(ख) यदि हां, तो यह आदेश किस तारीख से जारी किया जा रहा है ?

[Employment of the dependence of the retired Railway employees

2151. SHRI BHOLA PRASAD; Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to issue an order for employing one son or daughter of the retired railway employees, as is reported to have been made recently by the Minister of State in his Ministry at a public meeting at Varanasi and which had also appeared in the press, and»|*ft; fj

(b) if so, the date from which the order is being issued?]

रेल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री शिव नारायण) : (क) जी नहीं । रेल राज्य मंत्री द्वारा इस प्रकार का कोई बयान भी नहीं दिया गया है ।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

t[THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHEO NARAIN);. (a) No. No such statement was also made by the Minister of .State for Railway., at Varanasi.

(b) Does not arise.]

रेल कर्मचारियों को दी जाने वाली पेंशन में वृद्धि

2152. श्री भोला प्रसाद : क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि सरकार रेल कर्मचारियों को उनके वेतन के 50 प्रतिशत की दर से पेंशन देने का विचार रखती है ;

(ख) क्या यह भी सच है कि मई, 1974 की रेल हड़ताल के दौरान जिस प्रकार वफादार रेल कर्मचारियों को एक वेतन-वृद्धि दी गयी थी उसी प्रकार सरकार हड़ताल में भाग लेने वाले कर्मचारियों को भी एक वेतन वृद्धि देने का विचार रखती है ; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो कब ; और यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

t [Increase in the grant of pension to the Railway employees

2152. SHRI BHOLA PRASAD; Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose t0 grant pension to the railway employees at the rate of 50 per cent of their pay;

(b) whether it is also a fact that Government propose to grant an increment to those railway employees who participated in the railway strike in May, 1974, as was done in the case of loyai employees during that strike period; and

(c) if so, by when, and if not, what are the reasons therefor?]

रेल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री शिव नारायण) : (क) रेल कर्मचारियों के लिए अपनायी गयी पेंशन योजना बिलकुल वही है जिसे वित्त मंत्रालय न सभी केन्द्रीय सरकारी कर्मचारियों के लिए प्रतिपादित किया है । जब केन्द्रीय सरकारी कर्मचारियों के लिए पेंशनीय लाभों को उदारीकरण क सम्बन्ध में कोई निर्णय लिया जाएगा तो उसे रेल कर्मचारियों पर भी लागू कर दिया जाएगा ।

(ख) और (ग) इस समय ऐसा कोई प्रस्ताव विचाराधीन नहीं है ।

†[THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF_ RAILWAYS (SHRI SHEO NARAIN^: (a) The pension scheme adopted for the rail-

†[ ] English translation.

way employees is in toto the same as formulated by the Ministry of Finance for all Central Government servants. Any decision regarding the liberalisation of Pensionary benefits when taken in regard to the Central Government servants as a whole will be made applicable to the railway employees also.

(b) and (c) At present no such proposal is under consideration]

रेल कर्मचारियों की पदोन्नति

2153. श्री योगेन्द्र शर्मा : क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि सरकार रेलवे के उन कर्मचारियों को, जो एक ही ग्रेड में पिछले 10–15 वर्षों से लगातार काम कर रहे हैं और विशेषत: उन लिपिकीय कर्मचारियों को, जो ग्रेड II में पिछले 20–25 वर्षों से काम कर रहे हैं और उसी ग्रेड में अपने अधिकतम वेतन-मान पर रुके पड़े हैं; उच्चतर ग्रेडों में पदोन्नति देने के लिए आदेश जारी करने का विचार रखती है ; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो ऐसे आदेश कब जारी किये जायेंगे ?

[Promotion to Railway employees

2153. SHRI YOGENDRA SHARMA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to issue orders for giving promotions in higher grades to those Railway emplyoees who have been continuously serving for the last 10-15 years in the same grade and particularly to those clerical employees who have been working in grade II for the last 20—25 years and have been stagnating in the same grade at the maximum of their pay scale; and

(b) if so,, by when?]

रेल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री शिव नारायण) : (क) और (ख) जी नहीं । परन्तु वेतन-वृद्धि में अवरोध को दूर करने के उद्देश्य से उच्चतर ग्रेड के अधिक पदों का सृजन करके हाल ही में संवर्ग पुनर्संरचना की गई है ।

वेतन-वृद्धि में अवरुद्धता को कम करने के लिए उपाय निकालने के लिए उसकी समय-समय पर समीक्षा की जाती है ।

t[THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) and (b) No. But cadre restructuring has been done recently creating larger number of higher grade posts with the object of relieving stagnation.

The extent of stagnation will be kept under review from time to time to devise measures for reducing it.]

Gandhi Kustha Nivaran Pratisthan,

Village Akhalarpur Distt. Rohtas, Bihar

2154. SHRI YOGENDRA SHARMA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any petition/communication was received by the Central Government on the 27th January, 1978 demanding for an enquiry into the affairs of the Gandhi Kustha Nivaran Pratisthan. Village Akhalarpur, Distt. Rohtas in Bihar;

(b) whether it is a fact that in 1962 a grant of rupees thirty-two thousand was given to this organisation;

(c) whether it is also a fact that on account of mismanagement by the then Chairman of State Leprosy Board discontinued the grant;

(d) whether it is a fact that the decision of the Board has never been implemented; and

†[ ] English translation.