

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI S. V. RAMASWAMY): (a) and (b) At about 4.45 hours on 4th April, 1960, while Engine No. 2001 GA was being moved on the back pit at Agra Loco Shed, it went out of control and dashed against two other engines standing near the dead-end. As a result of the impact one of the stationary engines derailed. The Yard Khalasi Cleaner and a Steam Man working on the derailed engine and the Shunter of Engine No. 2001 GA received injuries. The Yard Khalasi Cleaner, whose injuries were serious, subsequently died in the hospital.

STUDY IN MAHANADI DELTA AREA

\*356. SHRI BAIRAGI DWIBEDY: Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Orissa have requested the Government of India to depute a team from the Flood Wing of the Central Water and Power Commission to study problem in the Mahanadi Delta area; and

(b) if so, when the team is expected to be deputed?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (SHRI J. S. L. HATHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A statement containing the requisite information is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

To conduct a detailed study of the flood problem in the Mahanadi delta, the Central Water and Power Commission had requested the Chief Engineer, Orissa, to furnish certain data about the various channels of the Mahanadi river in the deltaic reach. The requisite data are still awaited from the State Chief Engineer. On receipt of the data, the problem will be studied by the Central Water and Power Commission and, if necessary, an expert of a team of experts will be sent to make a detailed on-the-spot study.

ELECTRICITY BOARD FOR ORISSA

\*357. SHRI BAIRAGI DWIBEDY: Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to refer to the answer given to Starred Question No. 464 in the Rajya Sabha on the 15th December, 1959 and state:

(a) whether the State Government of Orissa has since formed an Electricity Board for Orissa; and

(b) if not, when it is expected to be formed?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (SHRI J. S. L. HATHI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) No definite indication regarding the date of formation of a Board, has so far been given by the State Government.

‡दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण द्वारा मकानों तथा झोंपड़ियों का गिराया जाना

\*४०१. श्री किशोरी राम : क्या स्वास्थ्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) दिल्ली प्रशासन के दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण द्वारा दिल्ली में अब तक कितने मकानों और झोंपड़ियों को गिराया गया है ; और

(ख) ऐसे मकानों के गिराये जाने के परिणामस्वरूप कितने परिवार गृह-हीन हो गये हैं ?

‡[DEMOLITION OF HOUSES AND HUTS BY DELHI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

\*401. SHRI KISHORI RAM: Will the Minister of HEALTH be pleased to state:

(a) the number of houses and huts which have so far been demolished in

‡ Transferred from the 28th April, 1960.

‡[ ] English translation.