

बसा कर तथा अन्य अभ्युपायों को अपनाकर कारपोरेशन के प्रबन्धक यह सुनिश्चय करने का प्रयास कर रहे हैं कि विभिन्न सम्प्रदाय परस्पर हिलमिल कर रहें। कुछ अतिरिक्त क्वार्टरों के निर्माण का कार्यक्रम भी हाथ में लिया जा रहा है।

†[THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI FAKHRUDDIN ALI AHMED) : (a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

(a) About 1200 employees of the Heavy Engineering Corporation were temporarily accommodated in two hostels of the Central Training Institute. These employees had been affected by the communal disturbances which occurred in Ranchi in August, 1967 and have been living in hostels since then.

(b) Management agreed to pay salaries to Muslim employees during their absence from duty. They also decided to advance two month's basic salary. The management has assisted these employees by (a) treating the absence of these Muslim employees as special casual leave from 22nd August, 1967 to 15th October, 1967 (b) paying salaries to these employees during their absence from duty and advancing two months basic salary (c) waiving of recovery of all advances and outstanding amounts due from employee killed in the disturbances except any cases where such advances were for purchase of motor cars and immovable properties. A sum of Rs. 500 paid as compensation in each individual cases of loss of life. (d) providing jobs to one dependent member of family of deceased employee in the Corporation.

(c) and (d) Efforts are being made by the management of the H. E. C. to disperse Muslim employees who are at present temporarily housed in some hostels to various sectors in the HEC colony. With such dispersal, and various measures, taken, the Management is attempting to ensure that the

different communities in the colony may live together in harmony. A programme for the construction of some additional quarters is also being undertaken.]

MANGANESE MINING INDUSTRY

*313. SHRI N. SRI RAMA REDDY : Will the Minister of STEEL, MINES AND METALS be pleased to state :

(a) the position of manganese ore mining industry at present ;

(b) whether it is a fact that a stage of collapse of his industry has now been reached ; and

(c) the steps taken to revive the industry ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL, MINES AND METALS (SHRI P. C. SETHI) : (a) and (b) The manganese mining industry in India is passing through a difficult time.

(c) Possibilities of affording relief to this industry are under consideration of the Government.

NEW RAILWAY LINES

*314. SHRI C. ACHUTHA MENON : SHRI B. C. PATTANAYAK :

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether proposals for the laying of new railway lines during the Fourth Five Year Plan period have been finalised; and

(b) if so, the details and the estimated cost thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. M. POONACHA) : (a) Not yet, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

*315. [Transferred to the 11th December, 1968.]

विदेशों में भेजी गई भारतीय फिल्में

*316. श्री निरंजन वर्मा : क्या वाणिज्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :