सकें और बेकारी की समस्यान फैले? इसके लिए आपने कोई विचार किया है?

DR V. K. R. V. RAO: I think the hon. member was not present in the House earlier when in an answer to a question I pointed out that we appointed a special group of experts to go into the subject of vocationalisation of education in schools. Vocationalisation means not merely getting jobs but also developing a liking and having the capacity to do different kinds of jobs that are available to those looking for employment.

Here the idea is to have one district in every State selected for a pilot project for the purpose of trying to find out the kind of vocational experience that can be introduced. It will take time; it cannot be done so soon. We are on the right road as far as what the hon, member has in mind, is concerned.

शी मीठालाल मीना: जो आपकी यह रिपोर्ट आई है इसमें राज्य सरकार से आपने सलाह ली है यदि हां, तो वहां के शिक्षा मन्त्रियों तथा वहां के उपकृलपतियों की इस बारे में क्या प्रतिक्रिया है ?

DR. V. K. R. V. RAO: The State Governments have all been consulted about this. This was discussed at a conference with them. Details were gone into and on their recommendation we have decided to have a pilot project in each State.

श्री मीठा लाल मीना: उनकी ग्राप आर्थिक सहायता देंगे या क्या करेंगे? वह श्राधिक सहायता मांगते हैं, श्राप देंगे था अपने खर्चे से वह करेंगे?

DR. V. K. R. V. RAO: It has been decided to give a grant of Rs 40,000 for the first preliminary socio-economic survey to find out what are the kinds of work experience, vocationalisation etc which will be most useful for the students in the particular district. We are also giving some grant for the appointment of project officers. When the pilot project is completed. I expect the financial implications of this scheme will become very large. That will be the time to consider how the finances are to be shared or found by the Centre and the States.

Written Answers

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO OUESTIONS

Apprehension of a gang selling swiss made watches in Delhi

- *813. SHRI HARDAYAL DEVGUN: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :
- (a) whether a special squad of the Preventive Branch of the Delhi Customs has claimed to have smashed a big gang of cheats operating in Delhi specialising in marketing cheap Swiss watches after changing the names of the manufacturing firms:
- (b) whether some printing and stamping machines and several incriminating documents have also been seized in a series of raids at several places in the capital on the 20th November, 1970 by the Preventive Branch: and
 - (c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI VIDYA CHARAN SHUKLA): (a) The officers of the Delhi Central Excise Collectorate have unearthed a gang of cheats operating in Delhi who market cheap foreign watches by obliterating the brand names of watches from the dials and by printing the brand names of expensive watches on the dials. The blank backs of the watch cases are also punched to indicate the brand names of popular watches.

(b) and (c). Central Excise officers intercepted on 20th November, 1970 a person while he was going on a scooter and recovered from the tool compartment of the scooter 55 wrist watches. As a result of followup action, three other premises were searched on 20th November, 1970 and 21st November, 1670 resulting in the recovery of 80 more wrist watches, two printing machines along with chemicals and inks, one punching machine alongwith dies and some incriminating documents. Two persons were arrested and later released on bail by the Magistrate.