

are probably less than 2,000 scattered in different parts of Ghaziabad.

Shrimati Savitri Nigam: My question has not been fully replied. I wanted to know what medical aid is being given to those people.

Dr. Sushila Nayar: The municipal dispensaries, etc., are there, and they are reimbursed for their expenses.

Matatila Project

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Shri S. C. Samanta:

Will the Minister of **Irrigation and Power** be pleased to state

(a) whether work on Matatila Project in U.P. has been completed;

(b) whether Power House has also been completed; and

(c) the total cost of the Project?

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Irrigation and Power (Shri S. A. Mehdi): (a) Stage I of the Project is completed. Work on Stage II is in progress.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) The total cost of the Project including the Matatila Hydro-Electric Scheme is Rs. 20.22 crores.

श्री म० ला० द्विवेदी : माताटीला में विद्युत् योजना का जो कार्य था, वह दूसरी योजना में समाप्त होने के लिए मूकरंर किया गया था। अब तीसरी योजना का तीसरा साल आ रहा है। मैं यह जानना चाहता हूँ कि बिजलीघर का काम कब तक शुरू होगा और कब तक लोगों को बिजली मिलना शुरू हो जायगा।

श्री स० अ० मेहदी : यह एक्सपेक्ट किया जाता था कि १९६४ में बिजली मिलना शुरू हो जायगा, लेकिन उस स्कीम में कुछ तब्दीली की गई है, उस को बढ़ा दिया गया

है। इसलिये यह तखमीना लगाया गया है कि तकरीबन १९६६ तक यह काम होगा।

श्री म० ला० द्विवेदी : क्या माताटीला के पास मुकवाढुकवा से भी बिजली जनीरेट करने का काम शुरू किया जा रहा है? यदि हाँ, तो उससे कितने किलोवाट बिजली तैयार होगी?

श्री स० अ० मेहदी : इसके साथ तो अभी बनाने की कोई स्कीम नहीं है।

Shrimati Savitri Nigam: May I know whether an enquiry has been made to find out why so much delay has occurred in completing this project and whether it is a fact that some of the power has been sold to the Kanpur area in advance about which there is great resentment?

Shri S. A. Mehdi: There is a scheme to connect this power house with Kanpur. It has not yet started supplying. I do not think there has been any delay in this. The whole plan has been slightly improved and changed.

Shri S. C. Samanta: Is it not a fact that the progress of work was slowed down for want of equipment for which some foreign exchange was involved?

Shri S. A. Mehdi: There is no delay in getting the foreign exchange. The Japanese firm has been asked to supply the machines and so on. The work has not been delayed due to any such contingency.

श्री बृज बिहारी मेहरोत्रा : क्या माननीय मंत्री जी को मालूम है कि माताटीला से कानपुर के लिये जो हाइड्रल लाइन बन रही है, उस में पोल लगाने का काम रबी के हरे खतों में टुक दौड़ा कर किया जा रहा है?

Shri S. A. Mehdi: We have not received any such complaint.

श्री यशपाल सिंह : क्या यह सही है कि इस माताटीला बांध में कुछ दरारें पड़

गई थीं ? अगर हां, तो उनकी मरम्मत में कितना खर्च हुआ ?

Shri S. A. Mehdi: No such accident has been brought to our notice.

श्री कछवाय : यह जो बिजली जनता को दी जायगी, यह किस हिसाब से दी जायगी और इसमें सरकार को साल में कितनी इनकम होगी ?

अध्यक्ष महोदय : अभी बिजली आने को दीजिये ।

श्री कछवाय : इनकम का अनुमान क्या है ?

अध्यक्ष महोदय : श्री विश्राम प्रसाद ।

श्री विश्राम प्रसाद : मैं यह जानना चाहता हूँ कि इस बांध से कितने क्षेत्रफल में सिंचाई होगी और जब यह पावर-स्टेशन बन जायेगा तो उसमें कितनी बिजली जेनरेट होगी ।

Shri S. A. Mehdi: The total coverage of this irrigation would be about 4 lakh acres.

Mr. Speaker: How much electricity would be produced?

Shri S. A. Mehdi: 30 MW.

श्री रघुनाथ सिंह : मैं यह जानना चाहता हूँ कि इसमें कितनी फारेन एक्सचेंज की आवश्यकता होगी और क्या फिनांस डिपार्टमेंट ने उसकी स्वीकृति दे दी है ?

श्री सै० प्र० मेहदी : इसमें करीब ५५ लाख की फारेन एक्सचेंज की जरूरत होगी और जहां तक मुझे मालूम है, उसमें कोई दिक्कत नहीं होगी ।

Pilot Projects for Rural Water Supply

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Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that pilot projects for water supply in rural areas will be set up;

(b) if so, whether the projects will be set up in all States; and

(c) when all these projects will be set up?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Health (Dr. D. S. Raju): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. There is a proposal to set up Rural Water Supply pilot projects in the States of Bihar, Gujarat, Madras, Punjab, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh under a Scheme of assistance from the UNICEF.

(c) The details of the projects are being worked out in consultation with the State Governments concerned and are likely to be finalised soon.

Shri Subodh Hansda: May I know why only a few States have been taken up for these pilot projects and why other States have been left out?

Dr. D. S. Raju: The idea is to try the pilot projects in certain States where environmental sanitation has also to be integrated into health schemes. That is the idea.

Shri Subodh Hansda: May I know what is the total quantum of help that would be provided for these projects by UNICEF?

Dr. D. S. Raju: UNICEF has given about half a million dollars.

Shri S. C. Samanta: May I know whether a number of special committees were appointed to examine the implementation of rural water-supply schemes and, if so, what were their reactions and whether these pilot projects have come out of that?