

Government to advise the Travancore University to have it functioning.

SHRI S. N. MAZUMDAR: The question put, namely, when it is not being utilized by the Union, whether it is utilized by anybody else, has not been answered. May I know whether it has been rented or is being utilized for any other purpose?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: The only information I have is, that it is not being used by the Union. As to how the building is being utilized I have no information.

SHRI R. U. AGNIBHOJ: Do the University guide and supervise these Unions so that the students keep discipline and function on proper lines in this University?

MR. CHAIRMAN: That is another question. He is asking a general question about the control of the University over the Union. Is it not?

SHRI R. U. AGNIBHOJ: Yes.

SHRI GOVINDAN NAIR: May I know when the functioning of the Union was stopped?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: As I said, the matter came to my notice only recently and we are writing to the State Government.

#### LEAKAGE OF QUESTION PAPER FOR THE INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION OF TRAVANCORE UNIVERSITY

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Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a question paper relating to the Intermediate Examination held by the Travancore University in March, 1956 leaked out; and

(b) if so, what action has been taken by Government to trace the cause and source of this leakage?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The matter is under investigation of the State Government of Travancore-Cochin.

SHRI GOVINDAN NAIR: It is not only in March 1956 that the leakage has taken place. It has become a regular affair in our State. May I know whether the Government has taken this thing seriously and enquired into the matter?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: The matter is under investigation by police and as soon as the information is available, necessary action will be taken to prevent such happenings.

SHRI GOVINDAN NAIR: Is it a fact that some of the prominent members connected with the University itself are responsible for this?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: The matter is under investigation. I cannot say anything.

SHRI S. N. MAZUMDAR: The hon. Minister said something about the State Government functioning there. Is it not the President that is ruling there now?

MR. CHAIRMAN: Whatever the existing authority is.

#### T[DEVELOPMENT OF CULTURAL ACTIVITIES ABROAD

#### विदेशों में सांस्कृतिक कार्यवाहियों का विस्तार

\*१८६. श्री नवाब सिंह चौहान : क्या शिक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) विदेशों में सांस्कृतिक कार्यवाहियों के संगठन और विस्तार के लिए क्या शिक्षा मंत्रालय के अन्तर्गत एक विशेष शाखा खोली गयी है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसमें कितने व्यक्ति नियुक्त किये जायेंगे और ये लोग सांस्कृतिक कार्यों का विस्तार किस प्रकार करेंगे; और

(ग) इस शाखा का भारतीय सांस्कृतिक सम्बन्ध परिषद् से किस प्रकार का सम्बन्ध रहेगा ?

\*186. SHRI NAWAB SINGH CHAUHAN: Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether a special branch has been opened in the Ministry of Education for the organisation and development of cultural activities abroad;

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