

KOYNA HYDRO-ELECTRIC PROJECT

*475. MOULANA M. FARUQI: Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state:

(a) what progress has so far been made with regard to the implementation of the Koyna Hydro-electric Project; and

(b) by what time the project is scheduled to be fully implemented?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (SHRI J. S. L. HATHI): (a) and (b). A statement giving the requisite information is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT

(a) The progress of the more important items of work on the Koyna Hydro-Electric Project as on 31st October, 1959 is given below:

I. Dam and Appurtenances

Excavation to the extent of 22.4 m. cft. in over-burden and in rock has been completed. This constitutes 73.00 per cent. of the total estimated excavation to be done.

Concreting to the extent of 8.914 m.cft. has been done. This constitutes 24.46 per cent. of the total concreting work.

II. Underground Excavation

(1) *Race Tunnels*.—Excavation work on both the Head Race Tunnel and Tail Race Tunnel has been completed.

(2) *Pressure Shafts*.—Excavation work on Pressure Shaft No. I has been completed whereas in the case of Shaft No. II, it has been done to the extent of 1650 Rft. leaving 370 Rft. to be done.

(3) *Cable Tunnel*.—1,244 Rft. of excavation work was done in the Cable Tunnel. This constitutes 51.30 per cent. of the total work to be done.

(4) *Power House*.—Against a total estimated quantity of 6.981 m.cft., excavation to the extent of 5.1928 m.cft. has been completed in the Power House. This constitutes 74.39 per cent. of the total excavation to be done.

III. Concreting of underground works

(1) *Race Tunnels*.—Concreting work of Tail Race Tunnel has commenced during October, 1959.

(2) *Power House*.—Concreting to the extent of 3,615 Brass has been completed against a total estimated quantity of 23,890 Brass. This constitutes 15.13 per cent. of the total concreting to be done.

The expenditure incurred upto the end of October, 1959 is Rs. 15.80 crores. This works out to a little less than 42 per cent. of the total estimated outlay of Rs. 38.28 crores. The physical achievements, however, work out to a little over 42 per cent.

(b) The first generating unit of 60,000 kw. is scheduled to be commissioned in the last quarter of 1961 and each of the remaining three units of the same capacity at six months' intervals thereafter.

SCARCITY OF DRINKING WATER AT BEHARA RAILWAY STATION

*489. SHRI J. B. HAGJER: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is scarcity of drinking water for the staff and the passengers at Behara railway station (Hill Section of the North-East Frontier Railway); and

(b) if so, what steps are being taken by Government to remove the difficulty?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF RAILWAYS: (SHRI SHAH NAWAZ KHAN):

(a) Yes, Sir; some scarcity is felt.

(b) steps are being taken to provide two hand pumps on the well which will improve the supply and distribution.

WAITING HALL AT BEHARA RAILWAY STATION

*490. SHRI J. B. HAGJER: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any representation for the provision of a third class waiting hall and a ladies waiting room at Behara railway station (Hill Section of the North-East Frontier Railway); and

(b) if so, what is the decision of Government in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHAH NAWAZ KHAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) It is proposed, however to extend the existing waiting hall and the work has been approved.

CONSTRUCTION OF A WAITING ROOM AT LOWER-HALFLONG RAILWAY STATION

*491. SHRI J. B. HAGJER: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any provision has been made for the construction of a waiting room at Lower-Halflong railway station (Hill Section of the North-East Frontier Railway); and

(b) if so, what is the amount provided for the purpose and at what stage is the construction work?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHAH NAWAZ KHAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A provision of Rs. 2,000 has been made for the work. Estimate for the work is being sanctioned and the work is expected to be commenced shortly.

दिल्ली में टाइफाइड के रोगियों की संख्या

१६०. श्री नवाबसिंह चौहान : क्या स्वास्थ्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि दिल्ली में पिछले दो मास में टाइफाइड के कितने केस हुये और उनमें से कितने घातक सिद्ध हुये?

†[INCIDENCE OF TYPHOID IN DELHI

160. SHRI NAWAB SINGH CHAUHAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH be pleased to state the number of cases of typhoid in Delhi during the last two months and how many of them proved fatal?]

स्वास्थ्य मंत्री (श्री डी० पी० करमरकर): सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और मिलने पर सभा की मेज पर रख दी जायेगी।

†[THE MINISTER OF HEALTH (SHRI D. P. KARMARKAR): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.]

दिल्ली दुग्ध संभरण योजना के सम्बन्ध में प्राप्त हुई शिकायतें

१६१. श्री नवाबसिंह चौहान : क्या खाद्य तथा कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि क्या सरकार को (१) दिल्ली दुग्ध संभरण योजना के अर्वांन डिपोओं में दूध का वितरण असन्तोषजनक होने; और (२) इन डिपोओं पर ग्राहकों के दुर्व्यवहार के संबंध में कोई शिकायतें प्राप्त हुई हैं; यदि हां तो उनकी कितनी कितनी संख्या है?

†[COMPLAINTS RECEIVED IN CONNECTION WITH DELHI MILK SUPPLY SCHEME

161. SHRI NAWAB SINGH CHAUHAN: Will the Minister of FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state whether Government have received any complaints regarding (i) unsatisfactory distribution of milk at the

†[] English translation.