

(c) whether the plant is likely to be commissioned by the end of Third Plan period?

The Minister of Irrigation and Power (Dr. K. L. Rao): (a) Rs. 73 lakhs.

(b) During 1965.

(c) Yes. The first 60 MW generating unit is expected to be commissioned during January-March, 1966, and the second similar unit in April-June, 1966.

Pong Dam

420. Shri Hem Raj: Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the demarcation for displacing the population of the Pong Dam has only been done to the level of 1410 feet;

(b) whether it is also a fact that due to the filling up of the reservoir the adjoining land and houses on both banks of the lake upto the depth of three or four miles in the interior will be affected and damaged by water seepage and water logging; and

(c) if so, whether any policy has been framed for declaring such people to be oustees?

The Minister of Irrigation and Power (Dr. K. L. Rao): (a) to c). Whereas the designed full reservoir level in the lake is 1400, land and houses are being acquired upto 1430 level. No damage to the lands and properties is expected from water seepage and water logging above 1430 level.

Beas and Sutlej Beas Link Dams

421. Shri Hem Raj: Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to state:

(a) whether any definition of "oustees" has been made by the Beas Control Board in respect of the persons

who will be displaced by the construction of the Beas and Sutlej Beas link dams;

(b) if so, what; and

(c) whether any policy decision has been taken for the fixation of the price of the land in Rajasthan on which these oustees are going to be rehabilitated or resettled?

The Minister of Irrigation and Power (Dr. K. L. Rao): (a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Not yet. This is under consideration.

Compensatory Allowance for P. & T. Employees

**422. { Shri Hem Raj:
Shri Subodh Hansda:
Shri S. C. Samanta:
Shri N. R. Laskar:
Shri Maheswar Naik:**

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the Central Government propose to extend the same benefit to its employees posted in the hilly areas as has been extended by the Punjab Government to its employees?

The Minister of Finance (Shri T. T. Krishnamachari): No, Sir; the matter has to be examined.

भारत में दन्त-चिकित्सा

४२३. श्री श्रीकार लाल बरेवा : क्या स्वास्थ्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगी कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि भारत में अभी दन्त चिकित्सा के सामान की भारी कमी है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस समय कितना सामान बाहर से मंगाया जाता है; और

(ग) अब इसके लिये कौन कौन से सामान देश में बनाने का निर्णय किया गया है ?