

also of such of them which are accepted are made in the Annual Report of the Chief Government Inspector of Railways on the working of the Railway Inspectorate. Copies of the Report are also supplied to the Library of the Parliament. The Report for the year 1955-56 is at present under preparation and copies thereof will be placed in the Library of the Parliament as soon as the report is published.

#### INDIAN DAIRY RESEARCH INSTITUTE

**2552. Shri Madiah Gowda:** Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) whether the results of the research work done at Indian Dairy Research Institute and the Cattle-cum-Dairy Farm at Karual, are made available to the villagers;

(b) if so, by whom and in what manner; and

(c) the amount so far spent by the Central Government for this purpose during the last four years, year-wise?

**The Minister of Agriculture (Dr. P. S. Deshmukh):** (a) Yes.

(b) The Institute publishes the results of research in scientific and popular journals. The State Governments select such of the results as are important for their respective areas and make them available to the villagers through their Extension Organisations.

(c) No special expenditure is incurred by the Central Government as this is done as a normal part of its work.

#### NEW RAILWAY LINES

**2553. Dr. J. N. Parekh:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state the number of new trains or extension made in Saurashtra since 1952?

**The Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri L. B. Shastri):** During the period 1952 to 1956 (up to April) 12 new trains have been introduced and runs of 12 existing trains have been extended on the Gondel Region of the Western Railway which includes Saurashtra. Separate figures for Saurashtra are not available.

#### LOCO SHED AT DUNGUPOSH

**2554. Shri Deogam:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) the number of employees in Loco Shed at Dunguaposh in S. E. Railway category-wise separately; and

(b) the number of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes amongst them category-wise?

**The Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri L. B. Shastri):** (a) and (b) A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix XV, annexure No. 30].

#### JUTE AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE

**2555. Shri Debendra Nath Sarma:** Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state whether it is proposed to establish a Jute Agricultural Research Institute (i.e. a regional station) in Assam for the development of Jute production in the State?

**The Minister of Agriculture (Dr. P. S. Deshmukh):** It is proposed to establish a Jute Research-Cum-Development Sub-Station in Assam.

#### MALARIA CONTROL SCHEME

**2556. Shri Debendra Nath Sarma:** the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether any work has been done in Assam under the Malaria Control Scheme; and

(b) the total expenditure incurred on the scheme there during 1954-55 and 1955-56?

**The Minister without Portfolio (Shri V. K. Krishna Menon):** (a) Yes: 609,220 houses have been sprayed with DDT affording protection to about 3.05 million people, in Gauhati, Kokrajhar, Tezpur, Silchar and Jorhat areas where five Malaria Control units are working.

(b) 1954-55 ..... Rs. 8,47,277.  
1955-56 ... .. Rs. 15,90,678.