Pradesh under the long and short term programme of the Five-Year Plan are to be placed at the disposal of the Government of the State;

- (b) whether a committee has been constituted to execute the plan; and
- (c) the likely time when the work is expected to commence?

The Minister of Planning and River Valley Schemes (Shri Nanda): (a) No.

- (b) No Committee has yet been constituted.
- (c) The implementation of the Plan commenced from 1st April, 1951 and should be completed in five years.

MOTOR VEHICLES AND CYCLES (IMPORT)

- 86. Pandit M. B. Bhargava: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:
- (a) the number and value of the motor cars, trucks, buses, jeeps, motor cycles and cycles imported for the use of the civil departments of the Government of India and the Governments of the different States in India during the years 1949-50, 1950-51 and 1951-52;
- (b) the number and value of the above vehicles imported on Union Government's and State Governments accounts from the sterling and the dollar areas respectively during the above period; and
- (c) the number and value of all these varieties of vehicles proposed to be imported into India on Governmental account during the year 1952-53?

- The Deputy Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Karmarkar):
 (a) and (b). A statement is laid on the Table of the House [See Appendix III, annexure No. 20.]
- (c) Not known as no indents have so far been received by the Supply and Disposals Organisation of Government for the year 1952-53.

. PRODUCTION OF MATCHES

- 87. Shri M. L. Dwivedi: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to refer to the supplementary statement No. II showing action taken on assurances given in answer to starred question No. 1645 asked on the 22nd February, 1951 and state:
- (a) whether the three categories of production of safety matches during the years 1948-49 and 1949-50 pertain to production on a cottage industry basis;
- (b) if not, what quantity of these is produced on cottage industry basis; and
- (c) whether any exports are made of this produce?

The Deputy Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Karmarkar): (a) No. Sir.

- (b) The production shown against category (3) definitely pertains to Cottage Industry, but with reference to match factories in Category (2). it is difficult to draw a line between cottage match factories and small scale factories.
- (c) The information is not readily available.