(b) Does not arise.

Purli-Vaijnath-Latur Rail Link

1292. Shri Ram Krishan Gupta: Shri T. B. Vittal Rao:

Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 107 on the 16th February, 1961 and state:

- (a) whether any decision has since been taken regarding the linking of Purli-Vaijnath with Latur; and
- (b) if so, the nature of the decision tkaen?

The Deputy Minister of Railways (Shri S. V. Ramaswamy): (a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

Cold Storages

1293. Shri Ram Krishan Gupta: Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 109 on 16th February, 1961 and state the progress made so far in setting up cold storages in Delhi, Bangalore and Hyderabad?

The Deputy Minister of Food and Agriculture (Shri A. M. Thomas): The necessary investigations have been completed and steps are being taken for selection and acquisition of sites.

Delhi Ring Railway

1294. Shri Ram Krishan Gupta: Shri Arjun Singh Bhadauria: Maharajkumar Vijaya Ananda:

Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any talks have been held with Defence Ministry regarding the shifting of its signal equipment from Cantonment area;
 - (b) if so, the result of talks; and
- (c) the final decision taken to construct Delhi Ring Railway?

The Deputy Minister of Railways (Shri S. V. Ramaswamy): (a) to (c). After discussions between the Minis-

try of Defence and the Ministry of Railways, necessary adjustments have been made, and the alignment of the Goods Avoiding Lines in Delhi area to connect Delhi-Mathura line with Shakurbasti and Shakurbasti with Badli (Ring Railway) has been approved.

Flood Control Schemes of Punjab for 1961

1295. Shri Ram Krishan Gupta: Shri D. C. Sharma:

Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 309 on the 21st February 1961 and state:

- (a) whether the Punjab Government have since supplied the details of the flood control schemes which they intend to take up in 1961;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether these schemes have been approved by now?

The Deputy Minister of Irrigation and Power (Shri Hathi): (a) The reply is in the negative.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Under Bridge Near Charkhi Dadri

1296. Shri Ram Krishan Gupta: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 299 on the 21st February, 1961 and state:

- (a) whether Government have received reply from Municipal Committee, Charkhi Dadri regarding construction of new underbridge near Charkhi Dadri; and
 - (b) if so, the action taken thereon?

The Deputy Minister of Railways (Shri S. V. Ramaswamy): (a) At a joint meeting held with the Municipality on 14-4-1961 it was agreed that a sub-way only for pedestrians across the yard would serve the purpose, the existing level crossing serving the needs of vehicular traffic. According