EVACUEE PROPERTY

*155. Shri B. K. Das: Will the Prime Minister be pleased to state:

- (a) how far the migrants from East Pakistan have been able to exercise their right of ownership of the properties left by them in East Pakistan under the Delhi Agreement of 8th April, 1950;
- (b) whether they have been able to enjoy the income of their properties unrestricted:
- (c) if not, the circumstances that have prevented them from doing so:
- (d) whether any Trustee Committees have been functioning in East Pakistan under clause B(vi) of the Delhi Agreement: and
- (e) if so, how many properties have been taken charge of by the Committee?

The Deputy Minister of External Affairs (Shri Anil K. Chanda): (a) to (e). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

फाउन्टनपैन की स्याही

*१५६. श्री बाल्मीकि : नया वाणिज्य तथा उद्योग मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) फाउन्टनपेन की स्याही की आव-श्यकता के सम्बन्ध में देश को आत्मनिर्भर बनाने के लिए क्या उपाय किए जा रहे हैं: तथा
- (ख) १९५१-५२, १९५२-५३ तथा १९५३-५४ में किन किन देशों से फाउन्टेनपैन की स्याही का आयात किया गया था ?

The Minister of Commerce (Shri Karmarkar): (a) There is adequate capacity in the country for manufacture of fountain-pen inks.

(b) In 1951-52 and 1952-53 imports of fountain-pen ink were made from the U.K. while in 1953-54 (April-December, 1953) some imports were also made, besides the U.K., from Australia and Denmark.

आल इंडिया रेडियो

*१६१. डा० सत्यवादी : क्या सुचना तथा प्रसारण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

- (क) क्या आल इंडिया रेडियो पर मनाई जाने वाली जयन्तियों की सूची तैयार हो चुकी है; तथा
- (ख) यदि हां, तो क्या उस की एक प्रति सदन पटल पर रखी जायगी ?

The Minister of Information and Broadcasting (Dr. Keskar): (a) and (b). The list has not yet been completed.

STEEL PLANT

Shri Bansal: Shri Jhulan Sinha: Shri Bhagwat Jha Azad: Dr. Ram Subhag Singh: Shri K. P. Sinha: *169. < Shri B. C. Das: Shri M. L. Dwivedi: Pandit D. N. Tiwary: Shri L. N. Mishra:

Will the Minister of Production be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the expert team from Germany for reporting on the site for the erection of a new steel plant, has made any recommendations in regard to the same:
 - (b) if so, what they are; and
- (c) what is Government's final decision in the matter?

The Minister of Production (Shri K. C. Reddy): (a) to (c). I would refer the hon. Members to the Statement on the subject I made on the 16th February, 1954.

TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA

- *170. Shri Muniswamy: Will Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:
- (a) whether India is now importing any commercial goods from Australia;