

previously got verified from the Director, Map Publications;

(b) if so, whether Rajhans Atlas published in Hindi by Hansraj Khanna and Bios., Nai Sarak, Delhi and Navin Rashtriya Atlas published in Hindi by Indian Book Depot and Map House, Sadar Bazar, Delhi are being sold in the market of Delhi and used by students in Delhi schools without the publishers having got the international boundaries verified as required under Government orders; and

(c) what action has been taken or is contemplated to be taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION (DR. K. L. SHRIMALI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The matter is being looked into by the Delhi Administration and the information will be placed on the Table of the Rajya Sabha in due course. It may be added that all Heads of Government and Recognised Institutions in Delhi have standing instructions that only those maps the correctness of which has been certified by the Director, Map Publications, Survey of India, Dehra Dun should be purchased and used in the schools.

COAL FOR UTTAR PRADESH

1022. SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA: Will the Minister of MINES AND FUEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether his attention has been drawn to the news item under the heading "Sufficient coal for U.P., Malviya's assurance", published at page 5 in the "Indian Express" of August 20, 1962; and

(b) if so, what are the full details of his proposals to meet the coal shortage in Uttar Pradesh and when they are likely to mature in full?

THE MINISTER OF MINES AND FUEL (SHRI K. D. MALAVIYA): (a) Yes.

(b) The following are the main steps taken by the Government to

meet the shortage of coal in Uttar Pradesh:—

- (i) increase in rail movement capacity from July, 1962 by an additional 100 wagons per day in the "Above Moghal-sarai" direction from the Bengal/Bihar coalfields, a part of which would cater to the needs of Uttar Pradesh;
- (ii) movement of coal in block rakes in heavier type of wagons;
- (iii) plans have been drawn to develop the Singrauli coal-field, which will produce about 2.5 million tons in the Third Plan and which will feed U.P. and other areas served in the above Moghal-sarai direction.
- (iv) plans are being drawn up for transporting coal by river and roads from the West Bengal/Bihar coalfields to certain districts of Uttar Pradesh. The scheme is likely to be put into operation in October, 1962;
- (v) creation of coal dumps at important places in Uttar Pradesh.

I.A.S. OFFICERS ON DEPUTATION TO THE CENTRE

1023. SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the I.A.S. Officers deputed from the States cadre to the Centre are given any deputation allowance, if so, what;

(b) how many such officers are at present working under the Government of India;

(c) what is the monthly expenditure on deputation allowance paid to them;

(d) what are the rules regarding deputation of officers from the States to the Centre; and