

THE PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI): (a), (b) and (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House [See Appendix VIII, Annexure No. 125.]

SHRI B. GUPTA: I have not got the statement, but may I ask a question? Is the hon. Minister aware of certain complaints coming from various quarters that part of the money is not being spent every year although the need for this money is very great in fact?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: If my hon. friend had looked into the statement he would have found that most of the grants that we gave to the West Bengal Government have been utilized except in one case in 1952-53—that is item 3.

WORK DONE BY THE CHILD GUIDANCE CENTRE OPENED BY THE CENTRAL INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION, DELHI

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

(a) whether the Central Institute of Education, Delhi, have submitted to Government a report on the work done by the Child Guidance Centre opened in the Institute in 1952; and

(b) if so, whether a copy of the report will be laid on the table of the House?

THE PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI): (a) Yes.

(b) A copy of the report for the year 1953-54 is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix VIII, Annexure No. 126.]

SHRI V. S. SARWATE: What is the limit of the age of the children taken in this centre?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: Usually young children between the ages of 2½ to 5 or 7.

SHRI V. S. SARWATE: What is the nature of the work done in the Institute?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: The Institute gets all kinds of problem children who are mal-adjusted emotionally or mentally for advice and guidance.

MR. CHAIRMAN: Are not all mal-adjusted emotionally?

SHRI V. S. SARWATE: Was Mr. Caughley of the UNESCO invited to this Centre for help?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: Yes, that is so.

SHRI V. S. SARWATE: What was the result of his visit?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: He came to organize the Child Guidance Centre but we have not been able to carry on the work on account of lack of adequate staff in the Institute.

SHRI V. S. SARWATE: Is the Government giving them the necessary and adequate staff?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: Yes, that is under the consideration of the Government.

SHRI V. S. SARWATE: Do Government know that because of lack of help which the Delhi School of Social Work used to give in contacting parents the Centre is suffering much in its efficiency?

DR. K. L. SHRIMALI: I cannot follow the question.

DISCOVERY OF A NEW VARIETY OF SAND IN MADHYA BHARAT

†*445. SHRI KRISHNAKANT VYAS: Will the Minister for NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH be pleased to state:

†Original notice in Hindi as on next page.