यात्रियों को सुविधायें

*१६३४. श्री बलबन्त सिंह महता : क्या रेलबे मंत्री यह बताने की कुना करेंगे कि :

- (क) क्या सरकार को इस बात का पता है जब गाड़ियां स्टेशनों पर ठहरती हैं तब यात्री सामान्यतया शौचादि करते हैं, भौर इस तरह स्थान को गन्दा तथा वायु मंडल को दूषित बना देते हैं; भौर
- (ख) यदि हां, तो इस सम्बन्धं में सरकार क्या कार्यवाही करने का विचार रखती है ?

रे**सव तथा परिवहन मंत्री के सभा सचिव** (श्री शाहनवाज सां) : (क) जी हां, लेकिन कुछ थोड़े से यात्री ऐसा करते हैं।

(ख) डिब्बों में नोटिस लगा कर यात्रियों से प्रार्थमा की जाती है कि जब गाड़ी स्टेशन पर खड़ी हो तो संडास का इस्तेमाल न करें।

Railway Employees

*1935. Shri H.N. Mukerjee: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) the total strength of the staff working at Sakrigalighat on the Eastern Railway;
- (b) the total number of staff quarters provided there at present;
- (c) whether it is a fact that some members of the staff have to live there in wagons; and
 - (b) if so, their number ?

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Shahnawaz Khan): (a) 1453.

- (b) 345.
- (c) Yes Sir.
- (d) 87.

Suburban Advisory Committee

992. Shri Gidwani: Will the Minister of Railway be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Chairman, Railway Board, had announced in the Press Conference in Bombay on the 19th March, 1955 that a Suburban Advisory Committee will be constituted soon;
 - (b) if so, when it will be constituted;
 - (c) the functions thereof; and
- (d) the names of the Members of the Committee?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) Yes. It is porposed to provide Suburban Passenger Amenities Committees at Calcutta, Bombay and Madras.

(b) to (d) These matters are being finalised.

Public Call Office at Ghatal

993. Shri N.B. Chowdhury: Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the proposed Public Call Office at Ghatal has started functioning; and
- (b) if not, when it is likely to start work?

The Deputy Minister of Communications (Shri Raj Bahadur): (a) and (b). The proposal has been dropped for the time being, in view of the heavy outlay and loss involved. It will be reexamined early next year.

Family Planning

994. Shri V.B. Gandhi: Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to accelerate the pro gramme of family planning; and
- (b) if so, the amount proposed to be provided for this purpose under the Seg cond Five Year Plan?

The Deputy Minister of Health (Shrimati Chandrasekhar): (a) Yes.

(b) The question is still under consideration.