- (च) यदि हां, तो कब तक ; बार
- (इ.) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण है ?

स्वास्थ्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री निहार रंजन लस्कर): (क) से (ड.): यह सुचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी।

## Cuttack-Paradip Rail link

1950. SHRI BRAJ MOHAN MOHAN-TY: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that about 1600 workers employed in Cuttack-Paradip rail link Project in Orissa have been retrenched and no alternative ai langement has been made for their employment; and
- (b) if so, the steps taken by Government to absorb them and the date by which all of them will be absorbed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (CHRI C. K. JAFFER SHARIEF):

(a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha

## Talcher-Sambalpur line

1951 DR. KRUPASINDHU BHOI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have decided to take up the construction of Talcher-Sambalpur Railway line; and
- (b) if so, when the construction work would start and when it will be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. K. JAFFER SHARIF): (a) and (b). No, as the preliminary engineering-cum-traffic survey for this new rail link is still in progress. The survey is expected to be completed by June 1980.

## Salem-Dindigul line

1952 SHRI S. A. DURAI SEBAS-TIAN: Will the Minister of RAIL-WAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the survey works for the laying of broad-gauge railway line from Salem to Dindigul via Karur are over;
- (b) if so, what is the budgetary proposal; and
- (c) whether the scheme may be taken up in this financial year itself as the need is envisaged owing to fast development of these areas?

THE MINISTER OF STATE THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS SHARIF): C. K. JAFFER (SHRI (a) to (c). The re-appraisal of the earlier survey for a new BG line between Karur and Dindigul been carried out as part of composite project for a BG connection from Karur to Tirunelvelli/Tuticorin and the report is under examination. A decision on the project will taken after examination of the report is completed in all its aspects,, subject to the availability of funds and clearance by the Planning Commission

## उज्जैन-कोटा बड़ी लाइन

- 1953. श्री सत्य नारायण जीतयाः क्याः रोस मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करोगे किः
- (क) क्या उज्जैन-काटा बड़ी रोल लाइन के लिए सर्वेक्षण किया गया है;
- (स) यदि हां, तो कब और उस पर अब तक क्या कार्यवाही की, गई हैं;
- (ग) उक्त सर्वेक्षण पर अनुमानतः कितना व्यय हुआ ह<sup>‡</sup> ; और
- (घ) क्या सरकार को इस बारे में कोई प्रस्ताव मिले हैं और यदि हां, तो उन पर क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ?

रोल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सी. के. जाफर शरीफ): (क) से (श): उज्जीन पहले से ही नागदा के रास्ते कोटा के साथ वर्षी