

2. The principal items of import from G.D.R. will be chemicals, pesticides, muriate of potash, raw films, machine tools, capital goods, laboratory and scientific equipment and iron and steel products. The main commodities to be exported from India to G. D. R. are iron ore, mica, crushed bones, cashew kernels de-oiled cakes, tobacco, tanned hides and skins. coffee jute manufactures, engineering goods etc.

3. The principal items of import from Yugoslavia will be lubricating base oil, non-ferrous metals and their semiproducts, special alloy and tool steel, rolled steel products, tractors, capital goods, equipment; merit for ships etc. The main commodities to be exported to Yugoslavia are iron ore, manganese ore, coffee, rolled steel products, jute products, cotton textiles, de-oiled cakes, various consumer goods, tanned and semi-tanned hides and skins, tyres and tubes, various types of engineering goods etc.

4. The expected turnover of trade with G. D. R. and Yugoslavia will be about I Rs. 72 crores and Rs. 75 crores respectively. 1

OPENING OF RAILWAY CROSSING NEAR RANGIYA

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1140. SHRI SRIMAN PRAFULLA GOSWAMI : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) the reasons for which the new Railway crossing near Rangiya on the National Highway No. 31 has not yet been opened; and

(b) when the crossing will be opened ?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. M. POONACHA) : (a) and (b) 'A' class level crossing near Rangiya on the The new National Highway No. 31 is being constructed as a 'Deposit' work. This will be a manned level crossing and it is very essential that the lodges for the gatemen posted at the level crossing, are constructed before the level crossing is opened to traffic. The work of constructing lodges for the gatemen is in progress and is expected to be completed by March, '68. The level crossing is expected to be opened simultaneously.

बैलाडीला में इस्पात कारखाना

1141. श्रीमती विद्यावती चतुर्वेदी : क्या इस्पात, खान और धातु मंत्री यह बताते होंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने बैलाडीला में इस्पात के कारखाने की स्थापना के सम्बन्ध में कोई निर्णय किया है ; और

(ख) यदि हां. तो इसका कारण क्या है ?

f [STEEL PLANT AT BELADILA]

1141. SHRIMATI VIDYAWATI CHATURVEDI : Will the Minister of STEEL, MINES AND METALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have taken any decision regarding the setting up of a steel plant at Beladila; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof ?]

इस्पात, खान और धातु मंत्री (डा० एम० चन्ना रेड्डी) : (क) जी, नहीं ।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

t[THE MINISTER OF STEEL, MINES AND METALS (DR. M. CHANNA REDDY) : (a) No, Madam.

(b) Does not arise.]

RAILWAY GUARDS WHO FAIL IN REFRESHER COURSE

1142. SHRI A. C. GILBERT : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that trained Guards with five to ten years of service who fail in Refresher Course at Chandausi are not allowed to do Guards duty till the time they pass the Refresher Course;

(b) whether the Trains Clerks who have not undergone any training as Guards are allowed to function as Guards; and

(c) if so, the reasons for permitting untrained Trains clerks to work as Guards in place of those trained and experienced Guards who have failed in the Refresher Course ?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. M. POONACHA) : (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the Sabha.

TRAINS CLERKS WORKING AS GUARDS

1143. SHRI A. C. GILBERT : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

t[ ]English translation.