2585 Written Answers JYAISTHA 12, 1889 (SAKA) Written Answers 2586

The Minister of Steel, Mines and Metals (Dr. Chemna Reddy): (a) According to the Tata Iron and Steel Co. Lid., during the years 1964-65, 1965-66 and 1966-67, the utilisation of capacity for saleable steel has progressively improved. The Indian Iron and Steel Company Ltd. have reported a decline over the same period.

(b) According to the Tata Iron and Steel Co. Ltd., and Indian Iron and Steel Co. Ltd., the percentage of utilisation of capacity for saleable steel during the last five years has been as follows:

 1962 1963 1964 1965 1966

 63
 64
 65
 66
 67

 Tatas
 88.0
 93.75
 104.51
 104.52
 103.52

 IISCO 99.39
 101.23
 99.33
 90.40
 88.65

(.) The Indian Iron and Steel Co., Ltd., have reported that the cost per tonne has increased by Rs. 8.77 Rs. 16.72 and Rs. 20.36 during the period 1964-65, 1965-66 and 1966-67, respectively.

Ferrochrome Plant in Orissa

1309. Shri P. K. Deo: Shri K. P. Singh Deo: Shri D. N. Deb:

Will the Minister of Steel, Mines and Metals be pleased to state:

(a) whether the ferrochrome plant in Orissa has been commissioned; and

(b) if not, when it is likely to start production?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Steel, Mines and Metals (Shri P. C. Sethi): (a) No, Sir.

(b) In 1969.

स्रोल के सामान का द्यायात

1310. भी भोंकार सिंह : भी हुरुम चम्ब कछवाय :

वया वाणिज्य मंत्री 31 मार्थ, 1967 के मतार्थनित प्रश्न संक्या 251 के उत्तर के सण्यत्व में यह बताने की क्रुपा करेंने कि: (क) क्या सरकार ने वर्तमान भाषात नीति के भन्तगंत खेल के सामान का मायात करने के लिये प्राप्त हुए मावेदन-पक्षों के बारे में इस बीच कोई निर्णय किया है:

(ख) यदि हां तो इसका क्यौरा क्या है; क्रीर

(ग) विदेशी मुद्रा की कमी को ध्यान में रखते हुए ऐसे झायान की झनुमति देने के क्या. कारण है ?

वाणिज्य मंत्री (भी बिनेक सिंह): (क) से (ग) प्रायात नीति के प्रन्तगंत खेल के सामान के प्रायात की प्रनुमति नहीं है। ऐसी कुछ मदों के विषय में जो देश में नहीं बनतीं प्रपवाद किया जाता है तथा मान्यता प्राप्त बेल-कूद संस्थाघों की थोड़ी योड़ी मावा मे उनके प्रायात की प्रनमति दी जाती है।

Gazetted Posts in Railway Accounts Offices

1312. Shri R. S. Vidyarthi: Shri Onkar Lal Berwa: Shri Sharda Nand:

Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Gazetted posts created in each Accounts Office of the Railways as a result of mechanisation;

(b) the additional posts of Machine Operators created for this purpose;

(c) the number of posts abolished (Gazettee and non-gazetted) as a result of mechanisation and

(d) the amount involved in this regard?

The Minister of Railways (Shri C. M. Poonacha): (a) to (d). The information is being collected and will placed on the Table of the Sabha,