

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR RAILWAYS AND TRANSPORT (SHRI O. V. ALAGESAN): (a) and (b). No zonal tickets were issued in 1955. A statement giving the requisite information regarding return tickets is placed on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

Occasions on which concessional return tickets in connection with Fairs, Melas or Urs were issued in 1955 and the amount derived therefrom.

Occasions	Amount realised Rs.
Khwaja Fair at Ajmer.	3,07,858
Amavasya Mela at Golagokaranath.	80
Purnagiri Mela at Tanakpur.	33
Tiruppugazh Bajana at Tiruttani.	6,326
Vaikunta Ekadasi Festival at Srirangam.	4,585
Kandoori Festival at Nagoor.	34,743
Chitra Festival at Madura.	12,939
Vaikasi Visagam Festival at Tiruchendur.	17,673
Adi Krithigai Festival at Tiruttani.	44,311
Adi Thapas Festival at Sankara-Nainar-Koil.	16,314
Velanganni Festival at Negapatam.	85,133
Brahmotsavam Festival at Tirupathi.	1,05,832
Kartigai Deepam Festival at Tiruvannamalai.	29,910
Dasarah Festival at Mysore.	59,462
Ratha Jatra Festival at Puri.	1,94,997
Sri Aurobindo's Maha Samadhi Day Celebrations at Pondicherry.	2,622
Rash Purnima Mela at Maniharighat.	50

FISHMEAL

144. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister for FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a large demand for fishmeal in India; and

(b) whether the country is self-sufficient in its requirements of fishmeal?

THE MINISTER FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (SHRI A. P. JAIN): (a) No, Sir. There is some demand for fishmeal in a few States like Madras, Bombay and Travancore-Cochin.

(b) Yes, Sir.

STATUTORY, NON-STATUTORY AND ADVISORY BODIES FOR LABOUR

145. SHRI N. C. SEKHAR: Will the Minister for LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the existing Statutory, Non-Statutory and Advisory Bodies for labour; and

(b) the total number of members of each such body and the names of the organisation each member represents?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR LABOUR (SHRI ABID ALI): (a) and (b). Complete information is not readily available. It is considered that the time and labour involved to collect the information will not be commensurate with the results which may be achieved.

TRANSHIPMENT FROM NARROW GAUGE TO BROAD GAUGE AT PACHORA RAILWAY STATION

146. SHRI DEOKINANDAN NARAYAN: Will the Minister for RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of narrow gauge wagons, the consignments of which were transhipped to broad gauge at Pachora railway station on the Central Railway in 1953, 1954 and 1955; and

(b) how many of those wagons were loaded with bananas, ground-nuts and cotton?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR RAILWAYS AND TRANSPORT (SHRI O. V. ALAGESAN): (a) The contents of the following narrow gauge wagons were transhipped to broad gauge wagons at Pachora railway station in 1953, 1954 and 1955: