

(ग) कितने श्रमिकों को इन कारखानों में स्थायी रूप से रखा जायेगा ?

इस्यार्त और खान मंत्री (श्री संजीव रेड्डी) : (क) से (ग). सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सजा-पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

#### Aerial Survey in M.P.

197. **Shri Vidya Charam Shankla:**

**Dr. Chandrabhan:**

**Shri Parashar:**

**Shri Hukam Chand**

**Kachhavaiya:**

**Shri Chandak:**

**Shri J. P. Jyotishi:**

**Shri Daji:**

Will the Minister of Steel and Mines be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 896 on the 27th August, 1965 and state:

(a) the progress made with regard to the proposal for aerial survey of about 1,000 sq. km. in the Jashpur-nagar area in Raigarh district of Madhya Pradesh; and

(b) the time by which the survey is likely to be completed?

The Minister of Steel and Mines (Shri Sanjiva Reddy): (a) The scheme of aerial survey is still under consideration.

(b) Does not arise.

#### Coal and Iron Deposits in Madhya Pradesh

198. **Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath:**

**Shri Yashpal Singh:**

**Shri Kapur Singh:**

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

(a) whether it is a fact that the area round about Lohgarh, Narsinghpur district, Madhya Pradesh, has been surveyed for coal and iron deposits;

(b) if so, the progress made in the work; and

(c) if the answer to part (a) above be in the negative, the reasons therefor?

The Minister of Steel and Mines (Shri Sanjiva Reddy): (a) to (c). The investigation for coal in the Mohpani-Gotitoria in Narsinghpur District, by the Geological Survey of India is in progress. The results of the investigation will become available after it is completed.

Thin bands and lenticles of iron ore occur in the district. The best marked lenticles of such ore occur in the area between the Sukkur river and the Chindwara-Narsinghpur road. Hematite iron ores have also been recorded near milestone 11/31 on the Narsinghpur-Lakhnadon road and at Omarpani near Tendukhera.

#### Railway Doctors

199. **Dr. Sarojini Mahishi:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of representations have been received from the Railway Doctors for treating them at par with the C.G.H.S. Doctors in all respects; and

(b) if so, the action being taken in the matter?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways (Dr. Ram Subhag Singh): (a) Yes.

(b) The matter is under consideration.

#### Fruit-processing Industries

200. **Shri Indrajit Gupta:** Will the Minister of Commerce be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to set up fruit-processing industries for export purposes with the help of Soviet equipment and technicians; and

(b) if so, the details of the scheme?