

(ii) Messrs. Jose Arechabala S.A. Cardenas, Cuba.

(c) None. The price paid for has been (i) £38:17 sh. per long ton and for (ii) £38:15 sh. per long ton, including in both cases freight upto India.

जापान से रेल के इंजन

२६६. श्री रघुनाथ सिंह : क्या वातावात मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि कलकत्ता पत्तन न्यास के लिये १२ इंजन जापान से खरीद जा रहे हैं ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या इस सम्बन्ध में टेंडर मांगे गये थे ; और

(ग) इन इंजनों का कुल मूल्य क्या है ?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) and (b). Yes.

(c) £1,67,190.

AERODROME AT BHADRAVATHI

270. Shri Wodeyar: Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Mysore have recommended to the Union Government to construct an aerodrome in Bhadravathi in the Mysore State; and

(b) the number of aerodromes which are actually under construction in the former Indian States?

The Deputy Minister of Communications (Shri Raj Bahadur): (a) No, Sir

(b) Two; one in Udaipur and one in Kandla.

R. M. S. DIVISION AT MUZAFFARPUR

271. Th. Jugal Kishore Sinha: Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to open an R.M.S. Division at Muzaffarpur to ensure efficient postal service in North Bihar; and

(b) if so, how long it will take before it begins to function?

The Deputy Minister of Communications (Shri Raj Bahadur): (a) Yes.

(b) The question of opening an additional RMS Division for North Bihar is linked up with a few other proposals of reorganisation of RMS. A decision in regard to all these proposals will be taken shortly.

मांझी रेलवे स्टेशन का प्रतीक्षालय

२७२. श्री एम० एन० सिंह : क्या रेलवे मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या उत्तर पूर्व रेलवे (ओ० टी० भाग) के मांझी स्टेशन का प्रतीक्षालय रेलवे कर्मचारियों के निवास स्थान के रूप में काम आ रहा है ; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो यात्रियों के लिये प्रतीक्षालय बनाने के सम्बन्ध में क्या प्रबन्ध किया गया है ?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) No, Sir; it was only for a short period, during the recent incessant rains, that two railway employees posted at Manjhi station had temporarily to reside in a small portion of the waiting hall pending repairs to certain leaks in their residences.

(b) Does not arise.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT

273. Shri K. C. Sodhia: Will the Minister of Labour be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of claims made by the coal workers under the Workmen's Compensation Act during 1953-54;

(b) the total amount claimed and the amount actually awarded; and

(c) the machinery that has been set up to settle these claims?