

योजनाएँ चलाई जा रही हैं। ये इस प्रकार हैं :—

१. मंडी का सेंट्रल डिमांस्ट्रेशन फार्म तथा रेशम के कीड़ों का बीज भंडार।
२. धौलाकुआं में सेंट्रल डिमांस्ट्रेशन फार्म संगठन।
३. मंडी में रेशम के तार को लपेटने के प्रदर्शन तथा उत्पादन केन्द्र की स्थापना।

(ख) पिछले पांच सालों में इस प्रदेश में रेशम के कीड़े पालने का प्रचार करने की कोशिश की गई है। इन सालों में हिमाचल प्रदेश प्रशासन ने जो काम किया उसमें ये भी शामिल हैं :—

१. शहतूत से रेशम तैयार करने वाले प्रदर्शन फार्मों की स्थापना करना ;
२. रेशम के कीड़े पालने वालों को शहतूत के पौधे देने के लिये शहतूत की नर्सरियां खोलना ;
३. बीज के काम में लाने के लिये रोगमुक्त रेशम के कीड़े देना ;
४. रेशम का तार लपेटने के काम का कारीगरों को प्रशिक्षण देना ; और
५. शिवरात्रि और नलवाड़ी के मेलों में रेशम के कीड़े पालने के बारे में प्रदर्शनियां करना।

#### N.E.P.A. Mills

**44. Shri Wadiwa:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the National Newsprint and Paper Mills Ltd., Napanagar, has not yet reached

its installed capacity for production of 100 tons newsprint per day; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

**The Minister of Industry (Shri Manubhai Shah):** (a) and (b). Yes Sir. The main reason is the shortage in the supply of power and steam. Equipments to augment the production to 100 tons per day are already under installation and it is expected that if adequate power for which arrangements are being made, is available, it will be possible for the Mills to increase the daily production to its installed capacity.

#### Passports and Travel Documents

45. { Shri N. R. Muniswamy:  
Shri Supakar:

Will the Prime Minister be pleased to state:

(a) what is the fee for passports and other travel documents recovered or collected in the years 1958, 1959 and 1960 so far;

(b) whether any revision in the fee has been effected; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor?

**The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru):** (a) The following fees for passports and other travel documents were collected:

	1958	1959	1960
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Passports	905,466	984,960	561,235
Other travel documents	34,727	40,787	19,394

(b) and (c). Yes; the fees for issue of passports and other travel documents have been revised with effect from June 1, 1960. The fees charged prior to this date were laid down

before the war and had remained unchanged, although expenditure on passport establishments, printing and other items has increased manifold.

#### Manufacture of Watches

46. { Shri D. C. Sharma;  
Shri Bibhuti Mishra;  
Shri Ajit Singh Sarhadi:

Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 3 on the 9th February, 1960 and state:

(a) whether more schemes for the manufacture of watches in India have been finalised; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

The Minister of Industry (Shri Manubhai Shah (a) and (b). Beside the Indo-French collaboration scheme in the Private Sector, the scheme for the manufacture of watches in the Public Sector in collaboration with the Japanese firm has also since been approved. Two other schemes of collaboration one with Italian and the other with West German firm in the Private Sector have also been tentatively approved.

#### Recording of events connected with Mahatma Gandhi's Life

47. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Information and Broadcasting be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 96 on the 12th February, 1960 and state:

(a) the up-to-date position with regard to the implementation of the scheme of the All India Radio to record events connected with Mahatma Gandhi's life;

(b) whether they have recorded the events relating to Khera Satyagraha; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

The Minister of Information and Broadcasting (Dr. Keskar): (a) Four radio documentaries have been broadcast so far on various phases of Mahatma Gandhi's life and authentic material is being collected for preparing more documentaries of this type.

(b) and (c). As the Khera Satyagraha is mainly associated with Sardar Patel, the documentary on this event will be covered by All India Radio, Ahmedabad, on the occasion of Sardar Patel's 85th birth anniversary.

#### Working Journalists' Wage Committee

48. { Shri D. C. Sharma;  
Shri Surendranath Dwivedy:

Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 108 on the 12th February, 1960 and state:

(a) the progress since made regarding the implementation of the recommendations of the Working Journalists' Wage Committee; and

(b) whether a statement showing the position in this regard would be laid on the Table?

The Deputy Minister of Labour (Shri Abid Ali): (a) and (b). It appears that most of the covered establishments continue implementing the decision of the Committee. Appropriate action is taken whenever any complaint is received.

#### सरकारी इमारतें

४६. श्री अनिरुद्ध सिंह : क्या निर्माण आवास और संभ्रमण संशोधन यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि भविष्य में सरकारी इमारतें बनाने के बारे में केन्द्रीय सरकार ने कोई नीति बनाई है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका न्योरा क्या है ?