

नियंत्रित कपड़े के, मूल्यों में कितनी वार वृद्धि की गई और उससे मूल्यों में कितनी वृद्धि हुई ?

वाणिज्य मंत्रालय में उपर्युक्त (श्री शशी कुमारी) : पिछले दो वर्षों में नियंत्रित कपड़े धातु साड़ियों, छोटियों, कुमीनों के कपड़े, मट्टे तथा त्रिल के उत्पादन की लागत में हुई वृद्धियों के फलस्वरूप इनके मूल्यों में चार बार संशोधन किया गया । विभिन्न श्रेणियों के कपड़े के मिल से निकलने समय के मूल्यों में वृद्धि निम्न प्रकार हुई :—

संशोधन की तिथि	मिल के निकलने समय मूल्य में जितनी वृद्धि हुई ।
1 नवम्बर, 1965	1.38 प्रतिशत से 5 प्रतिशत तक ।
1 अप्रैल, 1966	मोटे तथा मध्य श्रेणियों के सम्बन्ध में लगभग 2 प्रतिशत और बढ़िया तथा बहुत बढ़िया श्रेणियों में 7 से 11 प्रतिशत ।
1 अक्टूबर, 1966	6 प्रतिशत
15 अप्रैल, 1967	4.5 प्रतिशत

कपड़े की अन्य किस्मों के मूल्य नियंत्रित नहीं किये जाते ।

Electronic Computers in Accounts Departments

560. Dr. Ramon Sen:
 Shri Dhruwar Kalita:
 Shri Ram Charan:
 Shri A. K. Gopalan:
 Shrimati Suseela Gopalan:
 Shri K. Ramani:

Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) whether electronic computers for machine-accounting have been in-

stalled in the Railway Accounts Departments of Zonal Railways;

(b) if so, how many computers have been installed and at which centres;

(c) whether these machines are taken on hire or purchased outright, and the amount involved in each case including the foreign components; and

(d) the savings in staff resulting from the resort to machine-accounting?

The Minister of Railways (Shri C. M. Poonacha): (a) and (b). An Electronic Computer has been installed on the Northern Railway at New Delhi.

(c) The computer is taken on hire. The rental of the computer installed on the Northern Railway, at the current rate of exchange is Rs. 48,500 (approximately) per month. Payment is in Indian Rupees only.

(d) Mechanisation has improved and enlarged the scope of Commercial and Operating Statistical information and integrated traffic revenue accounting and statistics. The saving of staff resulting from machine accounting on the present quantum of work is estimated at 146 in the Accounts Department of the Northern Railway and is more than the cost of the computer. This is in addition to a substantial increase in errors and undercharges detected by the machines and collected from the stations.

Setting up of Coal Washeries

561. Dr. Ramon Sen: Will the Minister of Steel, Mines and Metals be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that new coal washeries are being set up in India at a heavy cost;

(b) whether it is a fact that the washed coal cannot be utilised; as there is less demand for the same; and