, 1980;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether any compensation has been paid by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) and (b). According to the information furnished by the University of Delhi, Shri Gajendra Mohan, a student of B. Sc. Final, Shamlal College, Shahadra, Delhi and a candidate for Presidentship of the College Union, was stabbed to death on 16th August, 1980, allegedly by an ex-student of that college. The College authorities lodged a First Information Report with the police on the same day and the matter is under investigation.

(c) No compensation has been paid to the family of the deceased either through the College or the University of Delhi. Information from the Delhi Administration is awaited and will be placed on the Table of the Sabha in due course.

**Training of Rural Youth for Self Employment**

872. DR. VASANT KUMAR PANDIT: Will the Minister of RURAL RECONSTRUCTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have sponsored a scheme for training of Rural Youth for Self-Employment (TRYSEM);

(b) if so, the details thereof, the funds available and the existing training-cum-technological set-up;

(c) how many States have decided to implement the said scheme;

(d) what are the targets of Rural Youth to be trained during year 1980-81 and 1981-82 in the States of Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra; and

(e) how many Rural Youths would be self-employed in the first phase of this scheme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI BALESHWAR RAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Statement is laid on the Table of the House (Placed in Library See No. I/T-1411/80).