

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON HOME HELP SERVICE

*412. SHRIMATI SAVITRY DEVI NIGAM: Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether any delegate was sent to attend the first International Conference on Home Help Service in Cambridge, England; and

(b) whether Government are trying to set up an organisation of Home Help Service affiliated to the International Federation of Home Help Services established in Paris?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR EDUCATION (DR. MONO MOHAN DAS): (a) and (b). No.

SHRI PURNA CHANDRA SHARMA: Sir, what does "Home Help Service" mean?

DR. MONO MOHAN DAS: That was also our problem, Sir, when we received notice of this question. We discussed the matter and some of our friends suggested it must be some organisation where small babies could be kept and looked after and the parents could go away. Some others suggested that it must be some organization for settling quarrels between husband and wife.

श्रीमती सावित्री निगम : क्या मैं यह जान सकती हूँ कि आदरणीय मंत्री महोदय ने यू० एन० ओ० की सोशल आर्गनाइजेशन की रिपोर्ट कभी देखी है ?

DR. MONO MOHAN DAS: I admit I have not seen it.

श्रीमती सावित्री निगम : क्या यह एक वास्तविकता नहीं है कि इस होम हेल्थ सर्विस कांफ्रेंस में यह एक युनानिमस राय प्रकट की गई थी कि एशियन कंट्रीज के लिए होम हेल्थ सर्विस आर्गनाइजेशन प्रारम्भ करना बहुत ही आवश्यक और लाभदायक सिद्ध होगा ?

DR. MONO MOHAN DAS: There may be many organisations all over the world, but so far as the Government of India is concerned, we have not got any information about this one.

श्रीमती सावित्री निगम : क्या मंत्री महोदय को यह विदित है कि होम हेल्थ सर्विस हसबैंड और वाइफ के क्वैरल्स को मिटाने के

लिए नहीं है, वरन् उन परिवारों को जो किसी दिक्कत में हों, उन गृहणियों के द्वारा जो कि सम्पन्न हों, बीमारों और बच्चों की निगरानी के लिये थोड़ी सी सहायता दिलाने के लिये है ?

MR. CHAIRMAN: You must educate him.

DR. MONO MOHAN DAS: I am grateful to the hon. Lady Member for the light she has thrown on this subject.

MILITARY DAIRY FARMS

*413. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister for DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of military dairy farms in India at present:

(b) the number of spare calves in these farms;

(c) how they are disposed of; and

(d) what is the amount realised from their disposal in each year from 1950-51 onwards?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR DEFENCE (SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA): (a) Twenty-seven.

(b) A statement showing the number of calves that had become surplus at these farms during the past five years is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

(c) Surplus calves are either sold or given away free after rearing them up to 30 days from their birth to State Government Farms, semi-official or religious institutions and members of the general public (including farmers) interested in acquiring them.

(d) This information is not readily available; it is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT

1950-51	..	..	4,701
1951-52	..	..	4,654
1952-53	..	..	6,408
1953-54	..	..	6,313
1954-55	..	..	6,152

28,228

SHRI M. VALIULLA: May I know how many calves are given free?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: I have not got the break-up as such. But they are sold mostly to private individuals and State farms and religious institutions normally get them free.

SHRI M. VALIULLA: I find from the Statement that during the years from 1951 to 1955, there has been an annual surplus of 4,000 to 6,000. May I know whether the majority of this surplus calves are given free or are they sold? And how many are given to the States and how many to public people interested in these calves, in any one of these years?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: I have not got separate figures in that order. But I can say it definitely that no one who has approached me has been refused a calf.

PROF. G. RANGA : Sir, is it not the policy of the Government to see that these calves are not sold to persons who are interested in butchering them? And may I know whether any effort is made to supply them to the Go Samvardhan organisations which are established all over the country?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: That is done, because these calves, as I said, are given to the farmers mostly who are interested in rearing them. And apart from that, as I said, religious institutions and also State-managed farms and others do get these calves.

SHRI JASWANT SINGH: Are the products from these military dairy farms used purely for military personnel or are they sold in the market also?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: They are primarily meant for the military personnel; but in case in any particular station the milk is surplus, then we do sell it in the market.

SHRI B. B. SHARMA: Are these calves used for the military personnel's personal use? Are they given free to anybody and everybody?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: Yes, that is what I said, that we do give them free.

SHRI DEOKINANDAN NARAYAN: Is there any military dairy in Delhi?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: Yes there is one military dairy farm at Delhi too.

SHRI DEOKINANDAN NARAYAN: Is there any surplus milk from that dairy?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: No, Sir.

SHRI PURNA CHANDRA SHARMA: Are these calves given to the religious institutions free or are they charged any cost?

SARDAR S. S. MAJITHIA: As I have said these religious institutions and the State-managed farms, get these calves free.

APPOINTMENT OF DR. GORDON N. MACKENZIE

*414. SHRI V. S. SARWATE: Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have appointed Dr. Gordon N. Mackenzie in the Ministry of Education for a one-year term;

(b) if so, what is the particular work which has been assigned to him; and

(c) whether Government expect him to undertake tours in India; and if so, what tour programme has been drawn up for him?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI):

(a) Yes, Sir. He will work in the Ministry of Education for over a year.

(b) He is advising the Ministry with regard to development schemes in general and the various educational schemes under the Technical Co-operation Mission programme in particular.

(c) No particular tour programme has been drawn up for him, but he can go wherever and when necessary.

SHRI V. S. SARWATE: Is it contemplated that Dr. Gordon should be consulted particularly in the field of children's education?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: He may be consulted about any scheme that the Ministry wishes to undertake. He gives us advice with regard to the various projects that we have undertaken under the Technical Cooperation Mission.