## सिचाई की छोटी योजनायें

७५. श्री के० सी० सोधियाः क्या खाद्य ग्रौर कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) क्या पहली पंच वर्षीय योजना के भ्रन्तर्गत सिंचाई की छोटी योजनाश्रों पर व्यय करने के लिये जो राशि नियत की गई थी, वह पूरी की पूरी खर्च की जा चुकी है;
- (ख) प्रत्येक राज्य को कितनी राशि दी गई थी श्रौर श्रव तक कुल कितनी धनराशि प्रत्येक राज्य में खर्च की गई है; श्रौर
- (ग) यदि पूरी घनराशि खर्च नहीं की गई है, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं ?

साद धौर कृषि मंत्री (श्री ए०पी० जंन):
(क) तथा (ग). पहली पंचवर्षीय योजना के अन्तर्गत सिंचाई की छोटी योजनाओं के लिये मंजूर की हुई राशि ३० जून १६५६ तक उपयोग में लायी जा सकती है। इस लिये अभी यह कहना मुमकिन नहीं है कि पहली पंचवर्षीय योजना के अन्तर्गत इन योजनाओं के लिये नियत की हुई सारी राशि खर्च की गई है या नहीं।

(स) सिचाई की छोटी योजनाओं पर ३९ जनवरी १९५६ तक मंजूर की हुई श्रीर १९५४ – ५५ तक दरअसल में खर्च की हुई सारी राशियों का राज्यवार एक विवरण नत्थी कर दिया गया है। [देसिय परिशिष्ट १, अनुबन्ध संख्या ५३] १९५५ – ५६ में ग्रब तक खर्च की हुई राशि की जानकारी ग्रभी मौजूद नहीं हैं।

## GRAND TRUNK EXPRESS

76. Shri N. Rachiah: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that only six berths out of twelve berths are allotted to passengers travelling from Bangalore to Delhi in a through bogey of Grand Trunk Express;
- (b) whether Government are aware that passengers travelling from Bangalore are subjected to considerable inconvenience for want of accommodation; and
- (c) whether Government propose to provide through bogies with I, II, and III Classes and with sleeping accommodation for II and III class passengers as the distance is more than 1,500 miles?

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Shahnawaz Khan): (a) Yes.

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- (b) It is only on certain occasions, when the number of through 1st class passengers offering ex-Bangalore City to Delhi exceeds the number of berths set apart for them, that some inconvenience is felt by such passengers.
- (c) A combined 1st and 3rd through carriage is already provided. It is not proposed to provide either sleeping or sitting through 2nd class accommodation or 3rd class sleeping accommodation on this service.

## INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION

- 77. Shrimati Ila Palchoudhury: Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:
- (a) the number of telegrams issued and received at the Posts and Telegraphs Offices located at the Industrial Exhibition held in Delhi last year; and
- (b) the revenue which accrued to the Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department as a result thereof?

The Minister of Communications (Shri Jagjivan Ram): (a) Number of business and private telegrams is 4.605. No press telegram was booked and received.

(b) The revenue from business and private telegrams is Rs. 13,464-13-0.

## RAILWAY EARNINGS

- 78. Shrimati Ila Palchoudhury: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:
- (a) the total Railway earnings during the months of November and December, 1955 as compared to the earnings in the corresponding months of 1954; and
- · (b) the total number of passengers carried by Indian Railways during the same periods?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) and (b). A statement is attached. [See Appendix I, annexure No. 54.]