

4. In the sphere of social education.

To cultivate a new outlook among the people to make them self-reliant industrious and cooperation minded and specially.

- (a) establishing and maintaining information centres, community educational centres and recreation centres;
- (b) establishing institutions for rendering social service such as youth clubs, women's club and farmers' associations and encouraging any such institutions already established;
- (c) establishing a village defence corps;
- (d) encouraging physical and cultural activities;
- (e) establishing voluntery health associations;
- (f) training gram sevaks and utilising their services;
- (g) promoting children's activities.

5. In the sphere of community development:

- (a) planning for increased employment and production as well as for coordination of village institutions;
- (b) training in self help and self sufficiency among the village community on the principle of mutual cooperation;
- (c) utilising the surplus energy, resources and time of the village for benefit of the community;
- (d) providing for the implementation of development programmes entrusted to it by the State Government.

6. In the sphere of Agriculture and Irrigation

- (a) planning for agricultural improvement in the Island;
- (b) use of land and water resources and propagation of improved methods according to the latest researches;
- (c) construction and maintenance of irrigation works in the Island;
- (d) reclamation and conservation of Agricultural land in the Island;
- (e) maintenance of seed multiplication farms, assisting registered seed producer and distribution of seeds in the Island;
- (f) raising the production of fruits and vegetables;
- (g) conservation of manurial resources, preparing compost