

"Keratomalacia" resulting from Vitamin 'A' deficiency. Malnutrition during the early years of the growth of the organism may impair mental or physical health in later life.

(d) About 100 lakh children in 14 States are already being covered by the mid day meal programme, of which 80 lakh of beneficiaries are school-going children and the remaining 20 lakhs are pre-school children. During the 4th Five-Year Plan, it is proposed to cover 150 lakhs of children under the mid day meal programme. A scheme for the distribution of Vitamin A dosage to the children is also proposed to be implemented.

(e) Does not arise.

#### **INDIA'S INCREASED QUOTA IN I. M. F**

114. SHRI THILLAI VILLALAN :  
SHRI G. P. SOMASUNDARAM :  
SHRI KANCHI KALYANA-  
SUNDARAM : SHRI S.  
SIVAPRAKASAM :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be  
pleased  
to state :

(a) whether Government have got an increased quota in the International Monetary Fund this year ; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI P. C.  
SETHI) : (a) Yes, Sir

(b) Under the fifth quinquennial review, India's quota is to increase from \$ 750 million to 940 million effective from 30th October :

#### **'BUR LAP BAG HOUSES'**

115. SHRI THILLAI VILLALAN :  
SHRI G. P. SOMASUNDARAM :  
SHRI KANCHI KALYANA-  
SUNDARAM : SHRI S.  
SIVAPRAKASAM :

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND  
FAMILY PLANNING AND WORKS,  
HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOP-  
MENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to start construction of 'bur lap bag houses' in any of the States in the country ; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY  
PLANNING AND WORKS, HOUSING  
AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRI B. S. MURTHY) : (a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **PHARMACEUTICALS MANUFACTURING UNIT**

116. SHRI THILLAI VILLALAN :  
SHRI G. P. SOMASUNDARAM :  
SHRI KANCHI KALYANA-  
SUNDARAM : SHRI S.  
SIVAPRAKASAM :

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND  
CHEMICALS AND MINES AND  
METALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to establish a manufacturing unit of pharmaceuticals to provide quality drugs at cheaper prices; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND  
CHEMICALS AND MINES AND  
METALS (SHRI D- R. CHAVAN) : (a)  
There is no proposal to set up a new  
manufacturing unit of pharmaceuticals in the  
public sector besides Hindustan Antibiotics  
and Indian Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Ltd.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **PUBLIC SECTOR UNDERTAKINGS**

117. SHRI SYED HUSSAIN :

SARDAR NARINDAR SINGH  
BRAR :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased  
to state :

(a) the total investment made by the  
Central Government in the public Sector  
Undertaking during the first three Plan  
periods ;

(b) the share of Punjab during the first  
three Plan periods in that investment ;