

(b) No.

(c) The possibility of manufacturing turbines of 3 to 6 KW capacity at the Tungabhadra workshop is being examined.

Power Supply in Mysore State

2757. { Shri R. G. Dubey:
Shri S. B. Patil;

Will the Minister of **Irrigation and Power** be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 674 on the 11th May, 1962 and state:

(a) the exact amount of power storage in Mysore State in terms of the contractual obligation on the part of Mysore Government;

(b) whether Mysore Government have submitted a package plant as a stand-by for the Bangalore City and also meet the pressing immediate needs of industries; and

(c) what are the details?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Irrigation and Power (Shri Alagesan): (a) At the end of the second Plan period, the assessed demand for power in the State was 184.3 MW against the available firm generating capacity of 151.4 MW. Thus, there was a shortage of 32.9 MW. Details of contractual obligations are not available.

(b) and (c). A proposal for the installation of two gas turbine package plants of 10 MW capacity each, at Bangalore, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1.20 crores has been received from the State Government and is under consideration.

Sugar Factory at Mudhol

2758. { Shri R. G. Dubey:
Shri S. B. Patil;

Will the Minister of **Food and Agriculture** be pleased to state:

(a) the progress made in setting up of a sugar factory at Mudhol in

Bijapur District of Mysore State; and

(b) in case there is no progress what action Government propose to take in the matter?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Food (Shri A. M. Thomas): (a) and (b) A draft licence was issued in June, 1960 for setting up a sugar factory at Mudhol. The same was cancelled in October, 1961 as the licensee failed to take effective steps to establish the proposed sugar factory.

Karnafuli Dam Project

2759. { Shri E. Madhusudan Rao:
Shri D. C. Sharma:
Shri R. Barua:
Shri Dinesh Bhattacharya:

Will the Minister of **Irrigation and Power** be pleased state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some villages in Demagiri area in Assam have been flooded due to the construction of Kaptai Dam on the Karnafuli River in East Pakistan; and

(b) if so, the action taken by Government in the matter?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Irrigation and Power (Shri Alagesan): (a) The dam was commissioned before the surveys were completed and before it could be filled to the proposed levels by the monsoon flow. It would be premature to assess the extent of flooding under the changing present conditions.

(b) The Government of Assam have been requested to take necessary action to rehabilitate the displaced persons, as a first step.

Divya-Panvel-Uran Apta Broad Gauge Line

2760. Shri Shivaji Rao S. Deshmukh: Will the Minister of **Railways** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the construction work of Divya Panvel-Uran Apta broad gauge line has commenced;

(b) whether the electrification of the above line is to be taken up side by side with its construction; and

(c) whether the said line is proposed to be taken up for construction as double (ab *Initio*)?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Railways (Shri S. V. Ramaswamy): (a) Yes.

(b) and (c) No.

बिहार के बाढ़ मुक्त क्षेत्र

२७६१. श्री यमुना प्रसाद मंडल : क्या रेलवे मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या उत्तर बिहार के बाढ़-मुक्त क्षेत्रों में (काशी से पूर्वी रक्षात्मक बांध में सटे) पूर्वोत्तर रेलवे पर (पूर्वोत्तर रेलवे के मुपौल स्टेशन से भण्डियारी और राधोपुर तक) पुनः यातायात के सम्बन्ध बढ़ाये जायेंगे ;

(ख) क्या बिहार सरकार ने इसके सम्बन्ध में अपनी सिफारिशें भेजी हैं ;

(ग) क्या उन बाढ़-मुक्त क्षेत्रों (काशी अंचल में और बाहर) के रेलवे स्टेशन भवन, पुल, तार के खंभे, जमीन आदि भारत सरकार की रेल सम्पत्तियों की सुरक्षा का प्रबन्ध है; और

(घ) यदि हाँ, तो उस का ध्येय क्या है ?

रेलवे मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (श्री सें० वें० रामस्वामी) : (क) इस समय इस प्रकार का कोई प्रस्ताव नहीं है ।

(ख) इस सम्बन्ध में बिहार सरकार की ओर से कोई सिफारिश नहीं मिली है ।

(ग) जी नहीं ।

(घ) सवाल नहीं उठता ।

जयनगर और खजौली स्टेशनों के बीच हाल्ट स्टेशन

२७६२. श्री यमुना प्रसाद मंडल: क्या रेलवे मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या पूर्वोत्तर रेलवे के जयनगर और खजौली रेलवे स्टेशनों के बीच एक हाल्ट स्टेशन बनाने का कोई प्रस्ताव है, और

(ख) यदि हाँ, तो यह किस स्थान पर बनाया जायेगा ?

रेलवे मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (श्री सें० वें० रामस्वामी) : (क) जी नहीं ।

(ख) सवाल नहीं उठता ।

Government Hospitals in Delhi

2763. **Shri Hem Raj:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that conditions in the Government Hospitals in Delhi are most unsatisfactory; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

The Minister of Health (Dr. Sushila Nayar): (a) and (b) Although there is scope for improvement, the conditions in the Government Hospitals in Delhi are not most unsatisfactory. The question of improving the conditions of the Government Hospitals in Delhi is being constantly kept under review by the Hospital authorities. As there is over-crowding in the Hospitals and there is shortage of doctors and equipment and lack of accommodation, it has not been possible to run these hospitals on optimum conditions of efficiency.

Drinking Water Supply in Gaya

2764. **Shrimati Shashank Manjari:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that there is scarcity of drinking water in the Gaya area of Bihar;

(b) if so, the aid given by the Centre in this regard; and

(c) in which of the other areas of Bihar such scarcity of water occurs?

The Minister of Health (Dr. Sushila Nayar): (a) Yes, there is some scarcity of water in Gaya town and