

was invited but a majority of them did not support the proposal for the constitution of an All India Mental Health Service.

†[स्वास्थ्य मंत्री (श्री डी० पी० करमकर) : (क) और (ख) सब राज्य सरकारों की राय मांगी गई थी किन्तु उनमें से अधिकांश ने अखिल भारतीय मानसिक स्वास्थ्य सेवा-निर्माण के विचार का समर्थन नहीं किया ।]

SHRI ARJUN ARORA: May I know ■ which are the States which did not favour it and which favoured it?

SHRI D. P. KARMARKAR: The Andhra Pradesh Government did not support. The Government of Mysore supported. The Government of Kerala does not support. The Government of Assam, "no". The Government of Bihar, "no, it is premature". The Government of Bombay, "not feasible". The Government of Madras, "not in favour". The Government of Madhya Pradesh have not agreed. The Government of Orissa is agreeable for a pool. The Government of Rajasthan, "do not propose". The Government of Punjab, "do not consider it worth while". West Bengal, "not possible". Uttar Pradesh, "not in favour".

SHRIMATI T. NALLAMUTHU RAMAMURTI: What is the matter with the mental health in this country?

SHRI D. P. KARMARKAR: It is sound.

SHRI B. K. P. SINHA: May I know the idea was to have a Mental Health Service as distinct from an All India Health Service? Why was it proposed to have a distinct Mental Health Service?

SHRI D. P. KARMARKAR: That is the question, Sir.

MR. CHAIRMAN: He is asking you, instead of having an All India Health

†[] Hindi translation.

Service, why did you make this suggestion for an All India Mental Health Service.

SHRI D. P. KARMARKAR: That was really the question why the State Governments differed from that. They consider that it is not worth while.

STANDARDISATION OF MEDICINES OF THE

देशी चिकित्सा प्रणाली की औषधियों का प्रमापीकरण

*३६२. श्री अर्जुन अरोड़ा (श्री भगवत नारायण भार्गव की ओर से) : क्या स्वास्थ्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) देशी चिकित्सा प्रणाली की औषधियों के प्रमापीकरण के सम्बन्ध में सरकार ने क्या कार्यवाही की है; और

(ख) इंडियन फार्माकोपिया कमेटी ने इस सम्बन्ध में अब तक क्या कार्यवाही की है ?

INDIGENOUS SYSTEMS

*392. SHRI ARJUN ARORA (OH BEHALF OF SHRI B. N. BHARGAVA) : Will the Minister of HEALTH be pleased to state:

(a) what steps Government have taken by the Indian Pharmacopoeia of the medicines of the indigenous systems of medicine; and

(b) what steps have so far been taken by the Indian Pharmacopoeia Committee in this respect?

स्वास्थ्य मंत्री (श्री डी० पी० करमकर) : (क) केन्द्रीय आयुर्वेदिक अनुसन्धान परिषद् ने कुछ सिफारिशें की हैं और उन पर विचार किया जा रहा है ।

(ख) इंडियन फार्माकोपिया कमेटी ने एक जड़ी-बूटी उपसमिति नियुक्त की है

†[] English translation.

और इस दिशा में प्रथम कदम के रूप में
संशोधन के उपयोग में लाई जाने वाली
दवा की प्रभावशाली प्रतिक्रिया के लिये चुनी
गई है ।

[THE MINISTER OF HEALTH (SHRI D. P. KAHMARKAR) ; (a) The Central Council of Ayurvedic Research has made certain recommendations and these are being examined.

(b) The Indian Pharmacopoeia Committee has appointed an Indian Medicinal Plants Sub-committee. As a first step ten vegetable drugs which are commonly used have been taken up for investigation.]

MR. CHAIRMAN: Questions are over.

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WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

DISCONTINUANCE OF PLANE HALT AT BHOPAL

♦386. SHRI P. N. RAJABHOJ: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Indian Airlines Corporation have made a proposal for the discontinuance of the plane halt at Bhopal;

(b) if so, for what reasons; and

(c) whether Government have accepted the proposal?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AHMED MOHTUDDIN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

SETTING UP OF FARMERS' BANK

*394. SHRI P. N. RAJABHOJ: Will the Minister of COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to start a new bank known as "Farmers Bank" in order to help farmers; and

(b) if so, what are the details of the proposal and when the bank is likely to be set up?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION (SHRI B. S. MURTHY): (a) No Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

TRAIN BETWEEN MANMAD AND KACHEGUDA AND PURLI-VAIJNATH AND BASIM

•397. SHRI BABA SAHEB SAVNE-KAR: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that usually all trains running between Manmad and Kacheguda (Hyderabad) and Purli-Vajnath and Basim run late; and

(b) if so, what steps Government propose to take to maintain punctuality of train runnings on these lines?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHAH NAWAZ KHAN): (a) No Sir, except on the Purna-Basim Section.

(b) The Purna-Basim section is a newly opened section. The train services comprise of one passenger and one mixed train each way. The mixed trains have to perform shunting operations at intermediate stations which affects their punctuality. In the time table to come into force from 1-4-61 it is proposed to discontinue running of mixed trains, which step is expected to ensure a satisfactory standard of punctuality.

†[] English translation. 1089

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