

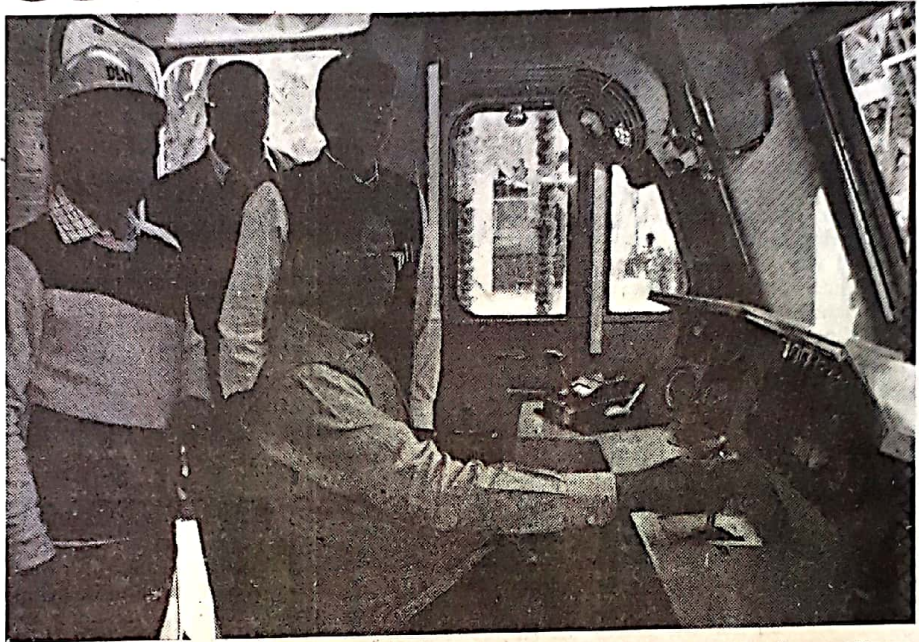
DLW-built 400th electric loco flagged off

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The DLW-built 400th electric locomotive WAP7 equipped with flowers was duly flagged off by the General Manager Rajeev Agrawal at the Loco Test Shop of Diesel Locomotive Works (DLW) here on Wednesday. 'Inspection Booth' was also inaugurated by the GM during the shop visit. Agrawal who is the GM of North-Eastern Railway (NER) is also looking after DLW as an additional charge since the retirement of its GM Rashmi Goel.

All the information related to the loco inspection has been made available at the said inspection booth. The entire tools of loco inspectors are placed at the same location on the inspection booth, so that the loco can be inspected in an easy and effective manner in a short time while increasing their efficiency. A large number of divisional heads, officers, staff council members and employees were present at the ceremony. The 6000 horse power (HP) WAP7 electric locomotive No. 37330 is being sent to the Baroda power shed of Western Railway.

Earlier, in the last leg of the tour, NER GM Agrawal inspected the circulating area, Platform No. 8 of Manduadih railway station apart from waiting rooms and stalls in the new building. He expressed happiness over the cleanliness of the station. He also inaugurated the inauguration of inbuilt modern guard box in the guard break from the platform and the provision of tower wagon for overhead maintenance in the electrified section. On the occasion, the GM said that now the guards will not have to wait for the boxes nor will there be any problem of unloading / mounting the boxes after the guard box is installed in the guard brake. This box will have all the safety equipment and the working guards will transfer the keys of the boxes to the other guards while off duty. A tower wagon has been provided for maintenance of traction and overhead lines on the Manduadih-Allahabad City electrified rail section, which will greatly facilitate the power failures and maintain the traction line in this section and will help the



GM Rajeev Agrawal at driver's cab prior to flagging off 400th electric loco from DLW in Varanasi on Wednesday

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trains run smoothly.

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वाराणसी। महाप्रबंधक राजीव अग्रवाल ने लोको टेस्ट शॉप में बुधवार को ४००वें विद्युत रेल इंजन को लोकार्पित किया। यह इंजन ६००० अश्व शक्ति का है। इसे पश्चिम रेलवे के बड़ौदा विद्युत शेड में भेजा जा रहा है। महाप्रबंधक ने डीरेका में दो दिवसीय पुष्प प्रदर्शनी का भी समापन किया। प्रदर्शनी में डीरेका को विजेता व बीएचयू को उपविजेता घोषित किए गए। प्रदर्शनी में बोगन बेलिया, पैंजी, सालविया, गेंदा, विगोनिया, डहेलिया की दुर्लभ प्रजातियों एवं शादी के मण्डप ने दर्शकों को विशेष आकर्षित किया। सहायक इंजीनियर पीजे चाको ने धन्यवाद ज्ञापित किया। अतिथियों का स्वागत उप मुख्य इंजीनियर राहुल श्रीवास्तव व संचालन अमलेश श्रीवास्तव ने किया।