

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Labour and Employment and for Planning (Shri C. R. Patabhi Raman): (a) (1) The following wards/dispensaries have already been constructed and commissioned:—

(i) 24-bed E.S.I. Ward in T.B. Hospital, Irrammuna.

(ii) 32-bed E.S.I. Ward in K.E.M. Hospital, Secunderabad.

(iii) 4-doctored State Insurance dispensary, Kavadiguda, Hyderabad.

(2) The following hospital/dispensary buildings are under construction:

(i) 150-bed E.S.I. Hospital, Hyderabad.

(ii) 50-bed E.S.I. Hospital, Sirpur—Kagaznagar.

(iii) 4-doctored State Insurance dispensary, Nellimarla.

(iv) 4-doctored State Insurance dispensary, Chithivalsa.

(v) Two sets of 4-doctored State Insurance dispensaries, Sirpur—Kagaznagar.

(3) The plans and estimates of the following hospitals/dispensaries have been sanctioned but construction work has not yet started:—

(i) 110-bed E.S.I. Hospital, Visakhapatnam.

(ii) 4-doctored State Insurance dispensary, Warangal.

(b) A sum of Rs. 48,88,569.25 nP. has so far been paid by the Employees' State Insurance Corporation to the State Government for construction of hospitals/dispensaries.

Frigates for Indian Navy

264. Shri P. Kunhan: Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 16 on the 18th November, 1963 and state:

(a) whether any decision has since

been taken regarding the indigenous construction of frigates for the Navy; and

(b) if so, the nature of the decision taken?

The Minister of Defence Production in the Ministry of Defence (Shri Raghuramaiah): (a) and (b). No final decision has yet been taken.

Mass Communication

265. { Shri P. Kunhan:
Shri Sidheshwar Prasad:
Shri P. C. Borooah:

Will the Minister of Information and Broadcasting be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 16 on the 18th November, 1963 and state:

(a) whether any final decision has since been taken regarding the proposal made by the Ford Foundation Team of experts for setting up a Centre for advanced study of mass communication; and

(b) if so, the nature of decision taken?

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs (Shri Satya Narayan Sinha): (a) and (b). The proposal is still under consideration.

एशियाई प्रसारक सम्मेलन

२६६. श्री सिद्धेश्वर प्रसाद : क्या सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री १८ नवम्बर, १९६३ के तारंकित प्रश्न संख्या १४ के उत्तर के सम्बन्ध में यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने इस बीच एशियाई प्रसारक सम्मेलन के प्रस्तावों पर विचार कर लिया है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उस पर क्या निर्णय किये गये; और