

ही भूमि को राजस्वान में सिचाई की सधि-
बाएं भी मिलेगी। इससे उत्पन्न हुई बिजली
राजस्वान और मध्य प्रदेश को बराबर
धनुषात में दी जाएगी।

Agricultural Fair in Delhi in 1962 Winter

1481. Shri Chandak: Will the Min-
ister of Food and Agriculture be
pleased to state:

(a) whether an Agricultural Fair
will be held in Delhi this winter;

(b) if so, whether it will be spon-
sored by Government or the Bharat
Krishak Samaj;

(c) whether Government or the
Bharat Krishak Samaj as the case may
be, will set up a separate office for
this purpose;

(d) when and where such an office
will be set up; and

(e) who will be the office-bearers?

The Minister of State in the Minis-
try of Food and Agriculture (Dr. Ram
Subhag Singh): (a) No.

(b) to (e) Does not arise.

'Own Your Telephone' Scheme

1482. Shri Shiv Charan Gupta: Will
the Minister of Transport and Com-
munications be pleased to state:

(a) the number of outstanding ap-
plications as on 31st March, 1962 for
telephone connections under 'Own
your telephone' scheme and other
categories in the country; and

(b) the prospects of giving these
connections in each State and Union
Territory?

The Minister of Transport and Com-
munications (Shri Jagjivan Ram): (a)
A statement of outstanding demands
under O.Y.T. and non-O.Y.T. cate-
gories is laid on the Table [See Appen-
dix II, annexure no. 70].

(b) During the remaining four
years of the 3rd Five-Year Plan it is
proposed to instal approx. 2,75,000
lines in India. As many new con-
nections as possible will be provided
from these additional installations to
meet the demands already pending as
well as those that may arise. The
number of applicants under the non-
O.Y.T. category is much less than the
actual needs, since many require-
ments are not registered in view of
the fact that telephone demands have
not met over long periods.

ताजेवाला हैडवर्क्स दिल्ली के पास बांध में
दरार

१४८३. स्वामी रामेश्वरानन्द सरस्वती :
क्या सिचाई और विद्युत् मंत्री यह बताने की
कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) कि ताजेवाला हैडवर्क्स से नीचे
की तरफ यमुना का जो बांध पिछले वर्ष टूट
गया था, उस सम्बन्ध में सरकार ने अब तक
क्या कार्यवाही की है; और

(ख) यह बांध कब तक ठीक हो
जायेगा ?

सिचाई तथा विद्युत् मंत्रालय में राज्य
मंत्री (श्री अल्लगेसन) : (क) तथा (ख).
यमुना नदी पर ताजेवाला हैडवर्क्स के निकट
कोई भी बांध नहीं है। इसलिए बांध के
टूटने और उसकी मरम्मत करने का सवाल
ही नहीं उठता।

यमुना नहर के दोनों ओर पानी जमा होना

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क्या सिचाई और विद्युत् मंत्री यह बताने
की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि यमुना नहर
के समीप दोनों ओर लाखों बीघा भूमि
बाढ़ग्रस्त है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस सम्बन्ध में
सरकार क्या कर रही है; और

(ग) इस सैलाब को कब तक दूर किया जा सकेगा ?

सिवाई तथा विद्युत मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्रों (श्री अ. व. वेत्तल) : (क) से (ग). आवश्यक जानकारी इकट्ठी की जा रही है और यथाशीघ्र सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

Waiting Rooms constructed on Rupar-Nangal Dam Line

1485. **Shri Daljit Singh:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) the number of waiting rooms constructed at the stations from Rupar to Nangal Dam on the Northern Railway during the Second Five Year Plan period; and

(b) if no waiting room has been constructed, the reasons therefor?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Railways (Shri S. V. Ramaswamy):

(a) and (b). No waiting room has been provided during the Second Five Year Plan period. The Provision of any passenger amenity on Rupar-Nangal section can only be undertaken if the State Government agree to bear their share of cost in terms of the agreement with them under which the line was constructed and is being operated.

Medium Irrigation in Punjab

1486. **Shri Daljit Singh:** Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to state the amount given by way of grants and loans for medium irrigation to Punjab State during the years 1960-61, 1961-62 and 1962-63 so far?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Irrigation and Power (Shri Alagesan): A loan of Rs. 79,12,000 was sanctioned during 1960-61 to the Government of Punjab for financing expenditure on the Miscellaneous Development Schemes in the State which, inter-alia, include medium irrigation schemes. No loan was grant-

ed during the year 1961-62. For 1962-63, allotment has still to be finalised.

No separate grant was given to this State for medium irrigation schemes during these years.

Post Offices in Singhbhum District, Bihar

1487. **Shri H. C. Soy:** Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) whether Kharswan and Goilkera Police stations in Singhbhum district, Bihar are very large areas and have very few Post Offices;

(b) whether the Post Offices at Amda and Goilkera on the South Eastern Railway are handling fairly large volume of work but are still housed in rented buildings and have no telegraphic facilities; and

(c) if so, the steps being taken in the matter?

The Minister of Transport and Communications (Shri Jagjivan Ram):

(a) The area under Kharswan Police station is small and sparsely populated, whereas Goilkera Police station has been recently carved out of Chakradharpur Police station on bifurcation and its jurisdiction is not yet known. Four post offices exist in the area.

(b) Since both the post offices are Extra Departmental Branch Offices, they are housed in private buildings. They do not at present provide telegraph facilities.

(c) It is proposed to open 8 post offices during the Third Plan period in these areas. Besides, the question of upgrading the Branch Offices at Amda and Goilkera into Departmental sub offices is under examination. Sanction for opening a telegraph office at Goilkera has been issued. A proposal for opening a telegraph office at Amda is under examination.