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| Maharashtra . . . | Originally formed for BOMBAY State on the 19th September 1953. |
| Mysore | 25th January 1956 |
| Orissa | 19th September 1953 |
| Punjab & Himachal Pradesh | Originally formed for PUNJAB and DELHI on the 27th February 1954. |
| Rajasthan | 15th November 1957 |
| Uttar Pradesh | 5th December 1953 |
| West Bengal | 19th September 1953 |
| Union Territory of Delhi | 15th June 1961. |

(b) Eight.]

विदर्भ के बुलढाना जिले के गांव सिध खेड़ा में नौ 'ग्राउंड हालो' का पाया जाना

३३०. श्री भगवत नारायण भार्गव : क्या वैज्ञानिक अनुसंधान और सांस्कृतिक कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि विदर्भ के बुलढाना जिले के गांव सिध खेड़ा में हाल में जब जीजा माता स्मारक होस्टल के निर्माण के लिए जमीन खोदी जा रही थी, नौ 'ग्राउंड हाल' पाये गये हैं ;

(ख) क्या इन हालों के अतिरिक्त पुरातत्व महत्व की कोई अन्य वस्तुएं भी पाई गई हैं ;

(ग) ये हाल अनुमानतः कितने पुराने हैं और ये किस काल से सम्बन्धित हैं ; और

(घ) इस सम्बन्ध में पुरातत्व विभाग ने क्या क्या खोज की है और उनके क्या परिणाम निकले हैं ?

t [FINDING OF NINE "GROUND HALLS" IN VILLAGE SIDH KHERA IN BULDHANA DISTRICT OF VIDARBHA

330. SHRI B. N. BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that nine "ground halls" were found recently in village Sidh Khera in Buldhana District of Vidarbha when land was being dug for the construction of Jeeja Mata Memorial Hostel;

(b) whether any other articles of archaeological importance have been found besides these halls;

(c) approximately how old are these halls and with which period they are connected; and

(d) what investigations have been made by the Department of Archaeology in this connection and with what results?]

वैज्ञानिक अनुसंधान और सांस्कृतिक-कार्य मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (डा० मन मोहन दास) : (क) जी हाँ ।

(ख) खोरा अभी नहीं मिला है ।

(ग) १७वीं शताब्दी, मराठा काल ।

(घ) भारतीय पुरातत्व सर्वेक्षण की खोज में पता चला है कि ये ग्राउंड हाल खास ऐतिहासिक महत्व के नहीं हैं ।

i [THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS (DR. MONO MOHAN DAS): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Details are not yet available.

(b) The 17th Century, Maratha Period.

(d) As a result of the investigations carried out by the Archaeological Survey of India, it has been found that these underground halls are not of any outstanding historical importance.]

ELECTION TRIBUNALS

331. SHRI M. P. BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of LAW be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Election Tribunals which have been constituted by

the Election Commission upto 30th April, 1962 for trying election petitions;

(b) what is their state-wise breakup; and

(c) whether some more Election Tribunals are likely to be formed?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW (SHRI B. MISHRA) : (a) Ten election tribunals have been constituted upto the 30th April 1962, in the various States for trying election petitions.

(b) The State-wise break-up of the tribunals set up till the 30th April, 1962, is as follows: —

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| Assam | 1 |
| Mysore | 4 |
| Orissa | 1 |
| Uttar Pradesh | 1 |
| West Bengal | 1 |
| Jammu and Kashmir | 2 |

(c) More election tribunals will be constituted as soon as the petitions are admitted and copies of the petitions are published in the official Gazettes and notices are served on the respondents.

HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN DELHI

332. SHRI M. P. BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Higher Secondary Schools in Delhi as on the 15th August, 1947; and

(b) the number of Higher Secondary Schools in Delhi as on 31st March, 1962?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI) : (a) 45.

(b) 300.

वैज्ञानिक सेविवर्ग समिति

३३३. श्री भगवत नारायण भार्गवः क्या वैज्ञानिक अनुसंधान और सांस्कृतिक कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) वैज्ञानिक सेविवर्ग समिति की स्थापना के बाद में अब तक उस की कितनी बैठक हुई है और उसकी सिफारिशें क्या हैं ;

(ख) क्या यह सच है कि इस समिति ने कनिष्ठ उल्लिखित विषयों के बारे में अध्ययन कराने के लिये श्री पीताम्बर पन्त, डा० डी० एस० कांडारी, श्री आर० प्रसाद और श्री इन्द्रजीत सिंह को नियुक्त किया था ; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो क्या इन महानुभावों ने समिति को अपने प्रतिवेदन दे दिये हैं ; और उनके मुख्य सुझाव क्या हैं ?

[SCIENTIFIC PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

333. SHRI B. N. BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of meetings so far held by the Scientific Personnel Committee since its setting up and what were its recommendations;

(b) whether it is a fact that the Committee appointed Shri Pitamber Pant, Dr. D. S. Kothari, Shri R. Prasad and Shri Indrajit Singh for conducting studies on certain specified subjects; and

(c) if so, whether these persons have submitted their reports to the Committee; and what are their main suggestions?]

वैज्ञानिक अनुसंधान और सांस्कृतिक-कार्य मंत्री (श्री हुमायून कबिर) : (क)