

suspension of the service. Effective from the 25th October, 1965, the Corporation are operating the following services:—

- (i) IC-123/124 Delhi-Jaipur-Udai-pur-Ahmedabad-Bombay and back daily with F-27 aircraft;
- (ii) IC-461/462 Delhi-Jaipur-Ahmedabad-Bombay and back daily with Viscount aircraft.

HINDI NUMERALS USED IN BILLS BY KHADI GRAMODYOG BHAWAN

*521. SHRIMATI DEVAKI GOPI-DAS: Will the Minister of SOCIAL SECURITY be pleased to state whether his attention has been drawn to the fact that the cash bills issued to its customers by the Khadi Gramodyog Bhawan, New Delhi showing the rates and prices of clothes and other articles are written in Hindi numerals causing much inconvenience to customers from the South and foreign countries?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW (SHRI JAGANNATH RAO): Yes, Sir But from the 8th November, 1965 the prices are written in the international form of Indian numerals.

CATTLE INSURANCE

*522. SHRI JAGANNATH PRASAD: Will the Minister of FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the scheme of cattle insurance has been finalised by Government; and

(b) if so, whether any target has been fixed in this regard for the Fourth Five Year Plan period?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (SHRI C. SUBRAMANIAM): (a) Not yet; steps to collect the statistics required to work out the details of the scheme have been initiated.

(b) does not arise.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF FOURTH PLAN WORKING GROUP ON WELFARE OF BACKWARD CLASSES

*523. SHRI D. THENGARI: Will the Minister of SOCIAL SECURITY be pleased to refer to the answer given to Starred Question No. 11 in the Rajya Sabha on the 16th August, 1965 and state:

(a) whether Government have since completed the examination of the important measures recommended by the Fourth Plan Working Group on welfare of backward classes to increase the employment opportunities of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates; and

(b) if so, the details of the decision taken on these recommendations?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SECURITY (SHRIMATI MARAGATHAM CHANDRASEKHAR): (a) and (b) All the recommendations made by the Fourth Plan Working Group on the Welfare of Backward Classes to improve the employment opportunities of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes have been taken into consideration in the formulation of the Fourth Plan and will be implemented to the extent funds are available.

सिचाई की सम्भावित क्षमता

*524 श्री विमलकुमार मन्नालालजी चौरङ्गिया क्या खाद्य तथा कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) खाद्य सकट को देखते हुए किन-किन राज्यों को सिचाई की संभावित क्षमता बढ़ाने के लिये इस वर्ष कितना कितना विशेष अनुदान केन्द्रिय सरकार द्वारा दिया गया ; और

(ख) उपरोक्त भाग (क) में दिये गये अनुदानों के फलस्वरूप कितनी भूमि में सिचाई देने की सम्भावना है ?