- (c) whether out of these 16 machines, only 8 machines have been put to use so far and 8 machines have remained totally unused uptil now; and
- (d) if so, the cost of machines remaining unused and the staff employed therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE (SHRI A. C. GEORGE): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) 16 posts of Key Punch Operators/ Variflers have been sanctioned. At present there is one vacancy and attempts are being made to fill up this vacancy.
- (c) and (d). All machines have been put to use but not equally intensively.

Introduction of a new train between Delhi and Moradabad (Northern Railway)

- 2323. SHRI AMBESH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:
- (a) whether there are only two passenger trains from Delhi to Moradabad in day time; and
- (b) if so, when another day train is proposed to be introduced on the route?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRT K. HANUMANTHAIYA): (a) No, there are 3 day-time trains between Delhi and Moradabad, 2 stopping passenger trains and 1 express train.

(b) There is at present no proposal to introduce additional trains on this route.

Flood Control Treaty between India and Nepal

2324. SHRI BISHWANATH ROY: Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state whether negotiations are going on for any flood control treaty with Nepal for the purpose of controlling floods in India?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (SHRI B. N. KUREEL): Preliminary discussions have been held in October 1971 at Minister's level and official level at Kathmandu on the Karnali project proposed by His Majesty's Government of Nepal and the Pancheswar and Poornagiri projects proposed by the Government of India. These projects when implemented will also provide flood control benefits in India.

Termination of Services of Employees of Signal Workshop, Gorakhpur (North Eastern Railway)

- 2325. SHRI NARSINGH NARAIN PANDEY: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:
- (a) whether notices have already been served and termination orders issued to certain employees of Signal Workshop, Gorakhpur of North Eastern Railway;
 - (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) whether his Ministry propose to absorb them elsewhere and if so, when?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI K. HANUMANTHAIYA): (a) No.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Report of delegation of All India Manufacturers Association regarding European Market

- 2326. SHRI CHINTAMANI PANI-GRAHI: Will the Minister of FOREIGN TRADE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether a five-member delegation of the All India Manufacturers Association, sponsored by Government to tour European markets to find the demand of the Indian products, has submitted its findings to Government:
- (b) if so, the recommendations made by the delegation; and
 - (c) Government's decision thereon?