The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) and (b). Nos. 305/306 North Bank Exp. css trains are at present running between Manihari Ghat and Mal Jn.

Written Answers

Prior to 26-7-54, these trains used to run between Manihari Ghat and Amingson, two of the coaches on these trains being run through to and from Tezpur. It is proposed to restore this position from I-I0-55.

Itarsi Railway Station

427. Shri Kamath: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the attention of Government has been drawn to the frequent hold-up of road traffic every day on either side of the level-crossings at Itarsi, Madhya Pradesh; and
- (b) if so, the steps proposed to be taken in the matter?

The Deputy M'nister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) No complaint has been received of frequent hold-up of road traffic on either side of the level crossings at Itarsi.

(b) Does not arise.

Itarsi Railway Station

428. Shri Kamath: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the attention of Government has been drawn to the long queues and heavy congestion at the Railway Booking counter in Itarsi; and
- (b) if so, the steps proposed to be taken in that direction?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) No such complaint has been received.

(b) This matter is under constant review by the local authorities.

Sleeping Accommodation

429. Shri Gadilingana Gowd: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to provide Sleeping Cars for III Class passengers in Grand Trunk Express, Frontier Mail, Bombay-Madras Express and Mail Trains; and
 - (b) if not, the reasons therefor?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) There are no concrete proposals under consideration by the Government for the provision of sleeping accommodation for III Class passengers on the trains mentioned.

(b) Sleeping accommodation on certain trains has been provided on an experimental basis and the question of extension of the arrai gement to other trains will be considered, in the light of experience.

विशेव रेलें

४३•. रिश्री रघुनाय सिंह ३

क्या रेलबे मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

- (क) क्या यह सच है कि इस इरादे से कि लोग तुकराल गांव की श्रीमती गेंद कुंवर बाई को सती होते हुए देख सकें, श्रागरा भौर उज्जैन के बीच संकरी लाइन पर रेलवे प्राधिकारियों द्वारा तराना स्टेशन तक एक विशेष ाड़ी चलाई गई थी; भौर
- (ख) मदि हां, तो यह विशेष प्रबन्ध क्यों किया गया ।

रेलवे तथा परिवहन उपमंत्री (श्री भ्रलगेशन) : (क) तथा (ख). सूचना इस प्रकार है:—

चलायी गयी स्पेशल गाड्रियों का ब्यौरा

- (१) २६-७-४४ को उज्जैन से घोसला के लिये दो स्पेशल गाड़ियां।
- (२) ३१-७-४४ ग्रौर १-८-४४ को घोसला से उज्जैन के लिये ६ स्पेशल गाड़ियां।

कारण

तुराल गांव के रास्ते में घोसला स्टेशन जाने वाले यात्रियों की भीड़ हटाने के लिये ।

घोसला में इकट्ठे यात्रियों को उज्जैत भौर मकोरिया-म्राम वापस लाने के लिये :

नोट :---घोसला स्टेशन मध्य रेलवे के उज्जैन-मागर (मागरा नहीं) खण्ड में है :