of passengers so that the rush in the trains may be curtailed; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways (Dr. Ram Subhag Singh): (a) Yes, Sir,

(b) Introduction of an additional train on Ghaziabad—Shahadara—Delhi section is not, at present, operationally feasible for want of spare line capacity on this section and also of terminal facilities at Delhi/New Delhi. Additional facilities have been planned and as these become available in Delhi areas, introduction of additional suburban services, including Delhi—Ghaziabad section, will be taken in hand.

Industries in the Private Sector \*823. Shri U. M. Trivedi: Will the Minister of Industry be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the industries in the private sector are suffering from paucity of funds as bulk of financial resources are directed to the public sector; and
- (b) if so, the steps Government propose to take to allow these industries to expand and augment their production?

The Minister of Industry (Shri D. sanjivayya): (a) and (b). The shortage of resources reflects the inadequacy of savings in relation to investments contemplated in the private and in the public sectors. It would not be correct to say that the shortage of resources in the private sector is due to the diversion of the bulk of financial resources to the public sector. The expenditures by Central and State Governments are also being cut back in order to avoid deficit financing; and it is equally necessary to keep a strict control over credit expansion through the banking system. At the same time, within the limitations of resources available for investment, the financial institutions which have been established in recent years to provide financial resources for private industry, will continue to assist in the expansion of capacity and production in priority industries.

## Textile Policy

\*824. Shri D. J. Naik:
Shri Chhotubhai Patel:
Shri Shivaji Rao S. Deshmukh:
Shri B. D. Deshmukh:
Shri Bibhuti Mishra:

Will the Minister of Commerce be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have finalised its Textile Policy for the year;
- (b) if so, the requirements of raw cotton and what is the production of cotton; and
- (c) what were the recommendations of the Textile Advisory Committee?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Commerce (Shri Shafi Qureshi):
(a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-7004/66].

राजस्थानमें घग्घर नदी में ब्राई बाढ़ के कारण क्षति

\*825. श्री प० ला० बाक्याल : श्री हुक्स चन्द कञ्जवाय : डा० लक्ष्मीमल्ल सिंघवी : श्री दलजीत सिंह : श्री नि० र० लास्कर : श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री : श्री युद्धवीर सिंह : श्री ब० रा० मेहता :

क्या रेलवे मंत्री मह बताने कों कृपा करेंगे, कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि राजस्थान में श्रीगंगानगर जिले में घण्घर नदी में ब्राई