

(b) The scheme is mainly for the establishment of a factory to serve as a Laboratory for research work in the manufacture of tea on modern scientific lines.

AGENCY SALES SCHEME

*1501. **Shri Viswanatha Reddy:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) the chief features of the "Agency Sales Scheme" for which the All India Khadi and Village Industries Board has received a grant from Government;

(b) for how long this scheme has been under operation; and

(c) the names of the States where it is under operation?

The Minister of Commerce (Shri Karmarkar): (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix VI, annexure No. 27.]

CALIFORNIA TRADE FAIR

*1503. **Shri G. L. Chaudhary:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the commodities which had a good sale in the California State Trade Fair which was held in September, 1954; and

(b) the total value of the commodities sold in this fair?

The Minister of Commerce (Shri Karmarkar): (a) and (b). No commodities were sold at the California Trade Fair held at Sacramento this year, as sales were not permitted.

संसद् सदस्यों के लिये नये फ्लैट

*१५०८. श्री पी० एल० बाबूपाल :
क्या निर्माण, आवास तथा संभरण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार को मालूम है कि जब दिल्ली में पिछले दिनों में वर्षा हुई थी

उस समय संसद् सदस्यों के लिये बनाये गये नये फ्लैटों की छतें चूने लगी थीं, और

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या यह दोष ठेकेदारों द्वारा लगाये गये षटिया सामान के कारण है ?

The Minister of Works, Housing and Supply (Sardar Swaran Singh): (a) and (b). As a result of the heavy and continuous rains that occurred on the 30th September and 1st October, some dampness developed on the walls on the east and north of the flats which had then recently been completed. The Chief Engineer has satisfied himself that this is not due to any inferior quality of the materials used.

TRAINING IN SHIP-BUILDING

*1509. **Sardar Iqbal Singh:** Will the Minister of Production be pleased to state the names of scholars or engineers, if any, deputed to foreign countries to specialise in ship-building?

The Minister of Production (Shri K. C. Reddy): A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha. [See Appendix VI, annexure No. 28.]

MACHHALI CHARA COLONY OF KAILASAHAR

*1510. **Shri Dasaratha Deb:** Will the Minister of Rehabilitation be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a sum of rupees fifty was recovered from each displaced person of Machhali Chara Colony of Kailasahar at the time of payment of relief loan, for the purpose of Bazaar construction;

(b) if so, on what principles;

(c) whether Government have received any complaints in this regard; and

(d) if so, what steps have been taken so far in this regard?

The Deputy Minister of Rehabilitation (Shri J. K. Bhonsle): (a) No.

(b) & (d). Do not arise.