

बाध्य किया जाये कि हम बच्चे परीक्षित करने विद्यालयों की व्यवस्था पुराने विमान करीब, तथा बेचने वाली का बाबा नाम से कि भाषे बस कर उन के नये विमान को हथ करीबने, जो कि अभी साबित भी न किया गया हो। हमारा नया विमान ऐसा होना चाहिए जो कि बस चुका हो और जिस की सुविधा साबित हो चुकी हो। इस बात पर हम अधिक्य में देव की हानि देखने को तैयार नहीं हैं।

श्री इमानन्दन विद्य (केनेनराज) : मैं एक बात की सफाई देना। माननीय सदस्य ने अपने बक्तव्य में कहा कि मैं ने पिछले मार्च में यह कहा था कि कमीशन बांटी गई। मैं ने ऐसा नहीं कहा था। मैंने कहा था कि कमीशन बांटने की परिपटी है और अगर कमीशन बांटी जाती है तो कमीशन राज्य को आए, किसी व्यक्ति के हाथ न लगे।

(iv) PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

SHRI RAJ KRISHNA DAWN (Burdwan) : Sir, under rule 377, I mention the following matter of urgent public importance.

The coaching system in private schools is creating a gap within the society and day by day the gap is widening between the common men and the affluent. As has been seen, every person of privileged class is anxious to get his kid admitted in a private school by paying huge sums which are demanded in the guise of donations. While our leaders make loud promises for Indianisation, they are abolutely keeping their eyes and ears closed as to how the brains of innocent children are being washed. Instead of making them proud of their heritage, they are made to feel that their culture and way of living in Europe. The typical system adopted by these private schools imparts a perverted culture and makes middle-class sahibs intellectually subservient to half-digested ideas of the middle-class west. Therefore, it is very necessary to go into the details of the functioning of such schools and to determine precisely what kind of a person is created by such institutions. This is a subject which has aroused many suspicions in the minds of the public in general about the way these schools are in operation within the country. They demand higher fees and expect the boys to be better dressed and the medium in all subjects in English. Thereby they create communities of the affluent elites. By destroying their own roots of origin, the boys are alienated from their own people and remain so far the rest of their life.

It is precisely to avoid the turning out of alienated and rootless young men

that 'parents in developed countries have shunned the ideas of public schools system. Yet in India where we need consciously to promote integration, the State continues to tolerate and assist special schools, which turn out potential brown sababs. It has gone so far as to maintain such schools by direct funding and patronising such a system. It is the time that we should seriously think of discarding such a system which is cutting at the very root of integration and making our children subverters of their own culture and heritage. Although the Centre has not been able to feel the pulse and has realised the extent of damage which such private schools are doing to the nation. Perhaps primarily this is the reason that they have already adopted a unanimous resolution in Delhi Metropolitan Council where they have suggested doing away with the Public School Education System to bring uniformity in the standard of education and have recommended that such schools should be brought at par with those of the Government of Government-aided schools.

It is strongly felt that the Centre should move fast in scrapping out the system of public school education so as to bring an end to corrupt practices by the management of these public institutions throughout India.

(v) REPORTED DEATHS AND HEAVY LOSSES DUE TO RAIN IN HIMACHAL PRADESH.

SHRI DURGA CHAND (Kangra) : I am thankful to the Chair for having permitted me to raise this matter of urgent public importance under rule 377....

This year, Himachal Pradesh has faced heavy and incessant rains causing death of 141 persons. Hundreds of cattle have perished, thousands of houses have collapsed, standing crops have been destroyed and there is heavy erosion of fertile lands, damage to roads, culverts and bridges by landslides, particularly in Kangra, Chamba, Mandi, Bilaspur, Hamirpur and Solan District. The total loss as per reports amounts to several crores of rupees. This is too much for a backward State to bear such a heavy loss on account of natural calamities.

There is an urgent need to provide adequate funds from the Central Exchequer for relief measures in the worst affected regions in the State and to send a Central Study Team to make an on the spot assessment of the havoc wrought by the heavy rains in this State and the damage caused by the earthquake shocks in the Dharmasala area (District Kangra).