

[Sh. Sriballay Panigrahi]

Government should ensure this through suitable legislation.

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**(iii) Need for Regular Power Supply to Farmers of Delhi**

SHRI BHARAT SINGH (Outer Delhi): Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, now-a-days, the farmers are reaping the crops and collecting them in the barn. But threshers cannot function without electricity. Last year, the farmers got round the clock supply of power due to which the grains were sold in the market before the onset of monsoon and wheat was thus protected from absorbing moisture. Threshing requires round the clock supply of power. Therefore, Delhi Electric Supply Undertaking should ensure that power supply is not disrupted during the harvesting period. If due to some reason some faults develop in the power supply system, it should be rectified immediately and electricians and helpers should be sent from the nearest complaint office for this purpose so that farmers could not sit idle. If extra hands are required for it, they should be provided by making fresh appointment, so that the crops are not damaged and farmers could bring it in their houses.

**(iv) Demand for an Oil Refining in Bina-Agasaud Region of Sagar District of Madhya Pradesh**

SHRI NANDLAL CHOUDHARY (Sagar): Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, the Bina Agasaud region in district Sagar in Madhya Pradesh is a very backward area because no big industry is located here. In order to remove the backwardness of this region, it is essential to set up the proposed oil refinery in the area. The area is suitable for it in all respects because from the security point of view, this place is centrally located and well

connected with rail heads. Apart from that, the availability of water is in abundance and rockyland and absence of forests in the area make this region very appropriate for the setting up of a refinery. There is no shortage of laboureres as well. Moreover, as no refinery is located around a radius of a pretty long distance, the proposed refinery should be set up in Bina Agasaud region. In order to ensure that this refinery is set up here, a large number of people are about to launch an agitation for this purpose. On behalf of the people, it is my serious demand that a decision to set up the proposed oil refinery in Bina Agasaud region of Sagar district should be taken at the earliest.

**(v) Need to Construct a Railway Bridge at Buri Gandak in Gopalganj**

SHRI KALI PRASAD PANDEY (Gopalganj): Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, the districts of Gopalganj, West Champaran and Sewan in Bihar, have been the place of birth and the field of activity of great personalities of this country. The district of Sewan is the birth place of the first President of India, Dr. Rajendra Prasad and the great freedom fighter, Shri Mazhar-ul-Haq was also born here. Mahatma Gandhi started his indigo movement from Mitaha in West Champaran district and he made Gopalganj as his centre of activity. But today people are forgetting the sacrifices made by these personalities because there are no memorials of these great personalities there.

Therefore, I will request the hon. Minister of Railways to get the following action undertaken so that the new generation can follow the path shown by noble sons of the country.

(1) A railway bridge should be constructed on Buri Gandak river at Gopalganj and a new railway line should be laid to connect Gopalganj with the border district of