

Investigation Units

338. { **Shri Ramji Reddy:**
Shri Kumbhar:

Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No 2511 on the 29th September, 1958 and state:

(a) the States in which the study teams have since been appointed for speedy completion of investigations for irrigation and power schemes included in the Second Five Year Plan and for future projects; and

(b) the progress made by these investigating units?

The Minister of Irrigation and Power (**Hafiz Mohammad Ibrahim**): (a) and (b) A statement is laid on the Table of the House [See Appendix I, annexure No 96]

Electrification of Lucknow-Kanpur Section

339 **Shri Vajpayee:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state

(a) whether any preliminary survey of the electrification of Lucknow-Kanpur Section of the Northern Railway has been made, and

(b) if so, with what result?

The Deputy Minister of Railways (**Shri S. V. Ramaswamy**): (a) and (b) No Sir. Electrification requires heavy capital expenditure a portion of which is required to be spent abroad for purchase of Rolling Stock and other fixed equipment. Electrification is justifiable for the sections where traffic density is high and steam traction is unable to carry the anticipated increase in traffic. Such conditions have not yet arisen on Lucknow-Kanpur section.

T.B. Survey in U.P.

340. { **Shri Vajpayee:**
Shri S. M. Banerjee:

Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether parts of Uttar Pradesh

were included in the National Pulmonary Tuberculosis survey; and

(b) whether incidence of T.B. in U.P. has been assessed from any other source?

The Minister of Health (**Shri Karmarkar**): (a) and (b). The following villages of Uttar Pradesh were covered by the National Pulmonary Tuberculosis Survey conducted in 1955-58 on a sample basis.

1. Aring	} Mathura District
2. Gantholi	
3. Paharpur	} Aligarh District
4. Baraula Jafraabad	
5. Ramgarh Panjapur	
6. Dhosoni	
7. Badrudinnagar	} Meerut District
8. Wahabpur Thana	
9. Kakra	} Muzaffarnagar District
10. Ismailpur Maitha	
	} Saharanpur District

So far as the Central Government are aware, no assessment of the incidence of TB in UP was made earlier.

T.B. Control Institute at Bangalore

341. { **Shri Vajpayee:**
Shri L. Achaw Singh:

Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state

(a) whether there is a proposal to establish a national training institute for tuberculosis control in Bangalore,

(b) if so, the broad details thereof,

(c) whether any foreign assistance would be availed of, and

(d) if so, to what extent?

The Minister of Health (**Shri Karmarkar**): (a) Yes, it has been decided to establish a National Tuberculosis Institute in Bangalore with the assistance of WHO AND UNICEF.

(b) The National Tuberculosis Institute will be established for a double purpose, namely, research and training,