

agreement of the erstwhile State of Rampur and the then Government of the United Provinces (now U.P.), the management and ownership of the Raza Library, Rampur, was transferred to a Board of Trustees. In view of the size and importance of the collection of the Library, the assistance rendered to the Library by the Central Government in the past, and the agreement of the Board of Trustees and the Government of Uttar Pradesh, the Central Government have decided to introduce shortly a Bill in the Parliament to declare the Library as an institution of national importance and to vest the management of it to a Board to be set up under the Act.

(b) No, Sir. In accordance with entry 62 of List I of the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution, only a library, museum or similar institution financed by the Government of India wholly or in part and declared by Parliament by law to be an institution of national importance, can be given such recognition.

Release of third volume of Who's who of Indian Martyrs

1797. SHRI RAJDEO SINGH: Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 3033 on 3rd December, 1973 regarding Who's who of Freedom Martyrs and state by which time the whole project is expected to be completed?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE (SHRI D. P. YADAV): The project of compilation and publication of Who's Who of India Martyrs has already been completed. The third and the last volume in the series was published in August, 1973.

Effect of Mechanisation of farming operation in labour displacement

1798. SHRI YAMUNA PRASAD MANDAL: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether mechanisation of farming operations in the country is likely to lead to labour displacement; and

(b) if so, the remedial measures contemplated?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ANNASAHEB P. SHINDE):

(a) The Government of India itself have not carried out any study on the impact of mechanisation in agriculture on labour displacement. However, certain research organisations and institutions sponsored/financed by the Government of India and State Governments have carried out some studies and these studies have revealed that mechanisation of farm operations in the country is not likely to lead to any significant labour displacement. Tractorisation has facilitated more intensive cultivation and thereby increased the demand for labour, particularly hired labour, for certain farm operations like weeding, irrigation, harvesting, etc.

(b) Does not arise.

Scheme for Welfare of Children

1799. SHRI PURUSHOTTAM KAKODKAR: Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry is considering any schemes for the Welfare of the children; and