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Proceedings of the Third Session of the Assam Legislative Assembly assembled after the Fourth General Elections under the Sovereign Democratic Republican Constitution of India.

The Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber, Shillong at 9 A. M. on Friday the 10 th November, 1967

PRESENT :

Shri Hareswar Goswami, B. A. ( Cal. ), M. A. ( Cantab. ), Barrister-at-Law, Speaker, in the Chair, ten Ministers, five Ministers of State, two Deputy Ministers and seventy-nine Members.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

STARRED QUESTIONS

To which oral answers were given )

**Re : Issue of Paddy Movement Permits**

**M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :**

\*80. Will the Minister in-charge of Supply be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the procedure in issuing permits of movement of paddy from one place to another by the food Corporation of India in the State ?

- (b) Whether the Government is aware that for movement of paddy from one place to another the local F. C. I. Inspectors issue self contained movement permits ?
- (c) Whether these slips bear serial number and date with office seal ?
- (d) Whether the Supply Department or any Department other than the F. C. I. is kept informed of each such movement of paddy ?
- (e) If not, why ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH ( Minister, Supply replied :

80 (a)—Inter-district movement of rice/paddy is done on permits issued by the competent authorities of the supply Department. Movement in the account of the F. C. I. Within the district is made on self contained movement permits and Truck chits issued by the Inspectors of F. C. I.

(b) — yes

(c) — yes

(d) — No

(e) — The F. C. I. are exempted from movement restrictions imposed under the Assam Food Grains ( Licensing and Control ) Order, 1961.

Shri Shamsul Huda— May I know from the hon. Minister

whether the Government is aware of any smuggling of paddy under the cover of permits issued by the food Corporation of India ?

Shri Ramesh Chandra Barooah— No specific cases have been brought to our notice.

Re : Number of Political Sufferers in the State

Shri SONESWAR BORA ( Golaghat ) asked :

\*82. মাননীয় বাজনৈতিক নিৰ্যাতিত বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্ৰহ কৰি জনাব নে ?

(ক) অসমত পেক্ষন পোৱা বাজনৈতিক নিৰ্যাতিত কিমান জন ?

(খ) এই বিধৰ পেক্ষন দিওঁতে কোনে তদন্ত কৰে আৰু এই তদন্তৰ আধাৰ কি ?

Shri ABDUL MATLIB MAZUMDAR ( Minister, Political Sufferers ) replied :

82. (a)—Three thousand and fifteen.

(b)—The applications submitted by the Political Sufferers for Political Pension are scrutinised by the respective Sub-divisional Advisory Boards for Political Sufferers on the basis of the provisions of the Rules for giving relief to Political Sufferers. The recommendations of the Sub-divisional Advisory Boards are finally considered by the State Advisory Board for Political Sufferers and Political Pensions are sanctioned by the Government on the recommendation of the State Advisory Board.

Shri Soneswar Bora : অসমীয়াত কব লাগে ।

Mr. Speaker : যদি পাৰে, কব পাৰে । The minister may also reply in Bengali.

Shri Abdul Matlib Majumdar : অসমীয়াত কব পাৰিম । I will reply in Assamese

(ক) ৩,০১৫ জন

(খ) বাৰ্জনৈতিক নিৰ্বাচিত সকলৰ সাক্ষাৎসাক্ষী কৰা 'কলব' ব্যৱস্থাত-  
যায়ী— বাৰ্জনৈতিক নিৰ্বাচিত সকলে মহকুমা এডভাইচাৰী বৰ্ডলৈ দৰ্শাস্থ  
কৰিব লাগে । পেনচনৰ কাৰণে আৰু মহকুমা বৰ্ডৰ সেই বিলাক পৰীক্ষা  
কৰে কল সাপেক্ষে । মহকুমা বৰ্ডৰ 'বিক্ৰমোত্তৰন' বাৰ্জিক এডভাইচাৰী  
বৰ্ডে তাৰ শেৰ সিদ্ধান্ত কৰে আৰু এই সিদ্ধান্তৰ ওপৰত ভিত্তি কৰি  
চৰকাৰে 'পেনচন' দিয়ে ।

Soneswar Bora : মহকুমা বৰ্ডৰ সদস্য সকল যে কংগ্ৰেচী লোক এই কথা  
চৰকাৰে জানেনে ?

Shri Abdul Matlib Majumder : Yes, it is a practice that  
the Congress President and Secretary are mem-  
bers of the Boards.

Mr. Speaker : Whether they are all Congressmen in the  
Boards. That is the question.

Shri Abdul Matlib Majumder : All of them may not be  
Congressmen.

Shri Sadhan Ranjan Sarkar (Lumding) : May I know from  
the Minister whether a huge number of petitions  
for political pension are pending ?

Shri Abdul Matlib Majumder : Yes, a large number is pending.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua (Charaibahi) : Considering that this political pension question concerns not only Congressmen but a lot of other people who sacrificed their all for the independence, does not the Govt. Consider it appropriate to have in the District Boards and State Board persons of other political parties besides the Congress ?

Shri Abdul Matlib Majumder : That is always considered.

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha. ( Chief Minister ) : Sir, you know that political pension question was considered at once time when members were not there in the State Board of other political opinion but later on it was considered that some local scrutiny was necessary and that was not possible from the official side or official records and at that time the Congress Party was in office and some records were available in Congress offices that was why it was thought that the District Boards should be constituted and each District Congress President should be the President of the District Political Sufferers Boards, with Members of Congress party and other political parties and also persons who have knowledge or who actually participated in the independence struggle.

Shri Bhadra kanta Gogoi : অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, তাৰ U. Sv No 184ত চৰকাৰে উত্তৰ দিছে - - - - -

Mr Speaker : সেইটো প্রশ্ন কি ? পলিটিকেল চাফাৰাবৰ প্রশ্ন সম্পৰ্কত ?

Shri Bhadra kanta Gogoi : হয় ।

Mr Speaker : তেন্তে প্রশ্নটো কবক ।

Shri Bhadra kanta Gogoi : Shrimati Gharakanti saikia— she was granted Political pension as widow of a political sufferer. Her deceased husband late Padma Nath Saikia took part in the 1942 movement and suffered imprisonment.

এই সম্পৰ্কত মই জনাত এই তিবোতা গৰাকীৰ স্বামী পদ্মনাথ শইকীয়াই কোনো দিনেই “মভেমেন্ট” যোগ দিয়া নাছিল,— জেলতো যোৱা নাছিল,— তেনেস্থলত মহকুমা উপদেষ্টা কমিটিয়ে কেনেকৈ “বিকমেণ্ড” কৰে ?

Shri Atul chandra Goswami : মন্ত্ৰী মহোদয়ে ৩,০১৫ জন ৰাজনৈতিক নিৰ্যাত্তিতক পেনচন দিয়া হৈছে বুলি কৈছে, তাৰ ভিতৰত বহুতো ৰাজনৈতিক নিৰ্যাত্তিত লোক নহয়, এই সম্পৰ্কে চৰকাৰে অনুসন্ধান কৰিবনে ?

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha : যি বিলাক ক্ষেত্ৰত আপত্তি পোৱা হৈছে সেই বিলাক তদন্ত কৰি কিছু মানৰ ‘পেনচন’ চৰকাৰে বন্ধ কৰিছে । আপত্তিৰ তদন্ত কৰি অপাত্ৰক দিয়াটো পালেও বন্ধ কৰা হয় ।

মাননীয় সদস্য শ্ৰীযুত ভদ্ৰ কান্ত গগৈয়ে যি আপত্তি কৰিছে, অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, সেই সম্পৰ্কত মই কব খুজিছো যে, (পলিটিকেল চাফাৰাবৰ) ৰাজনৈতিক নিৰ্যাত্তিত সকলৰ সবিশেষ বৰ্ণোৱা এখন ছপা কৰা কিতাপ আছে আৰু সেই ছপা কিতাপ যোৱা বাজেট অধি-

বেশনত মাননীয় সদস্য সকলৰ মাজত বিতৰণ কৰা হৈছিল ।  
 তাত Political Pension ৰ সংখ্যা, কি পৰিমাণে কাক কিমান  
 দিয়া হৈছে, নাম, ঠিকনা, আদি সকলো উল্লেখ আছে । তেনে-  
 কুৱা এখন কিতাপ মই মাননীয় সদস্য সকলৰ ব্যৱহাৰৰ্থে সদনৰ  
 টেবুলত থম ।

Re : Dergaon Police Training Centre

Shri NARENDRA NATH SARMA ( Dergaon ) asked :

\*85. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether Dergaon is the Police Training Centre of Assam ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that Dergaon Police Team ( Football ) is a renowned team of Assam and outside Assam ?
- (c) Whether there is any stadium at Dergaon Police Centre ?
- (d) Whether the authority and Police of Dergaon represented this to the Chief Minister and the Finance Minister ?
- (e) Will Government construct a stadium at Dergaon Police for development of sports by the Police of Assam ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA ( Chief Minister )  
 rep-plied :

85. (a)—Yes.

(b)—The Assam Police Football Team since known  
 as The Assam Police XI is a senior football

team in the State taking part in most major tournaments in Assam. During the XV All-India Police Games held at Gauhati in 1966, the Assam Police Football Team won the All-India Police Championship and thus earned recognition outside the State as well.

(c)—An improvised stadium built on 'Shramdan' basis exists in Dergaon Police Centre.

(d)—Yes. The need of a good stadium at Dergaon was referred to Chief Minister and the Finance Minister.

(e)—Due to financial stringency it has not been possible to undertake the work of constructing a stadium and there is no such contemplation for the present.

Shri Narendra Nath Sarma : এই বিষয়ে আগলৈ যত্ন কৰিবনে ?

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha : অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, Dergaon Police Battalien কেন্দ্ৰত বহুত কাম কৰিবলৈ আছে যেনে—Hospital, Maternity Centre, Workshed আদি । Priority অনুসারে এইবিলাক কৰা হব ।

Re : Selling of Departmental Examination papers of Police Officers in 1966

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*86. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Government is aware that the que-

stion papers meant for Half-yearly Departmental Examination for Nongazetted Police Officers in 1966 were sold out to interested candidates even before the examination and undue collection was made thereupon ?

- (b) Whether it is a fact that the present S. S. P./C. I. D. was entrusted with the responsibility of setting out question papers for the departmental examination ?
- (c) Whether there was any allegation made to D. I. G. (P) as to the leakage of question papers ?
- (d) If so, what action was taken thereupon ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA ( Chief Minister )  
replied :

86. (a)—Yes, just before the commencement of the Half-yearly Departmental Examination of Non-gazetted Police Officers in September 1966 an information was received that question papers were being sold to interested candidates.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—Yes.

(d)—Immediately on receipt of the information the Departmental Examination was postponed and fresh question papers were set. An inquiry was also made into the matter by the S. P. (A. C. B.) but no conclusive evidence against anyone could be obtained.

**Shri Dulal Chandra Barua:-** May I know from the Chief Minister whether it is a fact that these papers were sold by the officials of the Police Department and, if so, what is the difficulty in finding out the culprits and bringing them to book ?

**Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha :-** It is a question of evidence. Of course, suspicions are very much there against some officer as well as some employee. It is only a question of evidence to proceed against them.

**Shri Dulal Chandra Barua:-** As the crime committed is of a very serious nature and has been committed in the Criminal Investigation Department itself, does not the Government consider it proper to take drastic action against the officials at fault ?

**Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha :-** I fully agree with the hon. member. The matter will be pursued.

**Re : Detention of College Teachers under D. I. Rules**

**M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :**

\*87. Will the Minister-in-charge of Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that some College Teachers were detained under the D. I. Rules in connection with the Food Agitation in 1966 ?
- (b) Whether their periods of detention have been treated as duty-period ?

- (c) Whether it is a fact that only Prof. Banerwar Saikia of the A. D. P. College, Nowgong, is still under detention ?
- (d) If so, why ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI ( Minister of State, Education )  
replied :

87. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Yes, subject to further approval of the Government as to pay, allowances, etc.

(c)—No. He has already been released.

(d)—Does not arise.

M. Shamsul Huda :- May I know whether the period of his detention has been treated as duty period ?

Shri Syed Ahmed Ali :- I have already replied to it in (b) : "Yes, subject to further approval of the Government as to pay, allowances, etc."

Mr. Speaker :- Does the hon member want it to be treated as leave without pay ?

M. Shamsul Huda :- I want to know whether his period of detention has been actually treated as duty period ?

Shri Syed Ahmed Ali :- Yes. For further information of the Honourable Member, I may say that the hon. member happens to be a sitting member of the Governing Body of that college and this

lecturer is still serving in that college.

Re : Peon for the Registrar of Elementary Education Board

Shri DULAL CHADRA BARUA asked :

\*88. Will the Minister-in-charge of Education be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Registrar of the Elementary Education Board is entitled to get a peon for him ?

(b) If not, what for the peon is allotted ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI ( Minister of State, Education ) replied ;

88. (a)—No.

(b)—One of the office peons attends to the Registrar's Office during office hours.

Shri Dulal Chandra Borua :- May I know whether this peon is being utilised by the Registrar as his personal peon and is being engaged for domestic work ?

Shri Syed Ahmed Ali :- We have no information.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua :- Will the Minister please enquire ?

Shri Syed Ahmed Ali :- Very well.

Re : Food shortage in the State

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*89. Will the Minister-in-charge of Agriculture be

pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the Government is aware of the alarming food shortage in the State ?
- (b) Whether the Government has adopted measures to increase food production in State of Assam ?
- (c) If so, what are these measures ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Agriculture)  
replied :

89. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—A number of programmes have been undertaken to bring about rapid increase in Agricultural production, such as, popularisation of High Yielding Varieties of paddy, wheat and maize, intensification of improved practices, like improved seeds, fertiliser use, plant protection, etc., development of irrigation, popularisation of mechanised cultivation and expansion of areas under double and multiple cropping. Apart from technical advice as necessary for improving the production, farmers are also assisted in getting their requirement of all types of inputs, like improved seeds, fertiliser, pesticides, implements, machinery on Cash and Credit.

Shri Giasuddin Ahmed :- May I know whether irrigation by power pumps is one of the measures adopted so far ?

Shri Lakshmi Prasad Goswami :- Yes, Sir.

Shri Sadhan Ranjan Sarkar :- May I know whether Government have taken any measures for bringing down the cost of production of foodgrains by subsidising the cost of implements and fertiliser ?

Shri Lakshmi Prasad Goswami :- There is a system of giving subsidy for purchase of power pumps but not for fertiliser. We only give subsidy for carrying cost of fertiliser, not for its price.

Re : Audit of Co-operative Societies

Shri NARENDRA NATH SARMA asked :

\*90. Will the Minister-in-charge of Co-operation be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether all the Co-operative Societies are audited once in every year ?
- (b) If not how many Co-operative Societies are audited in one year ?
- (c) Whether the remaining Societies are taken up for audit in the next year ?
- (d) In how many years the audit of all the co-operative are once completed ?
- (e) Whether all the auditors are trained persons ?
- (f) Whether the Government propose to increase the audit staff to cover all the societies once in a year ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI ( Minister, Co-operation ) replied :

90. (a)—It has not been possible to complete audit of all the Co-operative Societies once in every year, due to inadequacy of staff and other difficulties.

(b)—The total number of societies and the number of societies audited during last three years is as follows :—

Year	Total No. of societies	No. of societies audited
1964-65	9,508	5,773
1965-66	9,440	5,009
1966-67	9,935	4,922

(c)—After completion of audit of important societies arrear audit is given first priority.

(d)—Roughly in two to three years.

(e)—All auditors except one have no specialised training in audit in any Institution, but 184 of them have a general training in Co-operative principles including audit and 60 have no such training at all. Due to shortage of staff all the auditors could not be sent for training.

(f)—Yes, recently additional posts have been sanctioned.

Shri Prabhat Narayan Chaudhury :- Do Government know that audit is a very specialised subject and do Government propose to take any special measures to make the training imparted in the Joysagar Cooperative Institution audit-oriented, because the training at present given there is not suffi-

cient to give adequate training to the auditors ?

Shri Lakshmi Prasad Goswami :- Government has no reason to believe that the training given in the Joysagar Institute is not sufficient to give proper training to the auditors. We shall have to examine the matter and if we find that it is not really adequate, then, of course, we will have to make some alternative arrangement.

Shri Prabhat Narayan Chandhury :- Do Government propose to introduce the system of auditory cooperation a form out-side agencies and appoint non-officials for auditing the cooperative societies as is done in Maharashtra ?

Shri Lakshmi Prasad Goswami :- We have not considered this at present, Sir.

Re : Import of 'Love in Tokyo' from Japan

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

\*91. Will the Minister-in-charge of Industries be pleased to state—

(ক) অসমত প্ৰসাধন-সামগ্ৰীৰ উৎপাদন হয় নে ?

(খ) 'লভ ইন টকিও' নামৰ এবিধ ছোৱালীৰ বেণী গুঠাত ব্যৱহৃত সামগ্ৰী জাপানৰ পৰা অহাটো সত্য নে ?

(গ) এনে সামগ্ৰী আনোঁতে বৈদেশিক মুদ্ৰা কিমান খৰচ হয় ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY [Minister, Revenue (in-charge of Industries)] replied :

91. (ক)—হয়। সেন্দূৰ, গা-ধোৱা চাবোন, মূৰত লোৱা তেল আদি অসমত তৈয়াৰ হয়।

(খ)—এই বিষয়ে চৰকাৰৰ হাতত একো তথ্য নাই।

(গ) —(খ)—উপপ্ৰশ্নৰ উত্তৰৰ সঙ্গতাক্ৰমে এই প্ৰশ্ন হুঠে।

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua :- এই যে love in Tokyo বস্তুটো  
ক'ৰ পৰা আহিছে ?

Shri Biswadev Sarma :- এটোটা মই লৈ আহিছোঁ, জাপানৰ বস্তু আৰু  
ইয়াৰ বস্তুৰ পাৰ্থক্য আছে, ইয়াত যিবোৰ পোৱা যায়, সেইবোৰ  
ইয়াতে তৈয়াৰী।

Re : Kidnap of one person by Naga Hostiles from  
Merapanigaon

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked :

\*92. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that one man was kidnap-  
ped by Naga hostiles from Merapanigaon ?

(b) If so, when ?

(c) What steps are taken in this behalf ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister)  
replied :

92. (a)—Yes.

(b)—On 25th August 1967, night.

(c)—All concerned have been alerted and security  
measures have been tightened up to prevent  
recurrence of such incidents. Some persons have  
been arrested in this connection and the case is  
under investigation.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua :- May I know from the hon.  
Chief Minister whether Government has made

any effort to rescue the kidnapped person and whether any relief has so far been given to his family ?

**Shri Binala Prasad Chaliha :-** I am sorry to inform this House that this kidnapped person was killed by the Nagas, and that connection some persons have been arrested at Okha inside Nagaland, and the case is under investigation.

So far as relief is concerned, I do not have the information now. I will have to collect it.

**Re :** Meeting for distribution lands in Doyang Reserve

**Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :**

**\*93.** Will the Minister-in-charge of Forests be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the D. C., Sibsagar held a meeting in last July regarding distribution of land in Doyang Reserve under Golaghat Subdivision ?

(ক) যোৱা জুলাই মাহত যোবহাটৰ উপায়ুক্তৰ অফিচত গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ দৈয়াং বিজাৰ্ভৰ মাটি বিতৰণৰ কাৰণে এখন সভা বহাটো সঁচা নে ?

(b) The M. L. As of Golaghat were not been invited in that meeting ?

(খ) এই সভালৈ গোলাঘাটৰ এম, এল, এ সকলক নিমন্ত্ৰণ নকৰাটো সঁচা নে ?

(c) If so, why not ?

(গ) যদি সঁচা, তেন্তে কিয় মতা নহল ?

(d) What is the reason for holding this meeting by

the D. C. with the M. L. As. of Jorhat in connection with distribution of land in Doyang Reserve under Golaghat Subdivision ?

(ঘ) গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ দৈয়াং বিভাগৰ মাটি বিতৰণ বৰিবলৈ মাত্ৰ যোৰহাটৰ এম. এল. এ, কেইজনকলৈ যোৰহাটৰ উপায়ুক্তই এই সভাখন পত্ৰৰ কাৰণ কি ?

(e) Whether Government propose to cancel the minutes of that meeting and take steps to settle land to the landless, flood and erosion-affected people of Golaghat Subdivision ?

(ঙ) উক্ত সভাখনৰ কাৰ্য্য-বিবৰণীখন নাকচ কৰি গোলাঘাটৰ এই দৈয়াং বিভাগৰ মাটিখিনি মাত্ৰ গোলাঘাটৰ মাটিহীন গৰাখহনীয়া বান-প্ৰপীড়িত আদি লোকসকলৰ নামত বিতৰণ কৰা ব্যৱস্থা চৰকাৰে কৰিব নে ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Forests) replied :

93. (a)—Yes, on 22nd July 1967, a meeting was held at Jorhat in connection with selection of people in Doyang and Kakodanga Reserves.

(ক)—হয়, ২২-৭-৬৭ তাৰিখত দৈয়াং আৰু কাকদঙ্গা ছুয়োখন বিভাগত মাটি বিতৰণ সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰিবলৈ যোৰহাটত এখন সভা পতা হৈছিল।

(b)— Yes.

(খ)— হয়।

(c) & (c)—In this meeting, from the other 2 Subdivisions, the S. D. Os were invited.

The primary intention of the meeting was to allocate quotas for the subdivisions for settlement in the above-mentioned 2 Reserved Forests in consultation with the S. D. Os concerned. It was only for deciding the manner of selecting the people against the quota allotted for Jorhat Subdivision that some non-official gentlemen including M. L. As from Jorhat Subdivision were invited to that meeting for consultation. The S. D. O., Golaghat was similarly to select the people against the quota allotted for Golaghat Subdivision in a suitable manner.

(গ) আৰু (ঘ)—এই সভালৈ অন্য মহকুমা দুখনৰ মহকুমাধিপতি দুজনক নিমন্ত্ৰণ জনোৱা হৈছিল। কাৰণ এই সভাৰ মুখ্য উদ্দেশ্য আছিল দুয়োখন বিজ্ঞানভিত্তিক মাটি বিতৰণৰ মহকুমামুখায়ী “কোটা” (যথাংশ) ঠিক কৰাটোহে আৰু তাৰ বাবে মহকুমাধিপতিসকলৰ পৰামৰ্শ লোৱাটোহে। যোৰহাট মহকুমাৰ ‘কোটা’ পূৰাবলৈ কি নীতিত মানুহ বাচনি কৰা হ’ব তাকে আলোচনা কৰিবলৈ মহকুমাৰ সদস্যসকলক আৰু অন্যান্য কেজনমান অনা-চৰকাৰী গণ্যমান্য মানুহক পৰামৰ্শ দিবৰ বাবে সেই সভালৈ নিমন্ত্ৰণ কৰা হৈছিল। সেইদৰে গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ “কোটা” পূৰাবলৈ গোলাঘাটৰ মহকুমাধিপতিয়ে উপযুক্ত ব্যৱস্থা ল’ব।

(e)—Government does not consider it necessary to cancel the minutes of the meeting. The landless and flood affected people of Golaghat Subdivision will get preference proportionately. The particular subdivision in which a particular reserve lies does not have any exclusive claim to it.

(ঙ)—চৰকাৰে উক্ত সভাৰ কাৰ্য্য-বিবৰণী নাকচ কৰা আৱশ্যক বুলি বিবেচনা নকৰে। গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ মাটিহীন আৰু বান-পীড়িত মানুহে সমানুপাতে মাটি বিতৰণৰ অংশ পাব। কোনো এখন মহকুমাত কোনো এখন বিজাৰ্ড আছে বুলিয়েই সেই বিজাৰ্ডত সেই মহকুমাৰ একমাত্ৰ দাবা হ'ব নোৱাৰে।

Shri Sonaswar Bora :- যি কেইজন গণ্যমান্য লোক বুলি পৰিগণিত হৈছে সেই সকল কোন লোক ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Chaudhary :- শিৱসাগৰৰ ডেপুটি কমিচনাৰ সৰ্ব্বশ্ৰী—বি, চি, গগৈ, এচ, ডি, ও, যোৰহাট। এম, এ বহমান, এচ, ডি ও, গোলাঘাট, পি, গগৈ, চিনিয়ৰ ই, এ, চি শিৱসাগৰ ডি, শৰ্ম্মা এচ, ডি, চি, যোৰহাট, কে, এইচ, হাজৰীকা এচ, ডি, চি, টিয়ক, পি, কে, বৰদলৈ এচ, ডি, চি, মাজুলী। জে, এন, ডেউৰী এচ, ডি, চি টিটাবৰ, মতিলাল চেত্ৰী এল, এ, ও, যোৰহাট এইচ, কে, নাথ ডি, এক, ও, শিৱসাগৰ ডি, শৰ্ম্মা এম, এল, এ।

Shri Atul Chandra Goswami (Kaliakor) : যোৰহাটৰ M. L. A. সকলক গণ্যমান্য মানুহ বুলি বোৰ্ডত লোৱা হৈছিল কিন্তু গোলাঘাটৰ M. L. A. ক কিয় লোৱা নহ'ল ? কাৰণ গোলাঘাটৰো কিছু মাটি ইয়াৰ ভিতৰত পৰিছে।

Shri Mahendra Mohan Chaudhary :- বোৰ্ডে কিবা এটা সিদ্ধান্ত লোৱাৰ পিছত গোলাঘাটৰ সদস্যক এই বিষয়ে পৰামৰ্শ লবলৈ গোলাঘাটৰ এচ, ডি, ও ক কোৱা হ'ব।

Shri Lakshya Dhar Chaudhary :- গোলাঘাটৰ এম, এল, এ ক নমতাত আমি সকলোৱে অপমানিত অনুভৱ কৰিছো। যি বিষয়টো তেওঁক এইদৰে অবজ্ঞা কৰিলে সেই বিষয়ৰ বিৰুদ্ধে কিবা ব্যৱস্থা লোৱাৰ কথা চৰকাৰে ভাবিছেনে ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Chaudhary ( Minister ) অপমানিত বোধ  
কৰাটো ব্যক্তিগত মহামতৰ কথা, it is a matter of opinin.  
এই বিষয়ে মই আগতে কৈছোঁ।

Re : Dues payable to the Assam State Electricity Board  
by the Gauhati Municipality

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

\*94. Will the Minister-in-charge of Municipal Adminis-  
tration be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the present position with regard to the dues of the Assam State Electricity Board from Gauhati Municipality ?
- (b) What was the demand of the Assam Electricity Board and what amounts have hitherto been paid and by whom and from what source ?
- (c) Whether Government will be pleased to write off the balance of the outstanding demand of the Assam State Electricity Board in view of the present depleted financial condition of the Municipality so that the extended areas there of may have the benefit of street lights, etc., which is now suspended by Assam State Electricity Board for arrears of the Municipality ?
- (d) If not, what step or steps Government propose to take to tide over the present difficulty of the Municipality in this regard so that development do not suffer to the detriment of the public ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister)  
replied :

94. (a)—Dues payable to the Assam State Electricity Board by the Gauhati Municipality up to May 1967 is Rs.3,60,973.18.

(b)—Up to May 1967 is Rs.3.60,973.18 From 1st June 1966 to 30th June 1967, a sum of Rs.50,000 paid on account of street light bill from Government loan.

Rs.14,450.68 paid on account of other charges.

(c)—Government cannot write off the balance.

(d)—The question of the dues of Electricity Board from the Gauhati Municipality was considered at a meeting with Chief Secretary, Chairman, Assam State Electricity Board, Secretary, Municipal Administration Department and the Executive Officer, Gauhati Municipality. It was considered at the meeting that it will be reasonable to take the following measures—

(i) Out of the grants made by the Government to the Municipality for various purposes, a sum of Rupees one lakh be diverted towards meeting part of the Electricity Board's dues.

(ii) The Municipality should clear their current dues and not default on these in future month.

(iii) In addition to meet the current dues the Muni-

cipality will pay an additional Rs.5,000 a month towards liquidation of their past arrears. It was also considered that sum due to the Gauhati Municipality for house tax by Government Departments be diverted towards further partial liquidation of the arrears.

Shri Govinda Kalita :- এই ধৰ নাৰোতে কিমান বছৰ লাগিব।

Mr. Sheaker : ৫ বছৰ লাগিব।

Shri Govinda Kalita :- ইতিমধ্যে গুৱাহাটীৰ যিবিলাক বাস্তৱ Street light নাই সেই বাস্তৱ যদি লাইট দিয়া নহয় তেন্তে সেই ঠাই বিলাক অন্ধকাৰতে থাকিব নেকি ?

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha :- Electricity Board য়ে পাবলগীয়া টকা নাপালে নো কেনেকৈ চলে এইটোও এটা প্ৰশ্ন Board বিলাক হৈছে Commercial concern সেই ক্ষেত্ৰত নিজৰ Establishment খৰচ, বিজুলী উৎপাদনৰ খৰচ ইত্যাদি বহুতো খৰচ আছে এই খৰচখিনি নাপালে Board চলা সম্ভৱ নহয়।

Re : Permits issued from the office of the Deputy Director of Supply, Nowgong

Shri PITSING KONWAR asked :

\*96 Will the Minister-in-charge of Supply be pleased to state—

(a) How many permits have been issued to different persons from the office of the Deputy Director, Supply, Nowgong to bring paddy from the cordoned area ?

(b) Whether it is a fact that permits have been

issued to persons to supply paddy seeds in the Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat of Nowgong District ?

- (c) How many persons of Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat have received paddy seeds during the month of August ?
- (d) Whether the Government is aware that a paddy loaded truck has been seized by the Supply officials on the night of 14th August last which has been released by the Supply officials in the morning of the 15th August, 1967 ?
- (e) Whether it is a fact that the truck has brought paddy for the purpose of milling in the Kadamani Rice Mill but not for distribution of seeds ?
- (f) Whether it is also a fact that the permit has been issued to the proprietor of the Kadamani Rice Mill to bring paddy seeds for distribution within the Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH ( Minister, Supply )  
replied :

96. (a)—1025 permits.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—572 persons of Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat have received paddy seeds during August last.

(d)—No such report has been received.

(e)—Does not arise.

(f)—No.

Re : Requirement of Sugar for the State

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*97. Will the Minister-in-charge of Supply be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the total requirement of sugar for the coming six months in the State ?
- (b) Whether the Government is expecting this requirement in full ?
- (c) If not, how does the Government propose to meet this requirement ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH ( Minister, Supply ) replied :

97. (a)—Approximately 45000 metric tonnes at 7500 tonnes per month.

(b)—No.

(c)—Government will have to manage with the 60 per cent of the sugar allotted to the State Governments by the Government of India by confining the issue to the domestic consumers. But the 40 per cent which will be released by Government of India for sale in the open market will be available to the confectioneries, hotels and commercial undertakings. No sugar will be allotted to these class of consumers.

Shri Giasuddin Ahmed : The sugar to Assam comes from the Mills at Bihar and U. P. I understand there is a sugar mill in Assam also. Why can we not allot sugar from our mill ?

Shri Ramesh Chandra Barua : We get some amount of sugar from our Mill at Dergaon also. As a matter of fact sugar is allotted by the Central Government. We get partly from our mill and not the whole quota.

Shri Dulal chandra Barua : Considering the present scarcity of sugar in the State, do Government not consider it proper to move for special allotment of sugar from our Dergaon Mill for distribution in our State ?

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaiiha ( Chief Minisier ) : The Government of India has very large commitment for sugar in this area, for example, they have got to make allotment for the defence forces, NEFA and the like. But whenever our sugar quota does not arrive in time we do make special allotment from Dergaon Sugar Mill.

Shri Nakul Chandra Das : ( Rangamati Reserved for scheduled casts ) : May I know from the supply Minister whether the sugar supplied to the Mangaldai Sub—Division is inadequate in relation to demand. ?

Shri Ramesh Chandra Barooah : Yes, Sir. In view of the fact that sugar allotment has been curtailed proportionately all allotments to districts have been reduced.

Shri Hiralal Patwary : যদি এই ৪০ ভাগ চৰকাৰে নিয়ন্ত্ৰণ কৰাৰ ব্যৱস্থা নকৰে, বাকী যি ৬০ ভাগ আহিব, সেই খিনি বিতৰণ বা বিক্ৰি কৰিবলৈ কি ব্যৱস্থা কৰিব তাৰো দাম নাৰাঢ়িব নে ?

Shri Ramesh Chandra Barooah : 60 per cent of the sugar will be issued to the fair Price shops for the Consumers.

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha : চেনি Defence ৰ কাৰণে বাজেয়াপ্ত কৰা হব বুলি জনালে অসমলৈ চেনি নাহিবই।

Re : Requirement of Rice for the State

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*99. Will the Minister-in-charge of Supply be pleased to state—

(a) What is the total requirement of rice for the coming three months in the State ?

(b) Whether the Government if full procurement within the State ?

(c) If not, what are the steps Government propose to take to feed the people for these three months ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH (Minister, Supply) replied :

99. (a)—Approximately 4.60 lakh tonnes rice for entire population of the State. Only a part of this which is a Government commitment is expected to be met by the Government.

(b)—Steps are being taken to maximise procurement from the beginning of the season (i.e., from November 1967) and it is expected that it will be possible to meet the Government commitment.

(c)—In view of reply to (b) above does not arise.

Re : Fair Price Shops in Dibrugarh

Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

\*101. মাননীয় যোগানমন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাব নে—

(ক) ডিব্ৰুগড় মহকুমাত কিমানখন সস্তীয়া চাউলৰ দোকান আছে ?

(নগৰ আৰু গাওঁৰ বোলেগকৈ) ।

(খ) এই দোকানবিলাকত চাউল, চেনি, আটা দিয়া হৈছে নে ?

(গ) যদি হৈছে, কি পৰিমাণে দিছে ?

(ঘ) গাওঁ অঞ্চলৰ দোকানবিলাকত চাউল, আটা আৰু চেনি আদি নিদিয়া কথাটো সঁচা নে ?

(ঙ) যদি সঁচা, কিয় দিয়া হোৱা নাই ?

যোগানমন্ত্রী শ্ৰীৰমেশচন্দ্ৰ বৰুৱাদেৱে উত্তৰ দিছে :

101. (ক)—চহৰত—১৪৯ খন ।

গাওঁত—৭১৬খন ।

(খ)—আটা আৰু চেনি দুয়ো ঠাইতে যোগান ধৰা হৈছে । চাউল কেৱল চহৰতহে দিয়া হৈছে ।

(গ)—চাউল আৰু আটা চহৰত ১ কেজিকৈ আৰু চেনি ২০০ (দুশ)

গ্ৰামকৈ প্ৰত্যেক প্ৰাপ্তবয়স্ক লোকক যোগান ধৰা হৈছে ।

(ঘ)—ভালৰ জমাৰ পৰিমাণ হিচাবে গাওঁৰ দোকানবিলাকত আটা আৰু চেনি যোগান ধৰা হৈছিল। বানপীড়িত গাওঁবিলাকৰ বাহিৰে অন্যত চাউল দিয়া হোৱা নাছিল। আটা ১০০ গ্ৰামৰ পৰা ৫০০ গ্ৰামলৈ প্ৰত্যেকজন প্ৰাপ্তবয়স্ক লোকক সপ্তাহে সপ্তাহে যোগান দিয়া হৈছিল।

(ঙ)—যোগান-ভালত চাউলৰ অভাৱ হেতু দিবপৰা নাছিল।

Shr Bhubaneswar Barman ( Patacharkuchi ) : গাওঁ অঞ্চলত চাউল দিয়া কথাটো বিবেচনা নকৰিব নেকি ?

Shri Ranesh Ch. Barooah :- যথেষ্ট চাউল পালে নিশ্চয় বিবেচনা কৰা হ'ব।

Re : Duty of the Deputy Director, Supply, Gauhati .

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

\*102. Will the Minister-in-charge of Supply, be pleased to State—

- (a) Whether the Deputy Director of Supply, Gauhati has been allowed to discharge his official duties from his residence ?
- (b) If so, whether there has been any Government notification in this regard ?
- (c) Whether the Government is aware that non-attendance of the Deputy Director of Supply, Gauhati at his office has been of great public inconvenience ?
- (d) If so, what steps Government propose to take in this regard ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH ( Minister, supply )  
replied :

102. (a)—No.

( )— Does not arise.

(c)—No complaint has been received.

(d)—Does not arise.

Re : Charaipai Irrigation Scheme

Sbri DULAL CHAFDRA BARUA asked :

\*103. Will the Minister-in-charge of Public Works Department ( Embankment and Drainage ) be pleased to state—

(a) What is the total amount in connection with the construction of Charaipai Irrigation Scheme in Titabar, Jorhat Subdivision ?

(b) What is the total area benefited out of the scheme ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY ( Minister, Flood Control and Irrigation Wing, etc.) replied :

103. (a)—Rs.8,04,377·00 up to September 1967.

(b)—2,000 acres.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua : May I know from the Minister whether it is a fact that not a single plot of land has been benefitted by this project because of the fact that Nagaland has blocked the original channel of this river on account of which the entire area in Titabar has been

submerged under water and the entire crop has been damaged. Whether Government propose to take up the matter with the Nagaland Government ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :- Sir, our information is that there is no obstruction from the side of the Nagaland Government in respect of these irrigation channels. But certain areas had become water-logged because of non-construction of the left-hand side channels, now it has been decided to construct the left-hand side channels also. If that channel is completed, I think a bigger area, that is about 4500 acres of land will be irrigated in all.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua :- May I inform the Hon'ble Minister that it is not a fact. That due to the absence of the original channel, practically there is no channel at all in that particular river, and the river has taken its own course. Therefore, this project has completely become invalid.

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :- Sir, I visited that area recently. I found that the channel is working properly. But the point was that certain area below the channel was water-logged/and that waterlogging is being tried to be removed.

Shri Jogen Saikia :- Is it a fact that the construction of

the channel has not been completed, and if so, when it will be completed ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :- The right-side channel has been completed and the left-hand side channel will be completed very soon.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua :- How long will this work take ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :- After construction of the right-hand side channel, because the left-hand side had not been constructed certain areas were found to be waterlogged. Now it has been decided to survey the project and to make plan and estimates for construction of the left-hand side channel. After receipt of the plan and estimates, that channel will be constructed.

Re : Settlement of Lands in Barbhagia Mouza

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI asked :

\*104. বাজহমত্ৰী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাব নে—

(ক) বৰভগীয়া মৌজাৰ বৌমাৰিদলনী ভি, জি, আৰব কিছুমান মাটি শ্ৰীচিৰিল লোহাৰ আৰু ৬৪ জন মানুহৰ নামে পট্টন দিবলৈ যোৱা ৩৮৬১ তাৰিখেই উপায়ুক্তই হুকুম দিয়া সত্য নে ?

(খ) যদি সঁচা, উক্ত লোকসকলক মাটি পট্টন দিয়া হল নে ?

(গ) যদি নাই হোৱা, কিয় ?

Shri MAHENDKA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue) replied :

104 (ক)—এই কথা সত্য নহয়; গোটেই বিষয়টো 'মাটি পট্টন উপদেষ্টা

সমিতিৰ বিবেচনাধীন হৈ আছে।

(খ) আৰু (গ)—ওপৰৰ প্ৰশ্নৰ উত্তৰৰ পাচত এই প্ৰশ্ন নুঠে।

Shri Atul Chandra Goswami :- Circular No. 1077-78 KBRL. ৰ

বিষয়ে অনুসন্ধান কৰিবনে ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :- Sir, এই প্ৰশ্নটো পোৱাৰ

পিচতে নগাওঁৰ Deputy Commissioner ৰ পৰা খবৰ  
বিচৰা হৈছিল। তাৰ উত্তৰত তেখেতে টেলিগ্ৰাম কৰি জনাইছে—

Reference No. RSG, 177/67 of 23rd instant. No  
settlement order was passed in favour of Chiril  
Lohar and others. Matter pending for decision/  
with the Land Settlement Advisory Committee:

This is the only information I have got.

Shri Atul Chandar Goswami :- মাটি ভেঙলোকক দিবৰ কাৰণে  
order দিয়া হৈছিল, কিন্তু এতিয়া কৈছে সেই মাটি settlement  
ৰ কাৰণে বন্ধা হৈছে। সেইটো সচানে ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :- এই বিলাক বহুত পুৰণি  
কথা, সদস্য গৰাকী এই সভাৰ সদস্য, গতিকে তেখেতে এই  
সকলো খবৰ পায়।

শ্ৰীদেবাজ্জুদ্দিন আহমদ :- ডেপুটিকমিচনাৰে ইয়ালৈ ৰিপৰ্ট দিলে যে settlement  
দিয়া নাই অথচ মাননীয় সদস্যই কৈছে Settlement দিছে।  
এই বিষয়ে তদন্ত কৰিবনে ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :- তদন্ত কৰিবৰ আৱশ্যক  
হোৱা নাই কাৰণ মূল প্ৰশ্নটো একে।

Re :- Erosion in Dhing Assembly Constituency

M. SHAMSUL HUDA (Dhing) asked :

\*105. Will the Minister-in charge of Revenue be pleased to State

- (a) Whether the Government is aware of any erosion of the Brahmaputra this year on the north of the Dhing Assembly constituency?
- (b) How many families have been affected by this erosion and to what extent?
- (c) What relief has the Government rendered to them?
- (d) Whether the Government will arrange rehabilitation for them?
- (e) If so, how and when?

SHRI MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue) Replied :

105. (a)—Yes.

(b)—94 families. Out of these, home stead lands of 35 families have been eroded and cultivable lands of 59 families were affected to some extent.

(c)—58 maunds 38 seers of rice were distributed to the affected families as Gratuitous Relief.

(d) & (e)—Land settlement Advisory Committee will Consider the matter.

Re : Issve of Forest permits.

Shri PUSHPADHAR CHALIHA asked :

106. Will the Minister-in-charge of Forests be pleased to state—

(1) Whether it is a fact that Forest permits for extraction of trees were issued to the following parties—

- (i) M/s Sarada plywood Factory, Joypur
- (ii) Birala woodcraft product, Joypur.
- (i i) Wood craft, Assam, Mariani.

(b) Whether Government ascertained that the Head Offices of the above concerns are within the state of Assam ?

(c) If not, why ?

(d) Whether Government propose to cancel all the permits so issued ?

( ) What is the rate of royalty ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Forests) replied :

106. (a)—Only M/s. Woodcraft, Arsam, Mariani was allowed to work out wind-fallen trees in certain wind-fallen coupes of Dilli Reserve under Sibsa-gar Division on permit system.

(1)—The head offices of all the three firms are in Calcutta, but the factories are located in Assam.

(c)—It is not a pre-condition to the issue of leases or permits, that the headquarters of the Com-

pany obtaining the lease or permit should be within the State of Assam.

(d)—Does not arise.

(e)—For the wind-fallen trees granted on permit to M/s. Woodcraft, Assam, 50 per cent of the schedule rate of royalty was charged, as these had already deteriorated to some extent and would have completely deteriorated if there was any more delay.

Shri Pushpadhar Chaliha : What was the consideration in issuing permits to this particular firm ? Was there any other party applying for permit ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury : Sir, with your permission I may read out the whole story behind it. According to present policy of Govt. no timber permit is issued to the plywood millers. The Plywood millers get their plywood through the departmental contractors with whom the plywood coupes are settled. A quota is fixed for each such contractor and the name of the plywood mill to whom the plywood coupe-holder is required to supply is also mentioned in the agreement. At present the millers get 60% of their mills' capacity through departmental supply. However, under certain special circumstances M/s. Woodcraft was allowed to work out windfallen

trees of eleven wind-fallen coupes of Dilli Reserve under Sibsagar Division on payment of 50% of the scheduled rate of royalty on permit system under Government order No. FOR.501/66/4 dt. 19.1.67. This was done on the following reasons : 13 windfallen coupes were put to sale twice on 27.7.66 and 4.8.66 and only one tender was received for two coupes and no tender was received for the remaining coupes. In the meantime M/s. Wood-craft was allowed to work out 11 coupes on payment of 50% of the scheduled rate of royalty on permit system. Although permit system is against the Government policy in this case in view of the fact that no tender was received for 11 coupes out of 13 coupes and any further delay may lead to complete deterioration of the timber, the prayer of M/s. Woodcrafts Assam for operation of the coupes of wind-fallen trees at 50% royalty was accepted. The remaining two coupes were ordered to be disposed of by the C.C.F. with tenderers at similar rates. The reasons for not receiving tenders are that some of the coupes are situated in inaccessible areas and hence the cost of extraction was very heavy and presumably the small contractors did not submit tenders for these coupes because of high cost of extraction. M/s.

Woodcrafts was allowed to extract the fallen trees because further delay would have deteriorated the timber completely and we would have lost the royalty.

Shri Pushpadhar Chaliha : What is the time limit for this permit ?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury:- As soon as the wind-fallen trees are extracted the time will be over.

Re : Transfer of the Officer Commanding of Kokrajhar Police

Rani MANJULA DEVI asked :

\*107. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that the order of transfer of the Officer Commanding of Kokrajhar Poioice was cancelled before and he was retained at Kokrajhar ?

(b) If so, the reasons thereof ?

(c) Whether it is a fact that the said Officer purchased land at Kokrajhar and constructed a costly building ?

(d) If the reply is in affirmative, the cost of the land and the building ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHADIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

107. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Sub-Inspector of Police, Prahlad Sarma, O/C.,

Kokrajhar P.S. was transferred to the Sibsagar D. E. F. in 1966, but his transfer order was cancelled as his retention in Goalpara D. E. F. was considered essential in connection with investigation of the gang case of Kokrajhar against 51 veteran criminals and for successful investigation of many Dacoity cases. The S. I. was transferred by the S. P., Goalpara from Kokrajhar P. S. on 7th September 1967 and he is now at Golakganj P. S.

(c)—Yes.

(d)—The S. I. purchased one bigha of land at Kokrajhar at Rs. 4,000 only in 1966 and he constructed a house under personal supervision at approximate cost of Rupees Seven thousand. Construction of the house has been completed in July 1967 and the house has been let on hire to Fire Brigade at Kokrajhar.

Rani Manjula Devi : May I know whether any enquiry has been made with regard to the fund with which he has purchased the land ? Wherefrom he got the fund ?

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha : Government employees have to report to Government whenever they purchase any property. That is my information but I will find out the exact position in this case.

Re : Educational facilities to the family of police personnel of Dergaon police.

Shri NARENDRA NATH SARMA asked :

\* 108. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state--

- (a) Whether there are Medical and Educational facilities to the family of police personnel at Dergaon police Training Centre ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that there is no sufficient arrangement for Maternity Ward and X'ray at the Dergaon Battalion Hospital ?
- (c) Whether Government will provide these for the benefit of the police Officials ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

108. (a)--Yes

(b)--Yes.

(c)--Praoposal to construct a building for the Maternity Ward is under consideration of Government. Government is also considering the appointment of Civil Surgeon level Officer to supervise and advise Government as to the requirements of Doctors and other staff including pharmacists, Nurses, equipments, medicines, etc. ,for all police Hospitals in Assam and the Maternity Ward at Dergaon.

Re : Extension of Broad Gauge Railway Line from Pancharatna to Gauhati

Shri GIASUDDIN AHMED asked :

\*110. Will the Minister-in-charge of Transport be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether there was any proposal for extension of the existing Broad Gauge Railway Line from Pancharatna to Gauhati ?
- (b) If so, what has happened to that proposal ?
- (c) What steps Government of Assam have taken in this regard ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State, Transport) replied :

110. (a) The Government of Assam had through its memorandum submitted to the then Union Minister for Railways in January 1964 requested for the extension of Broad Gauge Railway Line from Pancharatna to Gauhati.
- (b) As far as we know the Railway Ministry has not taken any action in the matter due to paucity of funds, etc.
- (c) The Government of Assam has been pressing for the extension of the Broad Gauge Railway Line to Gauhati.

Shri Giasuddin Ahmed : In reply to (c) it is said "The Government of Assam has been pressing for the extension of the Broad Gauge Railway line to

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Gauhati." May I know via which place ?

Shri Prabin Kumar Choudhury : Via Pancharatna.

Shri Kandarpa Narayan Banikya : (Abhayapuri Reserved for Scheduled Castes ) এই কথা সঁচানে যে Broad Gauge লাইনটো New Bongaigaon ৰ পৰা গুৱাহাটীলৈ Via Rangiya হব ?

Shri Prabin Kumar Choudhury : Sir, it is a Central subject and so it is not possible for us to say.

Shri Kandarpa Narayan Banikya : যদি হয় তেনেহলে stable হবনে ?

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha ( Chief Minister ) : সিদিনা বেল মন্ত্ৰী আহোতে এই বিষয়ে আলোচনা কৰা হৈছিল। তাৰ আগতেও বেল বিভাগৰ পৰা জনাইছে যে Broad gauge line টো New Bongaigaon ৰ পৰা গুৱাহাটীলৈ পঞ্চৰত্নইদি নানি আন ফালে অনা হব বুলি কোনো সিদ্ধান্ত লোৱা নাই। এতিয়াও প্রশ্নটো investigation তে আছে বুলি কৈছে। চৰকাৰৰ ফালৰ পৰা মই নিজে বেল মন্ত্ৰীক কৈছো যে লাইনটো দক্ষিণ পাৰেদিয়েই আৱশ্যক তাতোকৈও বেচি আৱশ্যক পঞ্চৰত্ন যোগী-ঘোপাৰ মাজত এখন দলং—যাতায়তৰ কাৰণেই নহয় প্ৰতিৰক্ষাৰ কাৰণেই দৰকাৰ।

Re : Fixation of Pay-Scale recommended by the last Pay Committee

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA ( Charaibahi ) asked :

\*111. Will the Minister-in-charge of Finance be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether all pending fixation of pay scale, as recommended by the last Pay Committee has been settled ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that anomalies, what have been kept up in the process of pay revision of 1964, involving the interest of different categories of employees of the State Government have since been kept pending for settlement ?
- (c) If so, when the matter is going to be finally settled ?

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI (Minister, Finance)  
replied :

111. (a)—All pay scales recommended by the 1964 Pay Committee, with such modifications as Government decided on the Report of the Committee, had been published and sanctioned on the 29th December 1964.
- (b)—After the publication referred to above, many Service Associations and individuals made representations on what they considered 'anomaly'. Government have appointed a Commissioner to go into the anomalies. A large number of such anomalies have been examined and disposed of. Some of them are pending for examination.
- (c)—It is expected that the pending anomalies would be disposed of within about three months' time

but there were lot of posts which were omitted by the Pay Committee. As and when reports about the omitted posts are coming to Government pay scales are laid down in respect of them. It has been laid down that any representation against pay scale fixed for omitted post should be filed within 40 days of the fixation of the pay scale. Therefore, it cannot be stated when all matters will be finally closed.

Re : Jail for Nalbari Civil Subdivision

Shri SURENDRA NATH DAS asked :

\*112. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that after creation of Civil Subdivision at Nalbari in April, 1967 for want of a Jail for keeping arrested accused persons at Nalbari they are at present kept at Gauhati and on each trial date they are to be brought to Nalbari for production before the Courts at Nalbari to be taken back to Gauhati again causing great inconvenience and unnecessary expenditure ?

(b) Whether Government be pleased to take immediate necessary steps to make the necessary arrangement for a Sub-Jail at Nalbari ?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister, Jails) replied :

112. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Proposal has already been received and is under consideration.

Shri Mahendra Nath hazarika :-

(ক) সেইটো হয়।

(খ) প্রস্তাৱটো (proposal) পাঠাও আৰু বৰ্তমান ই চৰকাৰৰ বিবেচনাদীন।

Re : Members of the Land Advisory Committee of Nowgong

Shri M.A. MUSAWWIR CHOUDHURY asked :

\*113. Will the Minister-in-charge of Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that all the Anchalik Panchayat Presidents and some other individual of Nowgong District have been made the members of the Land Advisory Committee of the Nowgong District ?

(b) If so, why ?

(c) Whether it is a fact that according to the procedure formed previously the Land Advisory Committee of the district were constituted by the local M.L. As of the district ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue) replied :

113. (a)—Yes.

(b)—In order to make the Land Settlement Advisory Committee more board-based and as representative as possible, besides the M. L. As, representatives of Anchalik Panchayats, Mahkuma Prishads, Town Committees and Municipal Boards have been included as they are supposed to have interest in the land problems within their respective jurisdictions. Government have also nominated social workers and representatives of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes and other Backward Classes and Minority Community.

(c)—Even previously representatives of Anchalik Panchayats, Town Committees and Municipal Boards used to be invited to Land Settlement Advisory Committee. Considering the importance of this Committee it has been made more broad based now.

Re : Hakma Road

Shri GIASUDDIN AHMED asked :

\*114. Will the Minister-in-charge of Public Works Department ( Roads and Buildings) be pleased to state —

(a) Whether there is any proposal to take over the Hakma (Local Board) Road under Bilasipara Subdivision (Public Works Department) by the Department ?

- (b) If so, what measures have been taken for implementation of the proposal ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State, P. W. D. (R. & B.)] replied :

114. (a)—Yes, it has been taken up for consideration in the 4th Plan.

- (b)—The proposal will be implemented if approved by Assam Road Communication Board and funds are available

Re : Compensation for acquisition of land for Lengta-Laharghat Road

Shri ABALA KANTA GOSWAMI asked :

\*115. Will the Minister-in-charge of Public Works Department (Roads and Buildings) be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the amount of compensation due to the persons affected for earth taken from their land for construction of the Lengta-Laharghat Road in Barduar Mauza (Palasbari Constituency) ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that the amount due to these persons was deducted from the Bills of the Contractors ?
- (c) If so, whether any amount has since been paid to the persons affected ?
- (d) If not, when it can be expected ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State, P. W. D. (R. & B.)] replied :

115. (a)—Rs.2,669 (Rupees two thousand six-hundred and sixty nine) only.

(b)—Yes. This was done in accordance with the provision in the Tenders.

(c)—Yes. Payments to the affected persons were made by the Contractors directly and the amounts deducted from the Contractors' Bills were released on production of the payees' receipts.

(d)---Does not arise.

Re : Dhodarali of Golaghat

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

\*186. Will the Minister of State, Public Works Department (Roads and Buildings) be pleased to state---

(ক) গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ অন্তৰ্গত ধোদৰালিৰ কমাৰবন্ধা আলি হিম্পি-টেলৰ সন্মুখৰ পৰা কমাৰবন্ধা লিঙ্ক বোডলৈ এই প্ৰায় এক ফাৰ্লং বাস্তৱ কৰি মেটেলিং কৰা নহল ?

(খ) যদি হয়, কেতিয়া হব ?

Shri ALTAF HUSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State, Public Works Department (Roads and Buildings)] replied :

116. (a)---Due to limitation of fund.

(b)---Proposal for metalling and black-topping of this portion of road at an estimated cost of Rs. 35,000.00 has been received and noted for consideration in the 4th Plan subject to the approval of the Assam Road Communication Board and availability of fund.

Re :Promotion of Officers of the Agriculture Department

Shri DULAT CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*117. Will the Minister-in-charge of Agriculture be Pleased to state--

- (a) Whether it is a fact that some officers of the Agriculture Department were Promoted recently to the Posts of Additional Directors from the lower cadre ?
- (b) If so, what are the principles followed by the Government in respect of such promotions ?
- (c) Is it a fact that proper procedure for such promotion has not been followed ?
- (d) If so, why ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRSAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Agriculture) replied :

117. (a)---The two posts of Additional Directors of agriculture have been filled under the Assam Public Service Commission Regulation 3(f) from amongst the senior-most Officers of the Depart-

tment and the posts are being advertised through Assam public Service Commission.

(b)--On the basis of seniority-cum-efficiency.

(c)--No.

(d)--Does not arise.

Re : Railway Accidents in the State

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*118. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state--

(a) Whether Government is aware of the constant derailment of train and thereby disruption of Railway communication in Northern Railway involving frequent tragic consequences in the State ?

(b) If so, what are the definite measures the State Government has taken with the Ministry of Railways, Government of India to stop such kind of recurrence involving human lives and properties ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

118. (a)--The hon'ble Member perhaps speaks of N. F. Railway and not Northern Railway. Government is aware of the derailments and other incidents in the N. F. Railway causing disruptions in train communication.

(b)--For prevention of such incidents due to sabotage, measures like patrolling railway tracks guarding the railway bridges and tunnels and chec-

king of passengers' luggage in the vulnerable areas are being taken. To make the measures more effective high level discussions between the Railways, Army and State officials are held from time to time.

Re : Procuring of vehicles by State Transport Organisation

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*119. Will the Minister-in-charge of Transport be pleased to state—

- (a) What are the companies from which the Assam Transport Organisation have been procuring varieties of vehicles ?
- (b) What are the procedure followed by the State Government for procuring these vehicles from the different companies ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State, for Transport) replied :

119. (a)—The Assam State Transport organisation procure the different makes of vehicles from the following manufacturers or their accredited agents—

1. TMB—M/s. Tata Engineering and Locomotive Co. Ltd., Jamshedpur:
- 2- Leyland—M/s. Ashoke Layland Ltd., Madras or M/s. Walford Transport Ltd.

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3. Ambassador car—M/s. Hindustan Motors Ltd., Calcutta.
4. Dodge—M/s. Premier Automobiles Ltd., Bombay.
5. Fargo—M/s. Premier Automobiles Ltd., Bombay
6. Bedford—M/s. Hindustan Motors Ltd., Calcutta.
7. Jeep—(i) M/s. Mahindra & Mahindra, Bombay.  
(ii) M/s. Walford Transport Ltd., Gauhati.

(b)—The Director, State Transport places orders on the manufacturers or their agents for supplying the vehicles under rate contract terms of the Director General of Supplies and Disposals of the Government of India.

The payment is routed through D.G.S & D.

Re : Drinking water in Nalbari Town

Shri PRABHAT NARAYAN CHOUDHURY asked :

\*120. Will Minister-in-charge of Municipal Administration be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether Government is aware of the difficulty of drinking water of the residents of Nalbari Town ?
- (b) Whether Government have received proposal from the Municipal Board for providing Funds for Installation of water works there ?
- (c) If so, when ?

- (d) Whether the Government have taken any effective steps to sanction fund for the purpose immediately ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

120. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Yes, the advance copy of the loan application was received.

(c)—In September 1964.

(d)—On scrutiny of the loan proposal, it has been found that the financial position of the Municipal Board is far from satisfactory and the Municipal Board will not be in a position to repay the loan if sanctioned.

As such the Municipal Board has been asked to prepare a fresh repayment Scheme and resubmit the loan proposal in proper form with resolution of the Board, Repayment Scheme, Plan and Estimate duly approved by the Chief Public Health Engineer through the Deputy Commissioner and the Commissioner of Plans Division for consideration of Government. The loan proposal in proper form is awaited.

Re : Occupying of Lands and House for Veterinary and Animal Husbandry Department at Karimganj

Shri RAHTINDRA NATH SEN asked :

- \*121. Will the Minister-in-charge of Veterinary be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that the Subdivisional Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer, Karimganj on behalf of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Department, Assam and on behalf of the State of Assam and under the authority of the Animal Veterinary and Husbandry Department took hire of the lands and houses of Shri Arun Kumar Nandi of Karimganj on a monthly rent of Rs. 125 only excluding Municipal Tax 1st December, 1966 for accommodation of the Office of the Veterinary Assistant Surgeon, in-charge, Immune Belt Scheme Karimganj ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that an agreement, dated 1st December 1966 embodying all the terms and conditions was executed by the owner Shri A. K. Nandi and by Subdivisional Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Department, Assam on behalf of the State of Assam ?
- (c) Whether it is a fact that the Veterinary Assistant Surgeon, in-charge, Immune Belt, station Karimganj has been occupying the lands and houses from 1st December 1966 for his office and also for his residential purpose but no rent has yet been paid to the owner ?

Shri LAKSMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Mister Veterinary)  
replied :

121. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—Yes.

Re : Veterinary Dispensary at Tingkhang  
Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

\*122. মাননীয় পশুচিকিৎসা বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰীমহোদয়ে জনাব নে—

(ক) টিংখাঙত এখন পশুচিকিৎসালয় থকাটো হয় নে ?

(খ) যদি আছে, কিমান ভাৰিখে স্থাপন কৰা হ'ল ?

(গ) উক্ত কেন্দ্ৰত আবস্থগী দিনৰে পৰা ডাক্তৰ নিয়োগ নকৰাটো চৰকাৰে জানে নে ?

(ঘ) অতি সোনকালে এজন ডাক্তৰ দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰিব নে ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Veterinary)  
replied :

\*122. (ক)—হয় ।

(খ)—১৯৫৮ চন ।

(গ)—হয় ।

(ঘ)—হয় ।

Re : Establishment of a Veterinary Dispensary at  
Athkhelia of Golaghat Subdivision

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

\*123. মাননীয় ভেটেৰিনাৰী মন্ত্ৰীমহোদয়ে জনাব নে—

(ক) গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ ঘিলাধাৰী মৌজাৰ আটখেলিয়াত পশু-  
চিকিৎসা কেন্দ্ৰ এটা খুলি কৃষিপ্রধান ঠাইডোখৰৰ পশুসম্পদ  
বক্ষা কৰাৰ কথা চৰকাৰে কিবা ভাবিছে নেকি ?

(খ) যদি ভাবে, কি ব্যৱস্থা লৈছে ?

(গ) যদি লোৱা নাই, কিয় লোৱা নাই ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Veterinary)  
replied :

123. (ক) বৰ্তমান সম্ভৱপৰ নহয়।

(খ)—ভৱিষ্যত প্ৰশ্নই নুঠে।

(গ)—আৰ্থিক অৱস্থাৰ বাবে বৰ্তমান ক্ষেত্ৰত নকৈ কোনো ঠাইত  
পশু-চিকিৎসালয় কেন্দ্ৰ স্থাপনৰ ব্যৱস্থা বৰ্তমান লোৱা হোৱা নাই।

Re : Establishment of a Veterinary Dispensary at Gcm-  
ariguri of Golaghat Subdivision

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

\*124. মাননীয় ভেটেবিনেৰী বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰীমহোদয়ে অনুগ্ৰহ কৰি জনাব নে--

(ক) গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ তৰাগী, গমাৰী, চাউদাং পাথাৰ, কাছমাৰি,  
আমগুৰি আদি বন বিভাগৰ অধীনৰ প্ৰায় ১৫/১৬ হেক্টৰ  
জনসাধাৰণৰ মধ্যস্থল গমাৰীগুৰিত কৃষি প্ৰধান উক্ত অঞ্চল-  
টোৰ পশুৰ উপকাৰৰ কাৰণে এখন পশুচিকিৎসা কেন্দ্ৰ খোলাৰ  
ব্যৱস্থা হাতত লব নে ?

(খ) বিষয়টোত গুৰুত্ব দি চৰকাৰে এই বছৰতে পশুচিকিৎসা  
কেন্দ্ৰ এটা উক্ত গমাৰীগুৰিত খুলিবৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰিব নে ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Veterinary)  
replied :

124. (ক)—বৰ্তমান সম্ভৱপৰ নহয়।

(খ)—বিষয়টোত গুৰুত্ব আছে যদিও, বৰ্তমান আৰ্থিক অৱস্থাৰ বাবে  
আৰু চিকিৎসকৰ সাময়িক অভাৱৰ বাবে গমাৰীগুৰিত এটা  
পশুচিকিৎসালয় কেন্দ্ৰ স্থাপন কৰাটো সম্ভৱ নহয়।

Re : Extension of Service of S. S. P./C. I. D.

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*125 Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that S. S. P./C. I. D. is on extension of service beyond the age of 55 years?
- (b) Whether the Government proposes to carry out special audit before the present S. S. P./C. I. D. retires?
- (c) If so, when it is proposed to be started?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

125. (a)—Yes.

(b) & (c)—There has been no occasion upto now to call for special audit in the office of the the D. I. G. P. (C. I. D.). However, the office is being audited regularly by the A. G. Assam in the normal course.

Re : Protection of Lowkhowa Blok from recurring flood

Shri M. A. MUSAWWIR CHOUDHURY asked :

\*126. Will the Minister-in-charge, Public Works Department (Flood Control and Irrigation) be pleased to state—

What long term measure have been to save the flood effected people of Lowkhowa Block from the recurring flood ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister in-charge, Flood Control, etc) replied :

126.—The areas of Lowkhowa Block on the country-

side of the Brahmaputra embankment are already protected from floods.

Re : Pay scale of Lecturers of Polytechnics and Engineering Colleges of the State

Shri JOGEN SAIKIA asked :

\*127. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether there is any difference in the scale of pay and special benefits enjoyed by the Lecturers of Polytechnics and Engineering Colleges of Assam teaching non-Engineering and Engineering subjects?
- (b) If so, what are the reasons for the discrimination between the Lecturers teaching technical and non-technical subjects?
- (c) Whether the Lecturers of these Polytechnics are encadred in Assam Educational service?
- (d) If not, why?
- (e) Whether the Government is aware that due to not granting of special benefits or non-cadrement, the future of the Lecturers teaching non-Engineering subjects like Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics English, Humanities including Civics and Labour Relations are blocked and therefore talented youngmen do not like to serve in these Institutions?

- (f) Whether the Government will consider either giving special benefits to these teachers of non-Engineering subjects as given to the Lecturers of Engineering subjects or encadre them in the Assam Educational Service ?
- (g) Whether it is a fact that there is no provision of Departments and Departmental Heads in these Institutions for the non-Engineering subjects of Science and Humanities ?
- (h) If so, whether the Government contemplates to create such Departments with their Heads ?
- (i) Whether it is a fact that there is a big gap in respect of pay scales given to the Assistant Professors of Engineering and non-Engineering subjects in the Engineering Colleges of Assam ?
- (j) Whether there is any provision of Professorship in non-Engineering subjects in these Colleges ?
- (k) If not, whether the Government will take steps to create such posts for benefit of the students and also for opening up avenues of promotion to the Assistant Professors ?

127. Shri JOY BHADRA HAGJER (Minister, Education)  
replied :

(a)—Yes. A special pay of Rs. 75 per mensem

is attached to those of teachers for Engineering subjects.

(b)—The special pay of Rs. 75 per mensem is given to attract the Engineering Graduates to the teaching profession.

(c)—No.

(d)—Education service relates to teachers of Education (General) Department. A separate cadre for each of the teachers of Technical and non-Technical subjects under the Technical Education Department is being formed and service rules for the purpose is being framed.

(e) and (f)—Does not arise in view to reply to (b) and (d) above.

(g)—Yes.

(h)—No.

(i)—Yes.

(j) and (k)—Not at present, but there is a proposal for creation of the posts of Professor in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics is under consideration of the Government.

**Re : Officials of Jorhat Laboratory**

**Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :**

**\*128. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—**

- (a) Whether the Government is aware that some top ranking officials of Jorhat Laboratory is fanning up anti-assamese feeling ?
- (b) If so, what action has been taken to stop such thing ?
- (c) Whether it is also a fact that more qualified Assamese Officers are also posted below Junior non-Assames Officer ?
- (d) If so, whether Government propose to safeguard the interest of Assamese Scientists posted in Regional Laboratory, Jorhat ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

128. (a)—No information.

(b)—Does not arise in view of reply at (a) above.

(c)—State Government have no information as the administration of the Laboratory is vested with the Government of India.

(d)—Does not arise in view of reply at (c) above.

Re : 'Regional Research Laboratory, Jorhat

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*129. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the Government is aware that the Regional Research Laboratory, Jorhat is pro-

posed to be closed here and going to be transferred to Bihar ?

(b) If so, whether the Government has received any information or reason for such transfer from the Central Government ?

(c) If received, what is the stand of State Government ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education)  
replied :

129. (a)—Government have no information.

(b)—No.

(c)—Does not arise.

Re : Recruitment in the Regional Research Laboratory,  
Jorhat

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*130. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Government is aware that unqualified persons are recruited in the Regional Research Laboratory, Jorhat from outside the State and qualified personnel of Assam not recruited ?

(b) If so, whether Government propose to take any measures for the appointment of our persons ?

(c) If so, what are measures proposed to be taken ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

130. (a)—Government have no information as the administration of the Laboratory is vested with the Government of India.

(b) & (c)—Docs not arise in view of reply at (a) above.

Re : A. C. S. Class I Officers Association

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*131. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that A. C. S. Class I Officers Association has submitted one Memorandum to the Government for redressal of some of their grievances ?

(b) If so, what are their grievances ?

(c) What action has since been taken for redressal of the same ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

131. (a)—Yes.

(b)—The grievances are (i) that all members of the A. C. S. I. should be enabled to get into the integrated Judicial Service, (ii) that they

should be given the seniority to which they are entitled as being in the A. C. S. I., in the Judicial Service also.

- (c)—The matter is already under consideration of Government but the final decision in this regard will have to be taken only in consultation with the Hon'ble High Court of Assam and Nagaland and the Assam Public Service Commission.

Re : Important Documents of Education Department  
Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*132. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the Government is aware that many important Government documents of the Education Department were found in Barabazar groceries shop and also now shops of Laban ?
- (b) If so, whether Government proposes to make an enquiry to find out the person responsible for distributing or selling such kinds of important documents to the shop keepers ?

\* Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education)

132. (a)—No.

(b) Doss not arise.

Re : National Highway near Nalbari

Shri PRABHAT NARAYAN CHOUDHURY asked :

\*133. Will the Minister of Public Works Department (R. and B.) be pleased to state—

(a) Whether Government are aware that due to successive floods, the North Trunk Road and the National Highway near Nalbari were badly damaged every year and Road traffic remained cut off for days together?

(b) Whether Government is aware that during such periods only road communication remains open is Nalbari-Hajo-Amingaon and Barpeta-Palla-Nalbari Road to maintain the life Line?

(c) If so, whether Government will be pleased to take immediate steps to strengthen the bridges on the roads particularly on Nalbari-Hajo-Amingaon Road by replacing the work Timber bridges by concrete bridges?

(d) Whether Government will also be pleased to take immediate steps to black top Nalbari-Hajo-Amingaon Road and Barpeta-Palla-Nalbari Road this year?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER (Minister of State, Public Works (R. and B.) Deptt.) replied :

133. (c)—Yes.

[b]—Yes.

[c] & [d]—These works are proposed to be undertaken next year under the 4th Five Year Plan Programme subject to recommendations of the Assam Road Communication Board and availability of Fund.

Re : Improvement of Sibsagar Tank

Shri PROMODE CHANDRA GOGOI asked :

\*134. Will the Minister-in-charge of Public Works Department (R. and B.) be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that the sibsagar Municipal Board and the public of sibsagar had submitted representations to the Government of Assam to improve and modernise the sibsagar tank ?

(b) Whether any scheme has been prepared by the public Works Department and submitted to the Government for approval ?

(c) If so, whether Government prepare to implement the scheme within this financial year ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER (Minister of state, Public Works (R. and B.) Department) replied :

134. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—No, due to non-availability of funds.

Re : Smuggling of rice and paddy from Assam

Shri SHAMSUL HUDA asked:

\*135. Will the Minister, Supply be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the Government is aware of smuggling of rice and paddy from Assam to the neighbouring countries ?
- (b) If so, which are the countries ?
- (c) Whether the smugglings are done in a large-scale ?
- (d) Which are the doors of smuggling of rice and paddy to such countries ?
- (e) Whether the Government has adopted measures in this regard ?
- (f) If so, what are the measures ?
- (g) If not, why ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH (Minister, Supply) replied :

135. (a)—Yes, some reports were received about smuggling from Assam.
- (b)—West Bengal, Pakistan and Bhutan, Tripura Manipur and Nagaland.
- (c)—According to reports received smuggling has been done on a small-scale through passengers train and sometimes by road and river routes.
- (d)—Smuggling is suspected to have been done by

petty traders and consumers.

(e) Yes.

(f) Check-gates have been established at strategic points where Supply personnel have been posted. In some gates armed police have also been posted.

(g) Does not arise.

Re: Scheme for forest based Industries

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*135. Will the Minister, Industries be pleased to state

(a) Whether the Government proposes to prepare any integrated Scheme for the forest based industries

(b) If so, what are Industries proposed to be started during the 4th Five Year Plan ?

(c) What is the approximate estimated investment counted for the forest based Industries during the 4th Five Year Plan ?

(d) What categories of Industries are proposed to be taken upon the priority basis in this regard ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue for Minister, Industries) replied.

136. (a) Matter is under consideration.

(b) Paper and Pulp Mill, Glue factory, Tanning Bark and Medicinal plants,

(c) Investment in the proposed public Sector, Paper

and Pulp Plant will be in the central sector.

It will be about Rs. 20 crores.

(d) paper and Pulp Project.

Re Service of the upper Division Assistant of the  
Kaliabor Anchalik Panchayat

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI asked :

\*137, পঞ্চায়ত বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে ?

(ক) কলিয়াবৰ আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়তৰ উচ্চ বৰ্গীয় সহকাৰী (Upper Division Assistant) জনৰ নাম কি ?

(খ) তেওঁ উক্ত পদতে কিমান দিন একেবাহে কাম কৰি আছে ?

(গ) এই কথা সঁচানে যে এই উচ্চ বৰ্গীয় সহকাৰী জন কলিয়াবৰ আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়ততে আবহুবে পৰা কাম কৰি আছে ?

(ঘ) উল্লেখিত কৰ্মচাৰী জনে উপাৰ্জনতকৈ অধিক সম্পত্তি আহৰণ কৰাৰ কথা চৰকাৰে জানেনে ?

(ঙ) এই বিষয়ে এটি তদন্ত কৰা হবনে ?

(চ) উক্ত বিষয়া জনক জনস্বার্থৰ খাতিৰত অন্য ঠাইলৈ বদলি কৰা হবনে ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State  
Panchyat and Community Development) replied.

137. (ক) শ্ৰীহৰেন্দ্ৰ নাথ শৰ্মা।

(খ) ১৯১২।৬০ তাৰিখৰ পৰা।

(গ) হয়, তেখেতে কলিয়াবৰ আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়ততে ১৯৩৬০ তাৰিখৰ পৰা কাম কৰি আছে। তেখেতে প্ৰথমে নিম্ন বৰ্গীয় সহকাৰী পদত আছিল।

(ঘ) নেজানে।

(ঙ) অভিযোগ নাপালে তদন্ত কৰা আৱশ্যক বুলি চৰকাৰে নেভাৰে।

(চ) বৰ্ত্তমান এই বিষয়ে ভৱা হোৱা নাই।

Re : Payment of gratuities to Abdul Kader  
Shri ATAUR RAHMAN asked :

\*138. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state

- (a) Whether one Abdul Kader a Jarikarak under the, Establishment of Subdivisional Officer, Barpeta has retired more than 5 years ago?
- (b) Whether gratuities, etc., admissible under the Rules have been paid to him?
- (c) If not, why not?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied

138. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Not yet paid.

(c)—The pension papers, etc., of Shri Abdul Kader, a Jarikarak in the Establishment of the Sub-divisional Officer, Barpeta, who has retired were submitted to the Accountant General, Assam and Nagaland, Shillong with whom the matter is now pending.

Re : Industrial Estate Golaghat.

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

139. Will the Minister, Industries be pleased to state—

(ক)—গোলাঘাটত ইণ্ডাষ্ট্ৰিয়েল এষ্টেট খন পতাৰ কথা কি হ'ল?

(খ)—যদি এই ইণ্ডাষ্ট্ৰিয়েল এণ্টেট খন হয় কেতিয়াৰ পৰা কাম আৰম্ভ কৰিব ?

(গ)—যদি নহয়, কিয় ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, in-charge Industries) replied :

139. (ক)—গোলাবাটিত এখন উদ্যোগ পাম ( ইণ্ডাষ্ট্ৰিয়েল এণ্টেট ) পতাৰ আচনিখন কাৰ্য্যকৰী কৰা বৰ্ত্তমান ধনৰ অভাবৰ কাৰণে স্থগিত ৰখা হৈছে।

(খ)—আগৰ উপ-প্ৰশ্নৰ উত্তৰৰ সংগতি ক্ৰমে এই প্ৰশ্ন নুঠে।

(গ)—আৰম্ভ কৰিব নোৱাৰাৰ কাৰণবোৰ (ক) উপ-প্ৰশ্নৰ উত্তৰত দিয়া হৈছে।

Re : Acceptance of Contract work by any member of A. P. under the same Panchayat

Shri SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

140. Will the Minister-in-charge of Panchayat and C. D. be pleased to state—

(a) Whether any member of an Anchalik Panchayat is entitled to accept contract work under the same Panchayat deriving pecuniary profit from it ?

(b) Whether the Government is aware that a certain member of the Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat (during the period from 1960 to 1962 accepted contract work on remuneration ?

(c) What were the rate of remuneration and the total

remuneration paid to this member for the work ?

(d) Whether necessary action has been taken against this member ?

(e) Whether all other members of the said A. P. have been held jointly responsible for clear violation of the provisions of the Rules by them ?

(f) Whether any member of this A. P. has still been accepting contract work ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and C. D.) replied :

140. (a)—No, as per section 17(5) read with 16(1) (e) and section 149 of the Assam Panchayat Act, 1959.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—Remuneration was allowed for manufacture of R.C.C rings @ Rs. 80.00 paise per ring well. The total remuneration paid was Rs, 2,240.00 paise as per Audit Report of Examiner of Local Account of Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat for the period from 4th March 1960 to 31st March 1964.

(d) & (e)—Appropriate action will be taken after enquiry.

(f)—No.

Re : Repairing of Roads of Nalbari Subdivision

Shri PRABHAT NARAYAN CHOUDHURY asked :

141. Will the Minister-in-charge of Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) Whether Government have taken steps for repair of the village Roads of Nalbari affected by floods on Test Relief basis ?

(b) If not, why ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister of Revenue) replied :

141. (a)—The question is not clear. There is no specific mention whether it relates to floods of 1966 or 1967 and whether it relates to village roads of Nalbari Anchalik Panchayat or Nalbari Circle. Normal repair of Roads on Test Relief basis is not admissible under rules. But considering the distressed condition of people due to unprecedented floods of 1966, Government sanctioned Rs. 1,49,740 to Pub-Nalbari A. P. for Test Relief work as a special case to relieve the distress of the people and the A. P. utilised them in repairing village roads. Although there were some damages of roads caused by floods in 1967 also in certain pockets, these were not on extensive scales and people's hardships due to flood also

were not comparable to 1966. Test Relief Schemes are sanctioned to reduce hardship in extreme emergencies and not to repair flood damages. In any-case, Government have not yet received any Test Relief Scheme from the local officers for consideration.

(b)—Does not arise in view of (a) above.

Re : Realisation of amount by the B. D. O. Lowkhowa Block

Shri M. A. MUSAWWIR CHOUDHURY asked :

142. Will the Minister, Panchayat be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that the B. D. O. Lowkhowa Block has lately realised Rs. 70.00 (seventy) from the flood affected people of Lowkhowa as carrying charge for rice sent for relief?

(b) If so, why?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of state, Panchayat and Community Development) replied :

142. (a)—No. The expenditure was initially incurred out of Anchalik and Gaon panchayat Funds.

(b)—Does not arise.

Re : Registration of cases in the Dhubri Subdivision

Shri GIASUDDIN AHMED asked :

\*143. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) The total number of cases concerning murder dacoity and theft were registering during the year ending 1st September, 1967 in the Dhubri Subdivision ?
- (b) The total number of such cases investigation of which has been completed and final report or charge sheet has been submitted ?
- (c) The total number of cases which are still under investigation ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister)  
replied :

143. (a)—

- (i) Murder 11
- (ii) Dacoity Nill.
- (iii) Theft 86

(b)—

- (i) Investigation completed.
  - (a) Murder 4.
  - (b) Dacoity Nill.
  - (c) Theft 67.
- (ii) Final report submitteed.
  - (a) Murder 3.
  - (b) Dacoity Nill.
  - (c) Theft 33

(iii) Charge sheet submitted.

(1) Murder 1.

(d) Dacoity Nil.

(c) Theft 34.

(c)

(i) Murder 7.

(ii) Dacoity Nil.

(iii) Theft 19.

Re : Golaghat Higher Secodary School

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

\*144. মাননীয় শিক্ষামন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে জনাবনে—

(ক) গোলাঘাট গভৰ্ণমেণ্ট হাইয়াৰ চেকেণ্ডাৰী স্কুল খনলৈ আজি ভালেমান বছৰৰ পৰা পেঞ্চন পাবলৈ মাত্ৰ ১ বছৰ ১৥ বছৰ বা ৬ মাহ কাল থকা প্ৰধান শিক্ষক সকলক বদলি কৰি অনা কথা সঁচানে?

(খ) গোলাঘাট গভৰ্ণমেণ্ট হাইয়াৰ চেকেণ্ডাৰী স্কুল খনলৈ ৫/৬ বছৰ কাৰ্য্যকাল থকা প্ৰধান শিক্ষক এজন অনাৰ বাৱস্থা চৰকাৰে কৰিবনে?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education)  
replied :

144. (ক) No. Only shri A. N. Bezbarua who worked there from 25th February 1966 to 11th September 1966 when he retired.

- (२) No. assurance can be given since only Senior Headmasters are entitled to be posted as Principal, Higher Secodary School when due.

Re : Agro-Industries Corporation

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARAU asked :

\*145. Will the Minister, Agriculture be pleased to state

- (a) Whether Agro-Industries Corporation has started functioning ?
- (b) If so, what are the specific schemes started by it for execution ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Agriculture) replied :

145. (a) The Corporation has already been set up and Managing Director recently appointed. It is expected to start functioning very soon.
- (b) The Corporation is expected to undertake the following programmes progressively
- (i) Distribution of fertiliser to the farmers.
  - (ii) Distribution of pesticides and implements.
  - (iii) Operation of hire purchase programme for supplies of tractors and other machineries to the farmers.
  - (iv) Undertake agricultural based processing or manufacturingn units if possible.

Re : Utilisation of Government Grants by the Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat

Shri SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*146. Will the Minister-in-charge of Panchayat and C. D. be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat in Nowgong utilised conditional Government Grant of Rs. 17,452 for manufacturing R. C. C. Rings for Well ?
- (b) Whether there was any approved Scheme for this work ?
- (c) Whether tenders were invited for this work ?
- (d) Whether it is a fact that a certain member of Anchalik panchayat was entrusted to do the work on remuneration ?
- (e) What is the total number of R.C.C, Rings manufactured by the member ?
- (f) What is the average cost of each R.C.C. Ring ?
- (g) Whether the R.C.C. Rings have been properly utilized for the Purpose they were manufactured ?
- (h) Whether the Government is aware of any misappropriation of the conditional Government Grant in this manufacturing work ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of state, P. and C. D.) replied :

146, (a) Yes.

(b) The Scheme was approved by the Anchalik Panchayat and submitted to Deputy Commissioner, Newgong in April, 1960 for sanction. Deputy Commissioner's sanction to the Scheme could not be traced.

(c) No.

(d) Yes.

(e) 840 Rft. The average height of each ring is 1 feet.

(f) Ruppes 2000p.

(g) Yes.

(h) No.

Re : Number of Sports Coachers in the State

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGI asked :

\*147. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

(a) How many Sports Coachers are there in the State ?

(b) Who are they and their subjects of coaching ?

(c) Who is the appointing authority of Sports Coachers ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education replied :

147. (a) There are three Coachers in the State.

(b) (1) Shri Bilas Baruah (Football).

(2) Shri Adhir Roy (Football).

(3) Shri Ashan Ali Rizvi (Volley ball).

(c) The state Sports council, Assam.

Re : Land in the religious institutions of the state

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

148. মাননীয় বাজহ মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে—

(ক) অসমৰ সত্ৰ-সমূহত থকা দেবোত্তৰ ব্ৰহ্মোত্তৰ মাটিৰ পৰিমাণ কিমান ?

(খ) এই দেবোত্তৰ ব্ৰহ্মোত্তৰ মাটিৰ বিলোপ সাধনৰ কাৰণে চৰকাৰে কি ব্যৱস্থা লৈছে ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue) replied.

148. (ক) অসমত থকা সত্ৰ সমূহৰ মুঠ মাটিৰ পৰিমাণ—

লাখেৰাজ—১,৫০,৬১৬ বিঘা।

নিষ্পিখেৰাজ—২৬,৫৭১ বিঘা।

খেৰাজ— ৫,৩১৯ বিঘা।

মুঠ ১,৮২,৫০৬ বিঘা

(খ) Assam State Acquisition of land belonging to religious or charitable institution of Public Nature Act, 1959 ৰ দ্বাৰা সত্ৰ, দেৱালয় বা সমাজ কলান অৱস্থান বোৰৰ মাটি অধিগ্ৰহণ কৰাৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰা হৈছে।

Re : Fisheries of Kaliabor Anchalik panchayat

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI asked :

149. পঞ্চায়ত বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্ৰহ কৰি জনাবনে—

- (ক) কলিয়াবৰ আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়তৰ জৰিয়তে বৰুৱাটুক গাওঁত এটা মীন মহল কৰাৰ কথা চৰকাৰে জানেনে?
- (খ) উক্ত মীনমহল কেতিয়া সম্পূৰ্ণ হ'ল আৰু এই মহলৰ বাবে কিমান টকা খৰছ কৰা হ'ল?
- (গ) এই মীন মহলত মাছৰ কঠিয়া কিমান দিয়া হৈছে আৰু কিমান মাছ ধৰি বিক্ৰী কৰা হৈছে?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State Panchayat and C. D.) replied :

149. (ক) হয়।

(খ) ১৯৬৪ চনত সম্পূৰ্ণ হয়। মুঠ ১৪,৭০৯ টকা খৰছ হয়।

(গ) ১৯৬৫ চনত ৪,০০০ আৰু ১৯৬৬ চনত ৭,২০০ মাছৰ পোনা মেলা হয়। ১৩/১১/৬৭ তাৰিখে এটা পুখুৰীৰ মাছ মাৰি ১৫৮ টকা ১০ পইচা পোৱা হৈছে।

Re : Private cars plying as Taxis

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*150. Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the Government is aware that many of the private cars plying as taxis are not duly registered taxis?
- (b) If so, what is the percentage of such illegal private cars plying as taxis?

- (c) Whether any action has since been taken to bring the illegally plying private taxi owners into book ?
- (d) If not, why ?

Shri PROBIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State for Transport) replied :

150. (a) It has been brought to Government's notice that some private cars are unauthorisedly plying as taxis.
- (b) The percentage is not known to the Government.
- (c) Apart from the Departmental check, the Government is taking certain measures to ensure that such illegal plying is stopped.
- (d) Does not arise .

Re : Daily allowance to the members of Anchalik Panchayat

Shri SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*151. Will the minister of Panchayat and C. D. be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the members of an Anchalik Panchayat are entitled to daily allowance at Rs.2 on the dates of meetings of the Anchalik Panchayat ?
- (b) Whether the Government is aware that the Bata-drava Anchalik Panchayat in Newgong, during the period from 4th March 1960 to 31st March 1964 spent Rs.1264.07 paise in entertaining the

Anchalik Panchayat members with tea, tiffin and betel nuts, etc., at Re. 1 for member on the dates of meetings of the Archalik Panchayat?

(c) If so, what steps the Government has taken in this regard?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of state, panchayat and C.D.) replied :

151. (a)—The non-official members of the Anchalik Panchayat were allowed till March 1966 Daily allowance at Rs. 2 per day for attending meetings of the Anchalik Panchayat.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—Instructions have been issued to all Anchalik Panchayats on 23rd October 1964 not to incur unauthorised expenditure on entertainment of members. In the case of Batadraba Anchalik Panchayat further action will be considered by government.

Rs : The post of Additional S. P. in Kamrup District  
Shrimati PRANITA TALUKDAR asked :

\*152 Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state —

(a) Whether it is a fact that for disposal of heavy work two posts of Additional S.P. have been lately created in Kamrup District and one of which has

been lately created in kamrup ?

- (b) Whether it is a fact that the Additional S.P. for North Kamrup is now attached to the office of the S.P. at Gauhati outside an area which is not within his Jurisdiction thereby causing inconvenience to the public of North Kamrup ?
- (c) Whether it is a fact that the Additional S.P. for North Kamrup is also required to undertake extensive tours in order to cover the area allotted to him ?
- (d) Whether Government propose to take steps to make the headquarters of the Additional S.P. at a Central place of North Kamrup for convenience of the public ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

- 152 (a)—A second post of additional S.P. for Kamrup District was created on 1st March 1964 to cope with the increasing work in the District. By local arrangement the two Additional S.Ps are being given separate Zones for supervision of works. Under this arrangement one is entrusted with the North Bank and the other with the South Bank.
- (b)—There is no separate office for either of the two Additional S.ps and both are attached to the headquarters. The Officer entrusted with supervision of works in the North Bank visits his area as and when necessity arises.

(c)—As stated above there is no Additional S.P. in North Kamrup. The Officer entrusted with this Jurisdiction is naturally required to undertake extensive tours in the area for supervision, etc.

(d)—There is no such contemplation at present.

Rs : Doctor at Laharghat State Dispensary

Shri ABALA KANTA GOSWAMI asked :

\*153. Will the Minister. Health be Pleased to state—

- (a) How long the State Dispensary at Laharghat in Palasbari Constituency is running without a doctor ?
- (b) Whether the minister received any public representation for posting a doctor to that Dispensary ?
- (c) If so, whether Government will be pleased to appoint or post a doctor in that Dispensary at a very early date. ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister Health) replied :

\*153 (a)—The Laharghat State Dispensary is running without doctor since 1st May 1967.

(b)—No, such representation seems to have been received

(c)—One doctor. has been appointed and ordered to join it Laharghat Dispensary on 8th September 1967.

Rs : Appointment of Shri Siddhartha Sankar Ray and his  
as counsel of the State Government

Maulana ABDUL JALIL CHOUDHURY asked :

\*154. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) Under what terms and conditions Shri<sup>1</sup> Siddhartha Sankar Ray and his wife M<sup>rs</sup>. Maya Ray have been appointed as counsel of the Government of Assam in the Justice Datta Commission of enquiry, now holding enquiry into various incidents in Assam?
- (b) Whether the Government of Assam made any enquiry about the fees usually paid to Shri Ray and Shrimati Ray in the Calcutta High Court before appointing them as Counsel of the Government in this Commission of enquiry or in the earlier ones in which they were first appointed as Government of Assam Counsel?
- (c) Whether the Government of Assam ascertained and verified their income as lawyer from Income tax Department or any other source to ascertain the justification or otherwise of payment of fees and pre-requisites at the rate at which they are being paid in this Commission of Enquiry or in the earlier ones?
- (d) What is the total amount already paid or payable to them for their work before the Justice Datta Commission (please give the breakup as follows :—

- (i) The amount of fees already paid :
- (ii) The amounts in the bills pending :
- (iii) Amounts to be paid for the days already worked but no bill submitted ?
- (vi) Amounts likely to be paid for the likely number of days to be worked before the Commission complete its works ?
- (e) What is the total amounts paid to Shri S.S. Ray and Mrs. Maya Ray in the earlier Commission of enquiry in which they worked as the counsel of the Government of Assam ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister replied

154. (a)—Shri Siddartha Sankar Ray, Barister of Calcutta was engaged by the State Government as senior Counsel before the Commission of Inquiry (Shillong/Sibsagar police firings ) of the following terms and conditions :—

- (i) Daily fee of Rs. 1,020 for each day's absence from Headquarters during consultations ;
- (ii) Daily fee of Rs. 1,700 for each day's absence from Headquarters during hearing of the Commission of Inquiry.
- (iii) One air passage for each journey at rates admissible to Grade I Officers of State Government, and
- (iv) Food and lodging at Government expense.

(b)—Mrs. Ray, wife of Shri S.S. Ray was not formally appointed by Government although she had assisted Shri Ray during the inquiry. No fee or transport expense for her was charged. No specific inquiry about fees usually paid to Shri Ray in the Calcutta High Court was made. The terms were decided by negotiation.

(c)—No.

(d)—(i) Rupees.1,42,800 from 2nd April 1967 to 14th September 1967.

(ii), (iii) and (iv) Fee for appearing before Commission for the period from 28th September 1967, to 7th October, 1967 was Rs.11,900 Air fare Rs.3,026. Excess baggage fare (for law books and other personal effects) Rs.556.70. Bills submitted by Pine Wood Hotel for food and lodging Rs.2,751.60. Besides the above bills which are pending, bills for some small amount may come from the State Transport for use of pool car on one occasion and from circuit house at Dibrugarh, etc. for food.

(e)—Shri S.S. Ray was paid Rs. 1,68,260.45 (inclusive of charges for food and lodging Rs. 6,500.45 and air passage of Rs. 600 for his engagement before the Commissioner of Inquiry into the Police firing at Shillong, 1964 in that case also although his wife had assisted him during the inquiry she was not formally engaged by Government and no fee, etc. was separately charged for her.

Re : P. W. D. Road from Jalah to Salbari

Shri DHARANI DHAR CHOUDHURY asked.

\*155. Will the Minister P. W. D. (R. and B) be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether Government is aware that the proposed P.W.D. road from Jalah to Salbari under Barpeta Subdivision has not yet been completed?
- (b) If so whether Government will be pleased to take immediate steps to complete the said road?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAJUMDER [Minister of State, P.W.D. (R. & B)] replied :

155. ( )—Yes.

(†)—Yes.

R. Demand for Separation of the Plains mouzas of Garo Hills from the Autonomous District of Garo Hills.

Shri ZAHIRUL ISLAM asked :

\*156. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that the minority communities of Garo Hills District have voiced their demand for separation of the plains mouzas of Garo Hills from the Autonomous District of Garo Hills?
- (b) If so what steps Government have taken to meet the demand of these people?

Shri CHATRASING TERON (Minister, T. A. and W.B.C.) replied :

156. (a) - No.

(b)—Does not arise.

Fe : Interview with Secretary, Health

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*157 Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Government is aware that nobody, specially any doctor is allowed to get an interview with the Secretary, Health?

(b) If so, what are the reasons?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister-in-charge, Health) replied :

157. (a)—No.

(b)—Dose not arise.

Re : Unauthorised expenditure spent by the Chairman, Gauhati Municipality.

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

\*158. Will the Minister, Municipal Administration be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that there was an unauthorised expenditure of Rs. 2,62,000 by the then Chairman of Gauhati Municipality which was meant for a market at Paltanbazar, Gauhati?

(b) If so, what step is being taken by Government for recovery of the said amount from the person who was responsible for such unauthorised expenditure?

(c) Whether it is a fact that instead of recovering the said amount from the person who was personally responsible in this regard Government are recovering the same by instalment, out of

Government grants to the said Municipality ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

- 158 (a) and (b)—An amount of Rs. 2,61,300 was sanctioned during 1960-61 to the Gauhati Municipal Board for the construction of a refugee market at Paltan-Bazar. It was reported that the Gauhati Municipal Board had spent an amount of Rs. 24,000 for requisition of land and Rs. 1,061.78 Paise for improvement of stalls inside the Paltan Bazar and the rest of the unutilised amount was kept in the Personal Ledger Account of the Board along with other receipts. The unspent amount could not be utilised then as a case regarding aquisition of land was filed in the High Court which subsequently went to Supreme Court and was disposed of on 22nd April 1966 only. Meanwhile, on 6th July 1962 a new Board was formed after the general election. It was only on 5th January 1963 that the new Chairman reported that on his assumption of office as Chairman, he found that a sum of Rs. 21,763.27 only out of the above loan had been credited in the Bank account by the Gauhati Municipal Board. Immediately on receipt of the above information the then Under Secretary held a detaild enquiry and found that the loan money was drawn and duly credited into the Personal Ledger Account of the Board and was also shown to have been received by the Board in their loan Register but no separate account of expenditure was maintained.

Section 54 of the Assam Municipal Act, 1956 provides that any loss, waste or misapplication of money is the liability of each and every Member of the Board including the employees thereof and if such loss, waste or misapplication of money is a direct consequence of any illegal act, omission, neglect or misconduct on the part of any one of them a suit for compensation should be instaituted anig uchs ts person in any Court of competent jurisdiction by the Board within one year after the date on which cause of action arose.

It was unfortunate that the Board did not take timely action as provided under the Act, against any one who was responsible for the misapplication of the money neither they reported to Government the name of the person who was responsible for the loss. Government tried to ascertain the facts about the utilisation of the loan amount and on certain allegation from the public the matter was referred to the Vigilance Commissioner. The Vigilance Commissioner made enquiries recently and reported that it is not possible on account of lapse of time to check and verify the correctectness of expenditure in this connection.

(c)—As no one could be made responsible for the misapplication of the loan money and as the loan was given to the Gauhati Municipal Board as a body corporate, Government had to recover the same from the Board.

Re: Abolition of Class VII from the Higher Secondary School  
M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*159. Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the present system of Higher Secondary Schools with 5 classes from VII to XI is an Ad-hoc arrangement?
- (b) Whether the Government is considering to abolish this Class VII from the Higher Secondary Schools?
- (c) If so, when?
- (d) If not, why?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

59. (a)—No.

(b)—There is no proposal to abolish Class VII from the Higher Secondary Schools. What is needed, however, is the reorganisation of the High School course and its possible reduction by one year to conform to the Pattern recommended by the Education Commission. But till a firm decision is taken by the Government. On this recommendation of the Education Commission the present arrangement will continue.

(c) and (d)—Do not arise in view of (b) above.

Re: Promotion of A. C. S Class I to I.A.S. Cadre.

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*160. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the percentage of promotion allotted to the A. C. S. Class I Officer to I. A. S. Cadre?
- (b) What is the percentage of promotion allotted to the A. P. S. to the I. P. S. Cadre?
- (c) What are the principles generally observed on both the cases for nomination to All India Cadre?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

160. (a)—The promotion quota for the A. C. S. Officers in the

- I. A. S. Cadre is 25 percent of the senior duty posts included in the Cadre.
- (b)—Promotion quota for the Assam Police Service Officers in the I. P. S. Cadre is 25 percent of the senior duty posts included in the cadre.
- (c)—The promotion of the State Service Officers to the All India Cadres is made by the Government of India on the recommendations of the State Government in the order in which the names of the Officers appear in the select list, prepared for the purpose annually by the Selection Committee in consultation with and with the approval of the Union Public Service Commission.

Re : Sadari Sathi Sanka Road

Shri DHARANI DHAR CHOUDHURY asked :

- \*161. Will the Minister, P. W. D. (R. & B.) be pleased to state—
- (a) Whether there was a proposal to extend Sadari Sathi Sanka Road from Sadari to Iassera ?
- (b) If so, whether Government will be pleased to take up the work this year ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State, P. W. D. (R. & B.)] replied :

161. (a) There is no such proposal at present.
- (b) —Does not arise in view of reply to (a) above.

Re : Demand for appointment of Senior I.P.S. Officer as S.S.P.

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

- \*162 Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—
- (a) Whether it is a fact that the I. P. S. Officers Association has urged upon the Government for posting Senior I.P.S. Officer as S.S.P., C.I.D., Shillong, Assam ?
- (b) If so, whether the Association's demand has been accepted by Government ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

161. (a) & (b)—There has been no such demand from the I.P.S. Officers' Association but the matter is under consideration of Government.

Re : Providing of escort to Chief Justice of Assam

Shri JOGEN SAIKIA asked :

\*163. Will the Minister, Law be pleased to state—

- (a) When was the practice of providing Special Police escorts with Pilot and Rear-guard Armoured cars to the Hon'ble Chief Justice of Assam for his tours introduced ?
- (b) Whether it was done at the request of the Hon'ble Chief Justice himself or out of its own motion by the Government ?
- (c) What were the circumstances that led the Government to introduce this system ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

163. (a)—Instruction to provide Armed escort to the Hon'ble Chief Justice of the High Court of Assam and Nagaland while travelling were issued on 13th May 1967.

(b)—It was done at the request of the Hon'ble Chief Justice.

(c)—Government felt that request from the Head of the Judiciary in the State should be complied with.

Re : Creation of Specialist Cadre of the Health Department

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

★164. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the Government is aware that some specialists cadre were not made due to the vehement opposition of present Secretary ?
- (b) If so, why the specialists cadre are not to be created ?
- (c) What are the total number of specialists at present with such degree as M.R.C.P.M., M.D.M.S., F.R.C.S. M.R.C.O.C. etc. ?

(Please give the figure, degree wise showing the post held by each).

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister Health, replied :

164. (a)—No.

(b)—Does not arise.

(c)—A statement is placed at the Table of the House.

Re: Future prospects of the employee of Anchalik Panchayat

Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

165. মাননীয় পঞ্চায়ত বিভাগীয় মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে জনাবেন ?

(ক) আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়তৰ কৰ্মচাৰী সকলৰ ভবিষ্যনিধিৰ ব্যৱস্থা আছেনে ?

(খ) যদি আছে, কি ভিত্তিত ভবিষ্যনিধি(Provident Fund) দিছে ?

(গ) যদি নাই, এই বিষয়ে চৰকাৰে আঁচনি লবনে ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State,  
Community Development and Panchayat) replied :

★165. (a) and (d)—Government have issued instructions to all Anchalk Panchayats in October, 1965 to allow the Panchayat Employees to open Contributory Provident Fund account in the Postal Savings Bank, pending finalisation of rules in this behalf under Section 32 and 161 (h) of the Assam Panchayat Act, 1959. The Anchalik Panchayats, have been allowed to make ad-hoc provision to contribute at 6 percent of the basic salary of the employee or an equal amount as the date the contributed by the employee whichever is less from scchia opened.

(c) Dose not arise.

(ক) আৰু (খ)—১৯৫৯ চনৰ অসম পঞ্চায়ত আইনৰ ৩২ আৰু ১৬১ (এইচ) অনুচ্ছেদ অনুসৰি নিয়মাবলী চূড়ান্ত হৈ নুঠালৈকে পঞ্চায়তৰ কৰ্মচাৰী সকলক ডাকঘৰৰ সঞ্চয় অধিকোষত বৰঙণিমূলক ভবিষ্যনিধি খুলিবলৈ অনুমতি দিবৰ কাৰণে আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়ত বিলাকলৈ ১৯৬৫ চনৰ অক্টোবৰ মাহতে চৰকাৰে নিৰ্দেশ দিছে, এনে ভবিষ্যনিধি খোলাৰ দিনৰে পৰা কৰ্মচাৰী জনৰ মূল দৰমাহৰ ওপৰত শতকৰা ৬ টকা বা তেওঁ সঞ্চয় কৰা টকাৰ সমান টকা এই দুটাৰ ভিতৰত যিটো কম হয়,

সেই পৰিমাণ টকা বৰহুনি দিবৰ কাৰণে সাময়িক ব্যয় কৰিবলৈ আঞ্চলিক  
পঞ্চায়তক কোৱা হৈছে।

(গ) এই কথা নুঠ।

Re. Controlled price for M. Oil per quintals

Shri DURGESWAR SAIKIA asked :

\*166. Will the Minister, Supply be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the controlled price of M. Oil per quintal ?
- (b) Whether Government is aware of the market price of M. Oil per quintal ?
- (c) What is the present stock of M. Oil of the State ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH (Minister, Supply) replied :

166. (a)—M. Oil is not a controlled commodity.

(b)—Yes. A statement showing price of M. Oil per Quintal in the District Head Quarters from January to October 1961 is placed on each Member's Table.

(c)—The present stock of M. Oil on Government Account is 3,700 Quintals. A Statement showing stocks at different centres is placed on each member's table.

Re : Scholarship Bond

Shri NARENDRA NATH SARMA asked :

\*167. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that all scholars on Government Service before going abroad for higher studies are to sign a bond ?
- (b) Whether Government propose to lay a copy of such a bond on the table of the House ?
- (c) Whether Government have so far been able to give pay protection, etc., to such scholars on return after completion of the course of studies for which they were sent ?

- (d) If not, in how many cases Government could not fulfil their obligation and why ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALL (State Minister of Education) replied :

167. (a)—Yes.

(b)—A copy of the bond is laid on the Table of the House.

(c)—All scholars who are employees of Government are given extraordinary leave which will not effect their usual increment, etc., and their pay is protected always.

(d)—Does not arise.

Re : Name of the villages of Nalbari Subdivision affected by 1967 floods.

Shri PRABHAT NARAYAN CHOUDHURY asked :

★168. Will the Minister of Revenue pleased to state—

(a) The names of the villages of Nalbari Subdivision affected by 1967 floods ?

(b) What are the relief measures extended so far ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister of Revenue) replied :

168.—(a) A statement showing the names of villages of Nalbari Subdivision affected by 1967 floods is placed on the Table of the House.

(b)—Rice and Atta were supplied to the affected people estimated to be Rs.5,000 Rehabilitation Grant of Rs 4,600.00 has so far been disbursed to the people whose houses were damaged. Seed Loan in the form of Sali seedlings have been given to the deserving cultivators through Agriculture Department and Development Blocks, estimated to be Rs.1,00,000.

Re : Paddy procured by way of "Mustibhikhsha"

Shri GIASUDDIN AHMED asked.

\*169. Will the Minister, Supply be pleased to state—

(a) The total quantity of paddy procured last year by way of "Mustibhikhsha" through V.D.P. and Police.

- (b) Whether any receipt was granted to the 'donor'/seller at the time of receiving the 'Mustibiksha'?
- (c) What measures were taken for supervision of the procurement drive and for maintainance of proper account?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BARDOAI, (Minister Supply), replied :

169. (a)—A quantity of 26,600 quintals paddy was procured by V.D.P. last year.

(b) —Yes.

(c) —Copies of Memo No. C.81/66/28 dated 3rd September 1966 and Memo No C.86/66/29 dated 3rd September 1966 are placed on the Table of the House.

Re : Enquiry report against the Co-operative of Sengkuri Garden.

Shri TAZAMMUL ALI LASKAR asked :

170. মাননীয় সমবায় বিভাগের মন্ত্রী মহোদয় অনুগ্রহ পূর্বক জানাইবেন কি ?

(ক) বিত্তীয় বাজেট অধিবেশনে চেংকুড়ী বাগানের কোপারেটিভ ইত্যাদি সম্বন্ধে তদন্ত করিয়া রিপোর্ট দেওয়ার প্রতিশ্রুতি আপনি দিয়াছিলেন, রিপোর্টের ফলাফল কি ?

(খ) ইহা সত্য কিনা যে গত ১৩শে ও ১৪শে আগষ্ট, মন্ত্রী মহোদয় যখন উক্ত কোপারেটিভের ব্যাপারে তদন্তের জন্য শিলচর গিয়াছিলেন তখন উক্ত কোপারেটিভের প্রাক্তন সেক্রেটারী বা অন্যান্য কতৃপক্ষরা মন্ত্রী মহোদয়কে কাগজ পত্র সমজাইতে রাজী না হওয়ায় পুলিশের সাহায্য নিতে হইয়াছিল ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Co-operation) replied :

170. (ক) একটি নোট টেবিলের উপরে রাখা হইয়াছে।

(খ) হ্যাঁ,—মন্ত্রী মহোদয় শিলচর গিয়াছিলেন। ইহা সত্য নহে যে

পাঠন সম্পাদক মহোদয়কে কাগজ পত্ৰ দেখাইতে অস্বীকার  
কৰিয়াছিলেন এবং ইহাও সত্য নহে যে উল্লিখিত অস্বীকারের জন্য  
পুলিশের সাহায্য চাপৰা হইয়াছিলো।

Re : Gur Khansari Co-operative Societies

171. Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

- (১) টিংখাং সমষ্টিত কেইখন গুড় খানচাৰী সমবায় সমিতি আছে ?  
আৰু সেই সমবায় সমিতি বিলাকৰ নাম ?
- (২) এই সমিতি বিলাকে চৰকাৰৰ পৰা ঋণ, অনুদান আদি পাইছে  
নেকি ?
- (৩) যদি পাইছে, কিমান টকা দিয়া হৈছে ?
- (৪) এই সমিতি বিলাক চলি আছে নে ?
- (৫) সমিতিৰ সদস্য সকলৰ নাম জনাবনে ?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister,  
Sericulture and Weaving) replied :

171. (ক) টিং খাং সমষ্টিত গুড় খানচাৰী সমবায় সমিতি তিনিখন আছে।  
সেই সমবায় সমিতি কেইখনৰ নাম হ'ল, যথাক্রমে—
- (১) সাপকাইট গুড় খানচাৰী সমবায় সমিতি।
  - (২) টিংখাং গুড় খানচাৰী সমবায় সমিতি।
  - (৩) বগাদাত গুড় খানচাৰী সমবায় সমিতি।
- (খ) এই সমিতি বিলাকৰ ভিতৰত মাত্ৰ সাপকাইট সমিতিয়েহে  
খাদীবোৰ্ডৰ পৰা ঋণ পাইছে।
- (গ) সাপকাইট সমিতিক ৫,০০০ (পাঁচ হেজাৰ) টকা চলিত মূলধন  
(Working Capital) আৰু পুঞ্জীভব্য (Capital Expenditure)  
হিচাবে ঋণ দিয়া হয়। অনুদান দিয়া নাই।
- (ঘ) সাপকাইট সমিতি বৰ্তমান চলি আছে। যিহেতু বাকী দুখন সমি-  
তিলৈ কোনো ঋণ বা অনুদান আদি খাদী বোৰ্ডৰ পৰা দিয়া  
হোৱা নাই আৰু খাদী বোৰ্ডৰ লগত সেই সমিতি দুখনৰ কোনো

সম্বন্ধ ঘটি উঠা নাই সেইকাৰণে উক্ত সমিতি স্থপন চলি আছেনে নাই চৰকাৰে একো সঠিক খবৰ নেপায়।

- (৬) সাপকাইট সমিতিৰ সদস্য সকলৰ মুঠ সংখ্যা হ'ল ২৬ জন। সমিতিৰ সভাপতি জনৰ নাম হ'ল শ্ৰীশ্ৰীবেন্দু নাথ গুহ আৰু সম্পাদক জনৰ নাম শ্ৰীবিদ্যাকমল বৰগোহাটী।

সাপকাইট সমবায়ৰ কাৰ্যা নিৰ্বাহকৰ সদস্য সকলৰ নাম—

- (১) শ্ৰীদিলবাহাদুৰ ভেট্টী।
- (২) শ্ৰীৰাজকিশোৰ মিশ্ৰ।
- (৩) শ্ৰীবীৰ বাহাদুৰ লামা।
- (৪) শ্ৰীতেজ বাহাদুৰ নেৱাৰ।
- (৫) শ্ৰীনন্দ কুমাৰ সিংহ।

এই সমিতিৰ বাকী সাধাৰণ সদস্য আৰু অন্য কেইখন সমি-

তিৰ সদস্য সকলৰ নামৰ তালিকা খাদী বোৰ্ডৰ ৱেবছাইটত নাই।

Re : Loan for Sugar Plantation—

172. Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

- (ক) টিংখাং অঞ্চলৰ কিছুমান লোকৰ গুড় আৰু কুহিয়াৰ খেতি কৰিবৰ কাৰণে কুহিয়াৰ পেৰা মেচিন আৰু ঋণ দিয়া হৈছে নেকি?
- (খ) যদি দিয়া হৈছে, কিমান টকা আৰু কেইটা মেচিন দিয়া হৈছে?
- (গ) সেই লোক সকলৰ নাম কব নে?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA, (Minister, Sericulture and Weaving) replied :

172. (ক) টিংখাং অঞ্চলত খাদী বোৰ্ডৰ বাজগড়ত থকা গুড় উন্নয়ন কেন্দ্ৰৰ জৰিয়তে ৪৪ জন কুহিয়াৰ খেতিয়কক গুড় কৰিবৰ বাবে কুহিয়াৰ পেৰা শাল আৰু কেবাহী ঋণ হিচাবে দিয়া হৈছে। নগদ টকাৰ ঋণ সমবায়ৰ বাহিৰে অন্যক দিয়া হোৱা নাই। খেতি কৰিবৰ বাবে খাদী বোৰ্ডৰ তৰফৰ পৰা ঋণ আদি দিয়াৰ কোনো ব্যৱস্থা নাই।

(গ)—টিংখং অঞ্চলত মুঠ ১৮,০১০ (ওঠব-হেজাব দহ) টকা মূল্যৰ ৩৫ জন গৰুৱে টনা কুঠিয়াৰ পেৰা শালগ্ৰাক ১৭ খণ্ড গুড় পগোৱা কেবাহী ৰূণ আৰু অতুলান হিচাবে দিয়া হৈছে। নগদ টকাৰ ৰূণ সাপকাইট চচাইটিৰ বাহিৰে অন্য কাকো দিয়া হোৱা নাই।

(গ)—(১৯৫৭-৫৮)।

- ১। শ্ৰীসমেশ্বৰ ভূঞা,  
সাং ঘনাই বস্তি (নিগম), পোঃ আঃ  
নামকপ।
- ২। শ্ৰীজয়বাহাদুৰ ককি,  
সাং দীঘলীয়া, পোঃ আঃ টিংখং।
- ৩। শ্ৰীখৰ্গেশ্বৰ চেতীয়া,  
সাং বতনপুৰ, পোঃ আঃ টিংখং।
- ৪। শ্ৰীনমল চন্দ্ৰ শইকীয়া,  
সাং ফাটিংগিবৰ, পোঃ টিংখং।
- ৫। শ্ৰীকাৰ্ত্তিক চন্দ্ৰ গগৈ,  
সাং, টিং, খং  
পোঃ টিং, খং।
- ৬। শ্ৰীঅতুল চন্দ্ৰ বৰুৱা,  
সাং টিমৰ, সৰুপথাৰ,  
পোঃ কাকতিবড়ি।
- ৭। শ্ৰীযোগেন তালুকদাৰ,  
সাং ও পোঃ টিংখং।  
(১৯৫৮-৫৯)
- ৮। শ্ৰীমহেন্দ্ৰ নাথ গোস্বামী  
সাং বৰাযোগী  
পোঃ আঃ কুৰুকণী।

- ৯। শ্রীভিষ্মেশ্বর কোচ  
পোঃ ও সাং বাঘমাঝা ।
- ১০। শ্রীমহেন্দ্র গোস্বামী,  
সাং বরপুণ্ডীবাগা আইসএ  
পোঃ আঃ কুকটমা ।
- ১১। শ্রীএইচ বনমুনাগ,  
সাং বরকলী  
পোঃ আঃ টিং খং ।
- ১২। শ্রীসনেশ্বর ভূঞা,  
সাং ঘিনাই  
পোঃ আঃ নামগাপ ।
- ১৩। শ্রীভিষ্ম কোচ,  
সাং বরবিল গাও  
পোঃ আঃ ঔফুলীয়া ।
- ১৪। শ্রীবামো চৌধুরী,  
সাং উদাপর গাও  
পোঃ আঃ টিপলং ।
- ১৫। শ্রীভিষ্মেশ্বর কোচ,  
সাং বাঘমাঝা  
পোঃ আঃ টিংখং ।
- ১৬। শ্রীঅতুল চন্দ্র বৰুৱা,  
সাং টিনো সৰুপথাৰ  
পোঃ আঃ বৰবান ।
- (১০০৬)
- ১৭। শ্রীবাণা মাধব সিংহ,  
সাং সৰুতলী বাগ,  
পোঃ অঃ কেন্দুগুৰি ।

- ১৮। শ্রীমত্ৰাম নাথ,  
সাং টিঙ্গুয়া,  
পোঃ আঃ বাজগড়,  
(১২৬০ ৬১)
- ১৯। শ্রীদয়াকমল বগোদাই,  
সাং সাপকাইট,  
পোঃ অঃ টিংখং।
- ২০। শ্রীগোপাল চন্দ্র ভকতীয়া,  
সাং গানকণা নং-১,  
পোঃ আঃ বাজগড়।
- ২১। শ্রীখত্ৰা আবোদ্ধা,  
পোঃ আঃ বগাদাত।
- ২২। শ্রীজোনাবাম ভূঞা,  
সাং মৌ খোরা নং-৩০,  
পোঃ আঃ বাজগড়।
- ২৩। শ্রীধনেশ্বৰ কাকতি,  
সাং মৌখোরা নং-৩০,  
পোঃ আঃ বাজগড়।
- ২৪। শ্রীলক্ষ্মীধৰ বৰদলৈ,  
সাং লেবেলা পথাৰ,  
পোঃ আঃ বাজগড়।
- ২৫। শ্রীসুবেন্দ্র নাথ গুহ,  
সাং সাপেখাটি,  
পোঃ অঃ টিংখং।
- ২৬। শ্রীমানিক চন্দ্র বৰগোহাঁই,  
সাং সাপেখাটি,  
পোঃ আঃ টিংখং।

- ২৭। কীৰ্ত্তিনাথ দেউটি  
সাং দেউৰিগাও  
পোঃ আঃ কুকৰ্ণী ।
- ২৮। শ্ৰীপ্ৰমথৰ বৰা  
সাং ঔফুলীয়া  
পোঃ আঃ ঔফুলীয়া
- ২৯। শ্ৰীসুখদেৱ আগবৱালা  
পোঃ আঃ ঔফুলীয়া
- ৩০। শ্ৰীভগবাণ দেৱ আগবৱালা  
সাং দিকসোম টি, ই,  
পোঃ আঃ ঔফুলীয়া
- ৩১। শ্ৰীজীবেশ্বৰ ছুৱা  
সাং মৌখোৱা  
পোঃ আঃ বাজগড় ।
- ৩২। শ্ৰীকৃষ্ণবাহাদুৰ লিপু  
সাং ডিচসম কিনাব নং ৬  
পোঃ আঃ ঔফুলীয়া
- ৩৩। শ্ৰীধনকুমাৰ মুণ্ডা  
সাং থেকেবাঙটি গাওঁ নং ৬
- ৩৪। শ্ৰীডিম্বেশ্বৰ কোচ  
সাং বাঘমাৰা  
পোঃ আঃ বাজগড় ।
- ৩৫। শ্ৰীবামপদ ডেকা  
সাং কেঞাপথাৰ  
পোঃ আঃ কুকৰ্ণীয়া ।

- ৩৬। শ্রীধনবাহাদুর নেওৰ  
সাং : নেং বাহনী  
পোঃ আঃ টিং খং ।
- ৩৭। শ্রীসুবেন্দ নাথ গুহ  
সাং নিলমনি  
পোঃ আঃ টিং খং
- ৩৮। শ্রীভজবাহাদুর নেওৰ  
সাং সাপেকাইট  
পোঃ আঃ টিং খং
- ৩৯। শ্রীনবেন্দ নাথ বড়া,—  
সাং ককুবী.  
পোঃ আঃ ঔফুলীয়া চাৰিআলী  
(১৯৬৪-৬৫)
- ৪০। শ্রীনন্দলাল নেওৰ—  
সাং নেমা পথাৰ,  
পোঃ আঃ ঔফুলীয়া চাৰিআলী ।
- ৪১। শ্রীশ্রীপ্রসাদ বয়,  
সাং গড়াচিঙা,  
পোঃ আঃ কুৰুকণী ।  
(১৯৬৫-৬৬)
- ৪২। শ্রীমেমল চন্দ্র গয়ে,—  
সাং বামনগৰ মিৰিগাওঁ,  
পোঃ আঃ কুৰুকণী ।
- ৪৩। শ্রীঅকিল সিংহ,—  
সাং সবতলী বাম,  
পোঃ আঃ কেন্দুগুৰি :  
(১৯৬৬-৬৭)

৪৪। শ্রীহর্গী প্রসাদ বড়া—

সাং কেএল পথৰ,  
পোঃ আঃ কুৰুকনী

Re : Recognition of Assam State Transport Workers' Union

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*173. Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Government is aware that Assam State Transport Workers' Union has made several representation for grantin grecognition to the Union ?

(b) If so, the result thereof ?

(c) When the said Union was established ?

(d) Whether the Union has been registered in pursuance with the provision of Trade Union Act ?

(e) If so, when it was registered ?

\*174. (a) Whether Government is aware that the Assam State Transport Workers' Union has fulfilled all the conditions as set for in the recognition rules ?

(b) If so, whether the Union is granted recognition ?

(c) If not, why ?

(d) Whether it is a fact that the State Labour Commissioner has already recommended to the State Transport Authority forawarding recognition to the above Union ?

(e) If so when it was recommended ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State, Transport) replied :

173. (a)—Yes.

(b)—The matter has been under the examination of the Assam State Evaluation and Implementation Committee.

(c)—20th December 1963.

(d)—Yes.

(e)—23rd January 1964.

174. (a)—This is under examination of the State Evaluation and Implementation Committee.

(b)&(c)—Do not arise in view of reply at (a) above.

(d)—No.

(e)—Does not arise.

Re : Barpeta Road Centre

Md. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

175. Will the Minister, Co-operation be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Barpeta Road Centre of Corporation shows a consecutive loss since 1964-66 due to non-availability of a full fledged officer there ?

(b) Whether proposes to investigate the reason for loss of the Barpeta Road Centre ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Co-operation) replied :

175. (a)—Yes the Barpeta Road Centre showed loss during 1964-65 and 1965-66. But the loss was not due to non-availability of a full-fledged officers, but due to non-availability of a sufficient custom.

(b)—No. The Executive Committee and the Board of Directors of the Corporation, which is an autonomous body review the position of each Warehousing Centre from time to time.

Re : Number of Officers and the District Judge Cadre, Munsiff Cadre and Assistant Session Judge Cadre

Shri BHADRAKANTA GOGOI asked :

\*176. Will the Minister, Law be pleased to state—

(a) How many officers of the District Judge Cadre are there in the State ?

(b) Who are they and where posted ?

(c) Their caste and religion with names ?

\*177. (a) How many officers of the Munsif Cadre are there in State ?

(b) Who are they and where posted ?

(c) Their caste and religion with names ?

\*178. (a) How many officers of the Assistant Session Judges Cadre are there in the State ?

(b) Who are they and where posted ?

(c) Their caste and religion with names ?

Shri ABDUL MATLIB MAZUMDR (Minister, Law) replied :

176. (a)—  
(b)—  
(c)—

177. (a)—  
(b)—  
(c)—

178. (a)—  
(b)—  
(c)—

Necessary information is furnished as per Statement placed on the Table of the House.

Re : Nalbari Civil Subdivision

Shri PRABHAT NARAYAN CHOUDHURY asked :

179. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that the Nalbari Civil Subdivision was created with effect from April 1967 ?
- (b) Whether Government will please lay on the table a list showing—
  - (i) The appointment of staff in different branches of the new S.D.O. Office at Nalbari with dates of posting of each category of staff.
  - (ii) Dates of transferring the relevant Files and Records of Revenue including Tauzi Judicial, Land Acquisition, Excise concerning Nalbari Subdivision to the S.D.O. Office.
- (c) Whether it is a fact that due to delay in taking definite measures in these regards the public of Nalbari are, suffering ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied:

179. (a)—Yes.

(b)—A list is placed in the Table of the House.

(c)—Delay certainly has inconvenienced the public.

Re: Grants to the religious Instructions

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked:

১৮০। মাননীয় বিত্ত মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে—

ক) বাজতুৱা নামঘৰ, মচজিদ, গীৰ্জা, আদিত অসমত বছৰী কিমান টকা সাহাৰ্য্য দিয়া হয়।

- খ) যোরা বছরত গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ কিমান নামবা কিমান মজিদ, গিৰ্জাত এনে সাহায্য দিয়া হৈছে ?
- গ) এই বিলাকৰ ভিতৰত গোলাঘাট সমগ্ৰীৰ কোন কোন নামবা, মজিদ, গিৰ্জাত দিয়া হৈছে ?

Shri KAMARHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI, (Minister, Finance) replied.

180 (ক) ভাৰতচৰকাৰৰ পুৰণি নতুন মন্দিৰ সঞ্চালক বিভাগৰ উত্তৰত মনবা পুৰণি মন্দিৰ আৰু নতুন মেৰামতি কাৰণ ১৯৫১-৫২ চনত ৫০ (পঞ্চাশ) হাজাৰ টকা ব্যয় হৈছিল। এই অনুদান ১৯৫৬-৫৭ৰ পৰা ১৯৬৩-৬৪ চনলৈ বছৰি এক লাখ টকা আৰু ১৯৬৪-৬৫ৰ পৰা এক লাখ বিশ হেজাৰলৈ বৃদ্ধি কৰা হৈছিল। ইয়াৰ ওপৰি ১৯৫৬-৫৭ৰ পৰা ১৯৬৩-৬৪ লৈ ত্ৰিশ হেজাৰ টকাৰ অনুদান ভাৰত লগত পুৰণি কৃষ্টি চিহ্ন (monument) পৰিপোষণৰ কাৰণে আছিল। তেতিয়াৰে পৰা ইয়াক বিশ হেজাৰলৈ কমোৱা হৈছে। ১৯৫৬-৫৭ৰ পৰা বোবিধ অনুদান নামবা, মজিদ, গিৰ্জা আদিত দিয়া হৈছিল।

(খ) আৰু (গ) ১৯৬৬-৬৭ চনত গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ ১৪ (চব্বিশ) টা অনুষ্ঠানক মুঠ ৫২০০ (পাঁচ হেজাৰ চব্বিশ) টকা দিয়া হৈছিল ইয়াৰ এখন নাগৰ্য্য প্ৰাপ্তা প্ৰাৰ্থীৰ তালিকা বিধান সভাৰ মেজত থোৱা হৈল। অনুদান বিহীন আৰু মেৰ তালিকা বিধান সভাৰ সমগ্ৰী অনুসায়ী মহা মহকুমা অনুসায়ী কৰা হৈছিল।

Re: Behaviour of Medical Secretary

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked:

\*281. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the Government is aware that Assistants and Deputies including some senior most I.A.S. Officers are tired with the behaviour of present Medical Secretary ?

- (b) If so, what is the reason of such mass resentment against one high Officer of the I.A.S. Cadre ?
- (c) How many Assistant Superintendents, etc. have left the Health Department or had gone on long leave during the year commencing from April 1967 ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

\*181. (a)—No.

(b)—Dose not arise.

(c)—A list showing the Officers who went on leave during the year commencing from April 1967 is placed on the Table of the House.

Re : An employee of Batadrava Anchalik panchayat

SHAMSUL HUDA asked:

182. Will the Minister in-charge of Panchayat and C.D. be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that the Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat had an L.D.A named Shri Abdul Hoque ?

b) Who was his appointing authority and what were his service conditions ?

(c) Whether it is a fact that this Mr. Abdul Hoque was discharged by the Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat ?

(d) What was the date of his discharge ?

(e) What were the grounds of his discharge ?

- (f) Whether it is a fact that his discharge was on the ground of personal difference with his Anchalik Panchayat President ?
- (g) Whether the aggrieved person lodged any appeal with the Government ?
- (h) Whether his appeal has been duly considered ?
- (i) whether the Government is considering to re-instate Shri Abdul Hoque ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and C.D) replied :

\*182. (a)—Shri Abdul Haque was an U.D. Assistant.

(b)—In October 1959 he was appointed as Rural Panchayat Secretary by Deputy Commissioner Nowgong in a temporary capacity subject to discharge without notice. After abolition of the post of Rural Panchayat Secretary, Shri Haque was appointed by Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong as U.D. Assistant, Laokhowa Ad-hoc Anchalik Panchayat in February 1960. In December 1960 he was transferred by Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong to Jungijan Anchalik Panchayat in the same capacity and in June 1961 he was transferred to Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat.

(e)—yes on abolition of the post.

(d)—19th December 1963.

(e), (f), (g) & (h)—Shri Abdul Haque has filed a writ petition in July 1961 under Article 226 of the Constitution before the Hon'ble High Court challenging the validity of the order of discharge,

etc. Reply to (e), (f), (g) and (h) may not be for asked at this stage.

(i) and (j)—Does not arise. The matter is subjudice.

Re: Scheme of revision of District Gazetteers

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked:

\*183. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

(a) When the Scheme of District Gazetteers was started in Assam ?

(b) What are the Schemes and when these are likely to be completed ?

Shri JOY BHADRA HAGJER ( Minister Education) replied:

\*183. (a)—In 1958.

(b)—Besides Revision of District Gazetteers, there are two other schemes sponsored by Government of India, viz "Who's Who of Freedom Fighters in Assam" and "History of Freedom Movement in Assam." The date fixed for completion is 31st March 1968.

Re : Total Number of District Compilers

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*184 Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

(a) What is the present total number of District Compilers and Compilers working in the Gazetteers Department ?

(b) What is the qualification required for the post of Compilers ?

- (c) Whether they have been appointed through Assam Public Service Commission ?
- (d) If so, how many were appointed through Assam Public Service Commission ?

Shri JOY BHADRA HAGJER ( Minister, Education )  
replied :

184. (a)—6 (six) and 2 (two) respectively.
- (b)—2nd Class Master Degree in History, Economics or in Political Science.
- (c)—Yes.
- (d)—Does not arise in view of reply at (e) above.

Re : Lottery Trade in the State

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*185. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that lottery trade of any type, specially originated in the State is stopped in the State ?
- (b) If so, why lottery like Barabati of Orissa and other of the type from different States are allowed to function in the State ?
- (c) Whether they are proposed to ban in the State ?
- (d) If so, when ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

185. (a)—Yes. The policy followed by the State Government so far is not to encourage lotteries of any kind on the basis of an understanding arrived at between the Union Home Minister and Chief Ministers. But that understanding has not been honoured by some of the States, The State Government is in correspondence with the Government of India on the subject.

(b) (c) and (d)—In this connection attention is invited to the reply to unstarred question No. 69 given in the Assembly on 30th September 1964. The legal position has been once again examined and it has been found that the existing legal provisions are inadequate to take any action against sale of tickets in the State lotteries authorised by other State Governments. The matter is now under examination in consultation with the Government of India.

Re : Total number of Police Station in the State

Shri SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

★186. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the total number of Police Stations in the State of Assam ?
- (b) Whether the Government has any Scheme of equipping all of them with telephonic connections and arrangement for providing with vehicles for quick disposal of work ?
- (c) If so, when Government will start implementing the scheme ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied .

186. (a)—One hundred thirty-seven including 12 G.R.P. Stations.

(b) and (c)—There are telephone connections in 93 Police Stations.

Or want of exchange facility it has not been possible to provide the remaining stations with telephones. As regards vehicles—Due to financial stringency it has not been possible to provide the Police Stations with vehicles but the Police Vehicle allotted to the District Executive Force Headquarter under the S.P. are, as and when possible, utilised for Thana works: A proposal for providing vehicle to some Thanas at least is under consideration.

Re : Vacant Post of Assistant Editor for Gazetteers

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUAH asked :

★187. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether the post of an Assistant Editor for Gazetteer through sanctioned long ago, still kept vacant ?
- (b) If so, why the post is kept vacant ?
- (c) Whether experienced and Senior most compiler is entitled to promotion to the post of Assistant Editor ?
- (d) If so, why any Compiler was not promoted to this post so long ?

Shri JOY BHADRA HAGJER (Minister, Education) replied :

\*187. (a)—No such post has been sanctioned.

(b), (c) and (d)—Does not arise.

Re : Editing of Gazette

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*188. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that the work of the editing of the Gazette is placed in charge of a part time Editor ?
- (b) Whether the Government is aware that the present Editor has expressed his unwillingness to continue to function as Editor ?
- (c) Whether any new appointment to the post of Editor is proposed to make ?
- (d) If so, when ?

Shri JOY BHADRA HAGJER (Minister, Education) replied .

188. (a)—Yes.

(d)—No.

(c)—Does not arise.

(d)—Does not arise.

Re : Wind-up of District Gazetteers Office

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*189. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Education Department proposing to wind-up the District Gazetteers Office by the end of February 1968 ?

(b) If so, what arrangement has since been made for the absorbing the employees elsewhere ?

Shri JOY BHADRA HAGJER ( Minister, Education, ) replied :

189. (a)—The target date is 31st March 1968.

(b)—The question is under the examination of the Government.

Re : Conversion of temporary posts of Gazetteers to permanent

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*190. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

(a) Whether any provision is proposed to be introduced for the conversion of temporary posts of Gazetteers to permanent ?

(b) If so, what are the provisions ?

Shri JOY BHADRA HAGJER ( Minister, Education ) replied :

190. (a)—No.

(b)—Does not arise.

Re : Accommodation for Prisoners

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*191. Will the Minister in charge of Jails be please to state—

(a) What is the required floor are of accommodation for each prisoner ?

(b) What is the total floor area of accommodation for prisoners in the Nowgong District Jail ?

(c) What was the average monthly population of prisoners (including convicts, lunatics under trial prisoners and detenues) in the Nowgong District Jail during the last 12 months upto 31st December 1966 ?

(d) Whether the Government has any scheme in hand to expand the floor area of accommodation in this Jail for the prisoners ?

(e) If so, when it will be implemented ?

(f) If not, why ?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA, (Minister, Jails) replied :

191. (a)—36 sq. ft.

(b)—10, 908 sq.ft. for 203 prisoners.

(c)—The average figure is 465 prisoners (including convicts, lunatics, under trial prisoners and detenues) during the last 12 months upto 31st December 1966.

(d), (e) and (f)—There is already a proposal for arranging morspace in the Nowgong District Jail. Necessary fund was provided in current year's budget and Public Works Department is taking necessary action.

Re : Bedding and clothing of inmates of the Jails

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

- ★192. (a) Whether the inmates of the Jails are provided with beddings and clothings ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that they are not provided with mosquito-nets ?
- (c) Whether the Government will amend the Jail Manual to provide all inmates of the Jails with mosquito-nets ?
- (d) If so, when ?
- (e) If not, why ?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA, Minister, Jails replied :

192. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Yes. But the security prisoners are provided with mosquito-nets as admissible under rules governing them.

(c), (d) & (e)—There is no proposal at present with Government to amend the Jail Manual in this regard. Although no such nets are provided regular anti Malaria measures are taken by spraying D.D.T etc, both by the Jail as well as local anti-Malaria staff.

Re : Daily quota of ration for an inmate of the Jail

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

- ★193. (a) What is the quota of daily ration for an inmate of the Jails ?
- (b) What are the weekly items of this rations ?
- (c) What are the respective quantities of meat and fish for each inmate in a week ?
- (d) Whether the Government is aware that the quota of ration is not issued to the extent fullest to the inmates ?
- (e) If so, what step the Government propose to take in this regard ?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister, Jail) replied :

193. (a)—Information is placed on the Table of the House.

(b) and (c)—Apart from the daily diet scale fish or meat is issued to the prisoners twice a week at the rate of 60 grams per head day i.e., 120 grams per week.

(d) and (e)—Ration is issued to the inmates of the Jail as provided in the Jail Manual.

Re : Factories in the Nowgong Jails

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

- \*194. (a) Whether it is a fact that there are some factories in both the Jails in Nowgong ?
- (b) What are those factories ?
- (c) Whether the Government is aware that these factories have been idle ?
- (d) For how long they have been idle ?
- (e) Why they have been idle ?
- (f) Whether the Government is aware ~~the~~ factories have been facing want of labour also ?
- (g) Whether the Government is aware ~~that~~ every day a number of convict are engaged in the quarters of the Jail Officers ?
- (h) If so, whether it is allowed under rules ?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister, Jails) replied :

194. (a)—There is workshed in the Nowgong District Jail only.

(b)—There are bamboo and cane industry and Ambar Charkha spinning only at the District Jail. There is no industry now at the Special Jail, Nowgong.

(c) Industry in Special Jail, Nowgong stopped for want of accommodation and labour since 1965. Bamboo and cane Industry in the District Jail stopped since April 1967 till October 1967 for want of raw materials which was due to change in procedure of purchase as well as for small number of Convicts available.

Ambar spinning industry is functioning satisfactorily.

(d)—Industry in the District Jail, Nowgong stopped for last 6 months only

(e)—For want of labour (convict) and raw materials.

(i)—Yes.

(g) & (h)—Yes, as admissible under Rule 425 of the A.J.M. Vol.I.

Re : Per Capita income and wage of the Convicts of the State

M SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

195. (a) What have been the per capita income and wage of the convicts last year in the State of Assam ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that Government has been planning to enhance both ?
- (c) If so, what is the plan ?
- (d) If not, why ?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister, Jails) replied :

195. (a)--Per Capita income is Rs.276.17p. and wage of convicts Rs. 44.97 p. last year in the State of Assam.
- (b)---There is no such scheme.
- (c)—Does not arise.
- ( )—Does not arise.

Re: Pro motion of Officers of the Development Department

Shri J H .DRISWAR GOGOI asked :

১৯৬. মাননীয় পঞ্চায়ত বিভাগৰ মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে জনাব নে ?

- (ক) বিভিন্ন বিভাগৰ সম্প্রদায় বিষয়া সকলক গাওঁ উন্নয়ন বিষয়ালৈ প্ৰমোচন দিয়াৰ কিবা ব্যৱস্থা কৰিছেনে ?
- (খ) যদি কৰিছে এতিয়ালৈকে কোন বিভাগৰ কেইজন বিষয়াক প্ৰমোচন দিছে ?
- (গ) আৰু এতিয়ালৈকে কিমানজনক প্ৰমোচন দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা হ'ব ধৰিছে ?

(ব) এই সম্প্রদায় বিহীন সকলক কি ভিত্তি প্রদান দিয়া হব ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and Community Development) replied :

196. (a)—Officers of the different Development Departments are appointed temporarily and until further order. Block Development Officers with their grade pay plus a special pay of Rs.50. per month.

(b)—The break up is shown below:—

From Agriculture Department	...	...	10
From Panchayat Department	...	...	10
From Ex-Rural Development Department...	...	...	12
From Education Department	...	...	5
From Co-operation Department..	...	...	4
From Veterinary Department	...	...	1
From Industries Department	...	...	2

c)—Government Decision is that 80 per cent of the posts of Block Development Officers are to be filled up by A.C.S. II Officers and the remaining 20 per cent are to be selected from different Development Departments.

d)—Selection is made after consideration of the recommendations of the different Heads of Development Departments.

Rs : Land Settlement on Kabula Petition

Shri AZIZUR RAHMAN CHAUDHURY asked :

১৯৭. মাননীয় মৃখ্যমন্ত্রী ডাঙবীয়াই জনাব নে—

(ক) অসমত মাটিহীন খেতিয়কে মাটি লবলৈ হলে কবুলিয়ত নামাত দৰখাস্ত কৰিব লাগে, উক্ত দৰখাস্তকাৰীয়ে প্রকৃততে ভাৰতীয় নাগৰিক

হয়নে নহয় পুলিচৰ দ্বাৰা প্ৰমাণ কৰিব দিয়া হয় নে ?

- খ) যদি হয়, এই নিয়ম প্ৰচলন হোৱাৰ দিনৰ পৰা আজিলৈ বৰপেটা মহকুমাৰ তাৰাবাৰি থানাৰ পুলিচৰ দ্বাৰা কিমানখন কবুলিয়ত দৰ্খাস্ত তদন্ত কৰিব দিয়া হৈছে ?
- গ) সেই কবুলিয়ত দৰ্খাস্তৰ ভিতৰত কিমানখন কবুলিয়ত তাৰাবাৰি থানাৰ পুলিছে তদন্ত কৰি ফিৰং দিছে ?
- ঘ) এনেকুৱা তদন্ত কৰাৰ সময়ত কোনোবা অ-ভাৰতীয় লোক ধৰা পৰিছেনে ?
- (ঙ) যদি পৰিছে, কিমান জন ?
- (চ) যিবোৰ কবুলিয়ত আজিলৈ থানাত পৰি আছে তাক চৰকাৰে কিবা তদন্ত কৰাৰ কথা ভাবিছেনে ?
- (ছ) যদি ভাবিছে কেতিয়া ?
- (জ) যদি ভাবিছে তেন্তে সেই ব্যৱস্থা অবহেলিত কবুলিয়ত ১৫ দিনৰ বেছি যেন পৰি নাথাকে তাৰ কিবা ব্যৱস্থা কৰিছেনে ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY Minister,  
Revenue replied :

১৯৭. ক)—ভাৰতীয় নাগৰিকত্ব সন্থাকে সন্দেহ থাকিলে পুলিচৰ দ্বাৰা সেই বিষয় তদন্ত কৰোৱা হয় ।

(খ)—১০৬৩ খন ।

(গ)—৩৯০ খন ।

(ঘ) আৰু (ঙ)—এতিয়ালৈ অ-ভাৰতীয় লোক ধৰা পৰা নাই । তদন্তৰ কাম চলি আছে ।

(চ), (ছ) আৰু (জ)—তদন্তৰ কাম চলিয়েই আছে । যিমান সোনকালে পৰা যায় সিমান সোনকালে তদন্ত কৰি ফিৰং দিয়াৰ কাৰণে পুলিচক নিৰ্দ্দেশ দিয়া হৈছে । ১৫ দিনৰ ভিতৰত শেষ কৰিব পৰা প্ৰতি ক্ষেত্ৰতে সম্ভৱ নহয় ।

Re: Holidays for the employees of State Ware housing Corporation

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*198. Will the Minister, Co-operation be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the holidays declared by the Government of Assam, are not allowed to the employees of Assam State Ware-housing Corporation by the Managing Director ?

(b) If so, why and what kind of holidays are granted to its employees ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI, (Minister, Co-operation) replied :

198. (a) & (b)—No. The Assam State Ware-housing Corporation observe the Bank holidays declared by the Government under Sec. 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.

Re ; Co-operative Societies in Tipling Mouza

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked :

199. Will the Minister, Co-operation be pleased to state—

a) How many Co-operative Societies have been formed at Tipling Mouza in Dibrugarh Subdivision by Shri Tankeswar Baruah at Jaloni Grant ?

b) What are the names and titles of these societies ?

c) Who are the Chairman and Secretaries of these Societies ?

d) What are the purpose of these societies ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI Minister, Co-operation replied:

199. a) — Three Co-operative societies were formed at Tipling Mouza in Dibrugarh Subdivision at Jalon Grant under the guidance of Shri Tarkeswar Baruah.

b) — The names and titles of these societies are as follows:

- i — Udaipur Krishipam samabay Samity Ltd.
- ii) — Madhupur Fishery Co-op. Society Ltd.
- iii) — Madhupur Primary Marketing Co-op. Societies Ltd.

c) — The names of the Chairman and Secretaries of these societies are the following :—

i) — Udaipur Krishipam Samabay Samity Ltd.

Chairman—shri Geadadhar Thakur.

secy—shri Bangshidhar Saikia.

ii) — Madhupur Fishery Co-op. society Ltd.

Chairman—shri Golok Ch. Baruah.

secretary—shri Dulal Ch. Roy Baruah.

d) — The purpose of these societies are below—

The object and purposes of society No. 1, viz. Udaipur Krishipam samabay samity Ltd, are mainly to develop agriculture by improve method and mechanised cultivation (The society is a Collective Farming society). The purpose of the society No. 2, viz. the Madhupur Fishery Co-op. Society Ltd. are fishery and pisciculture by improve method and also to help and assist the members by way of technical advice, by providing finance and by disposing of the fish in a profitable manner. The purpose of the society No. 3 viz. Madhupur Primary Marketing Co-op. society. Ltd. are to arrange for disposing of the crops of members to the best advantage, to advance loan

to members on security of their produce, to arrange for storage facilities of members produce to process raw materials produced by the members and those purchased by the society to encourage thrift, self-help amongst the members and to act as agent of Primary Credit societies for recovery of production loans given by them by their members.

Re: Function of the Managing Director, State Warehousing Corporation.

M. SAMSUL HUDA asked :

200. Will the Minister of Co-operation be pleased to state

- a) Whether Government is aware that in different states in India functions of the Managing Director, state Ware-Housing Corporation is performed by experienced officers drawn from the I.A.S. Cadre ?
- (b) If so, why an exception has been made in Assam for appointment of the present Managing Director who has no administrative experience ?
- (c) Whether it is a fact that the Assam Co-operative Apex Bank Ltd. found the same banking Officer unsuitable for the post of Managing Director ?
- (d) What were the considerations for choosing the present Managing Director, Assam State Warehousing Corporation in preference to an experienced Officer drawn from the I.A.S. Cadre.

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOWSAMI, (Minister, Co-operation) replied :

200. a) The selection for the post is made on the basis of suitability and availability of officers. While in certain States the post is held by officers drawn from the I.A.T. Cadre, in several other States this is being held by officers drawn from other Departments.

(b)—Goes not arise in view of reply to (a) above.

(c)—No.

(d)—He was chosen in view of his experience in the banking line and as no suitable I.A.S. Officer was available at that time.

Re: Resignation of some employees of Assam State Ware Housing Corporation

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

★201. Will the Minister of Co-operation be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that due to misbehaviour and ill-treatment of the managing Director Assam State Ware Housing Corporation a large number of employees had been compelled to resign from service ?

(b) If so; their names stating the period of service rendered, with date of resignation and causes of resignation since 1965 to date ?

(c) How many, employees of the corporation have been discharged by the said Managing Director since 1965 ?

(d) Their names mentioning period of service rendered by each and the reasons for such discharge since 1965 ?

(e) Whether it is a fact that all the employees of the Head Office in a deputation brought certain serious complaints against the Managing Director to the notice of Chairman

for redress ?

- (f) If so, what are grievances of the employees and what steps have since been taken to redress their grievances ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Co-operation) replied.

201. (a)—No.

- (b)—Since the inception of the Assam Ware Housing corporation some of the employees have resigned due to various reasons and mostly due to getting of alternative appointments with better prospects. A Statement giving their particulars will be furnished to the Hon'able Member.

- (c) & (d)—The employees whose services are not required, could be discharged under the rules of the Corporation after giving due notice. A statement giving particulars of such employees will be furnished to the Hon'ble Member.

- (e) and (f)—Some employees of the Corporation met the Chairman on 30th August in deputation. They complained of ill-treatment and of having been compelled to work till late hours. The Chairman explained to them that their representation was too general and necessary action could only be taken on receipt of specific complaints with concrete instances.

Re., P.W.D. road, Dhalakachari Gaon

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked.

২০২. মাননীয় গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ মন্ত্রী মহোদয় অনুগ্রহ কৰি

জনাব নে—

- (ক) গোলাঘাট মহকুমাৰ মৰঙ্গি-চাৰিআলিৰ পৰা তেলিয়া গাওঁৰ মাজেদি ধলাকছাৰী গাওঁলৈ যোৱা গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ আলিটো কিয় সম্পূৰ্ণকৈ কৰা হোৱা নাই ?

- (খ) আলিটো গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগে লোৱা কিমান বছৰ হ'ল ?

(গ) আলিটো কেতিয়া সম্পূৰ্ণ হ'ব ?

(ঘ) আলিটো এতিয়ালৈকে সম্পূৰ্ণ নকৰাৰ কাৰণ কি ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [ Minister P.W.D. R&B ] replied.

202. a)—The road could not be completed due to nonconstruction of a bridge as per original estimate due to change of the water course of the stream by flood which requires redesigning of the bridge and revision of the estimate.

b)—Four years.

c)—The road is expected to be completed within a year's time after revised administrative approval is accorded and funds made available.

d)—As in (a) above.

Re . Unauthorised plying of Private Cars as Taxi

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*203. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

a) Whether the Government is aware that the number of private cars have rapidly been increasing illegally for carrying fare paying passengers freely without any check in the whole State of Assam ?

b) If so, what action has since been taken to arrest this irregular system ?

c) Whether the Government is aware that such private cars serve the purpose of a Taxi easily while the authorised one do not get permission for leaving the District for not having authorised pass ?

(d) If so what action is proposed to be taken to remove this difficulties ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY Minister of State for Transport) replied :

★203. (a)—It has been brought to Government's notice that some private cars are unauthorisedly plying as Taxis.

(b)—Apart from the Departmental check, the Government is taking certain measure to ensure that such illegal plying is stopped.

(c)—Yes, a private car can be plied within the State without any restriction whereas a local Taxi can be plied within a region or area in respect of which a permit has been granted by the R.T.A. Such local Taxis can also be plied temporarily in other regions with the concurrence of the R.T.As of those regions.

(d)—Does not arise.

Re : Issue of Fitness Certificate in respect of Motor Vehicles

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

★204 Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the District Transport Officer is competent to issue a Fitness Certificate in respect of motor vehicles ?

(b) Whether the Government is aware that the District Transport Officer, Dhubri has issued many such Fitness Certificates to the buses at Dhubri in contravention of the Motor Vehicles Act and Rules ?

(c) Whether the Government is aware that the District Transport Officer, Dhubri, by his order No. DTG/67/926, dated 26th February 1967 issued a Fitness Certificate to Bus No. ASG.982 ?

(d) If so, what action Government propose to take for illegal issue of fitness certificate ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State Transport) replied :

204 (a)—No.

(b)—The District Transport Officer, Dhubri issued provisional fitness certificates for a period of 15 days or till Motor Vehicle Inspector's inspection, whichever was earlier in respect of four buses only including. Bus No.ASG.-982 in the absence of the Motor Vehicle Inspector.

(c)—As replied earlier a provisional fitness certificate was issued by the District Transport Officer, Dhubri to Bus No.ASG—982 in absence of Motor Vehicle Inspector.

(d)—Government is enquiring into it and will see that irregular action is not taken by the District Transport Officers.

Re : Resignation of Director of Health Services

Shri SAILEN MEDHI asked :

\*205. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that the present Director of Health Services has tendered his resignation ?

(b) Whether the resignation has been accepted ?

(c) If not, why ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister, Health, etc.) replied :

205. (a)—Yes.

(b)—No.

(c)—Due to delay in selection of the substitute.

Re : Settlement of Hats and Ghats of Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

★206. Will the Minister, in-charge of Panchayat & C.D. be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Government is aware that granting remission of

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instalments of hats and Ghats to their respective Lessees has been regular feature under the Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat in the District of Nowgong ?

(b) Whether it is a fact that this Anchalik Panchayat on 23rd February 1964 granted remission for balance amount of instalments from two Lessees ?

(c) If so, reasons thereof ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and C.D.) replied :

206. (a)—It is not a fact that granting of remission of instalments of hats and ghats to their respective lessees has been a regular feature in Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat.

b) and (c)—No. The Anchalik Panchayat Proposed in its meeting dated 23rd February 1964 remission of two months bid money to the lessee of Athgaon hat for the year 1963-64 on the ground of loss to the lessee due to difficulties of communication for heavy rain and flood and for promulgation of order under 144 Criminal Procedure Code. The Anchalik Panchayat recommended the proposal to the Mahkuma Parishad for approval.

In the same meeting the Anchalik Panchayat recommended to the Mohkuma Parishad for approval of two proposals for remission for Besimari hat and Katchguri hat under Besimari Gaon Panchayat and Rowmari Gaon Panchayat respectively.

Re: Increase of diphtheria and tetanus in Goalpara

Shri BENOY KRISHNA GHOSE asked :

\*207. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

- a) Whether it is a fact that the diphtheria and tetanus cases have been in the increase at Goalpara?
- b) Whether anti-diphtheria and anti-tetanus serums require storage in refrigerator?
- c) Whether there is any refrigerator in the Civil Hospital at Goalpara?
- d) If not, whether the Government will sanction a refrigerator for the said Hospital immediately?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister Health) replied:

207 a)—Yes.

b)—Yes.

c)—No.

d)—Yes.

Re : Silchar Medical College

Shri SAILEN MEDHI asked :

208 Will the Minister. Health be pleased to state—

- a) In which year the proposal for starting silchar Medical College and Gauhati Medical College was approved?
- b) In which year the construction of buildings, etc of these two Colleges was started?
- c) What amount of money was sanctioned by the Government year by year in case of each College?
- d) In which year the Gauhati Medical College started its classes?
- e) In which year the Silchar Medical College will start its classes?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister, Health) replied :

208. (a)—In March, 1960,

(b)—Construction of the buildings for the Gauhati Medical College at its permanent site was started in November 1963 and for Silchar Medical College in March, 1965.

(c)—The sanctioned estimates and expenditure incurred for construction works are—

(i) Gauhati Medical College—

Expenditure sanctioned				Rs.	P.
1962-63	...	...	...	24,70,785.00	
1963-64	...	...	...	11,29,938.00	
1964-65	...	...	...	23,70,015.00	
1965-66	...	...	...	1,00,22,503.34	
1966-67	...	...	...	15,42,600.08	
1967-68	...	...	...	2,14,978.21	
Total				1,77,50,886.63	

Expenditure incurred

1962-63	...	...	...	24,70,785.00	
1963-64	...	...	...	11,29,938.00	
1964-65	...	...	...	23,70,015.00	
1965-66	...	...	...	27,82,915.01	
1966-67	...	...	...	40,84,349.85	
Total				1,29,12,555.86	

(ii) Silchar Medical College Expenditure sanctioned

1962-63	...	...	...	(Nil)	
1963-64	...	...	...	5,29,748.56	
1964-65	...	...	...	Nil.	
1965-66	...	...	...	26,25,899.30	
1966-67	...	...	...	2,65,013.35	
1967-68	...	...	...	18,50,500.00	
Total				52,71,161.21	

	Expenditure incurred			
1962-63	...	...	...	Nil.
1963-64	...	...	...	5,29,748.56
1964-65	...	...	...	Nil.
1965-66	...	...	...	1,55,055.51
1966-67	...	...	...	10,32,794.15
1967-68	...	...	...	Nil.
	Total			17,18,598.22

(d) On 8th October 1960.

(e) The Pre-medical classes of the Silchar Medical College will start in 1968.

Re : Number of local labourer in the Tea Garden of Assam

Shri SONESWAR BORA asked :

২০৯। মাননীয় শ্রম মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে—

(ক) অসমৰ চাহ বাগান সমূহত থলুৱা অসমীয়া কিমান বহুৱা আছে ?

(খ) থলুৱা অসমীয়া বহুৱাক চাহ বাগানত নিয়োগ কৰাৰ কথা চৰকাৰে ভাবিছেনে ?

(গ) যদি ভবা নাই, কিয় ভবা নাই ?

(ঘ) থলুৱা নিবহুৱা অসমীয়া খেতিয়কে লোকৰ একাংশক বাগান বোৰত নিয়োগ নকৰাৰ কাৰণ কি ?

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI (Minister, Labour) replid :

209. (a)—Information is not readily available.

(b), (c) & (d).—It is for the labourers to seek employment in the tea gardens if they like, but as far as we know, no local labourer has shown willingness to take jobs in tea gardens.

Re : Filaria Control Unit at Gauhati

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

\*210. Will the Minister in-charge of Health be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether there is any Filaria Control Unit at Gauhati ?
- (b) If so, since when it is functioning ?
- (c) What is the total number of officers, office assistants menials under the said unit.
- (d) What are the pay and allowance of the above unit per month and/or per year ?
- (e) Whether the said unit is housed in rented house ?
- (f) If so, what is the rent paid per month or per year ?
- (g) Whether the said unit have been provided with any vehicle and if so what is the number ?
- (h) How the vehicles have been utilised ?
- (i) What are the duties and responsibilities of the said unit ?
- (j) What substantial works have hitherto been done by the said unit ?
- (k) How many such unit function in the State and what are the places ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV (Minister, Health) replied :  
210.

(a)—Yes.

(b)—Since 11th June, 1964.

(c)—Officer ... ..

Inspectors...	...	...	...	...	2
Office Assistants...	...	...	...	...	2
Menials	...	...	...	...	5
Other staff	...	...	...	...	6

(d)—Rs. 24,326.73 per annum.

(e)—Yes.

(f)—Rs. 397.43 per mensem.

(g)—Two Jeeps and a trailer. One Jeep is off the road.

(h)—The vehicle is being used for survey work and spray operations when spraying is going on.

(i)—The unit is responsible for Anti-Filaria operation at Gauhati.

(j)—Filaria survey operations are being done.

(k)—Only one unit at Gauhati.

Re : Mitong Bund

Shri PUSPADHAR CHALIHA asked :

\*211. Will the Minister (F.C. and I.) be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Government is aware that due to breaches in several places of Mitong Bund there were heavy damages to the crops and hardships to the people of the areas?

(b) Whether the Government is also aware that the spoil soil left bank of Mitong river was breached near Bhakatdoba on 7th July 1967 which after repair was again breached on 20th September 1967?

(c) If so, whether Government will be pleased to make an enquiry whether there was proper supervision at the time of repairing work?

- (d) Whether Government will take immediate step for raising and widening the Mitong Bund and also the spoil soil bund of Mitong left bank?
- (e) Whether Government will be pleased also to provide two sluices gates at Borkorchiga and Bogolichiga as demanded by the public?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY ( Minister, Flood Control and Irrigation Wing ) replied :

\*211. (a)—Yes, to some extent.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—The damages were repaired well by the local contractors. But due to fishery bund across the river put up by the local people it suffered damage again.

(d)—Yes there is a proposal to strengthen the Mitong embankments which will be taken up when funds become available:

(e) The sluice culvert at Borkorchiga is expected to be completed within this working season.

There is no proposal to construct any sluice culvert at Bogolichiga at present.

Re : Flood in Silpukhri Gaon Panchayat area in Jokaisuk Mouza

Shri PUSPADHAR CHALIHA asked :

\*212 Will the Minister, Public Works Department (F. C. and I. ) be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that the whole silpukhri Gaon Panchayat area in Jokaisuk mouza was flooded by rain water for more than 3 months damaging the

- crops and dwelling houses ?
- (b) Whether Government is aware that all the water from Naga Hills is carried to Jokaisuk mouza by rivers Namti, Namdang and many other canals through five Mouzas viz., Galeky, Dopdar, Sologuri and Morrabazar to discharge to Brahmaputra river through Khakharijan and Mitong river ?
- (c) Whether the Government is also aware that the Mitong river is the only outlet which cannot discharge this big volume of water ?
- (d) Whether Government is further aware that due to the defective construction of the Jerenga drainage scheme water which used to be drained out by Namdang river is now causing this havoc ?
- (e) If so, whether Government propose to take immediate step to examine and draw up a fresh scheme for discharge of rain and flood water throughout the year and save these mouzas from recurrence of flood from next year ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Flood Control and Irrigation Wing) replied:

\*212. (a)—Yes, some damages to Ahu crops was done.

(b)—Yes.

(c)—Mitong is the only free drainage outlet. Namdang river is an additional controlled drainage outlet which also drains out a part of the discharge when the Dikhow river is not in spate.

(d)—It is not a fact. The Namdang river used to let in huge volume of back water from the Dikhow

river during floods thereby adding more water in the waterlogged Jerengapather. After completion of the Jerenga drainage scheme, the area has become free from the back water of the Dikhow and gets drained out immediately after the Dikhow sub-sides.

- (c) One proposal for providing a controlled outlet in the Jokaisuk bund for drainage of jokaisuk mouza is under consideration.

Re: Non availability of medicines in Goalpara Civil Hospital

Shri BENOY KRISHNA GHOSE asked :

\*213. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether bandages, distilled water, iron tablets, multivitamin tablets and other common medicines are not available at the Civil Hospital at Goalpara ?  
(b) If so, whether the Government will take necessary steps to supply those medicines immediately ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV ( Minister Health) replied :

213. (a)—There was a temporary shortage.

- (b)—Yes. The Subdivisional Medical and Health Officer has been directed to place an urgent indent at Medical Stores Depot and also to purchase his urgent requirement at cheapest rates from Gauhati.

Re : Insertion of Loops in Nowgong District

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*214 Will the Minister in-charge of Health be pleased to state—

- (a) What are the respective numbers of loops inse-

rted by the Mobile Unit and the District Bureau in the district of Nowgong till August, 1967 ?

- b) Whether annual target has been achieved in each year ?
- c) If not, why ?
- (d) What are the targets for 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967 ?
- (e) Whether insertion of loops has been a fruitful measure in Family planning ?
- (f) If so, to what extent ?
- (g) What has been the extent of success of Family Planning in the State since inception ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV (Minister Health) replied

214. (a)—From 1965 till 31st August 1967, the number of loops inserted in Nowgong district is—

Mobile unit	761
District Bureru	555

b)—No.

c)—Due to shortage of doctors especially lady doctors who are essential for the successful implemten of the Family Planning Programme. Moreover, the public have to be educated and motivated, which takes time.

((d)—The loop programme was introduced from June, 1965. The year wise targets for the State are as follows—

1965-66	—	—	—	27,630
1966-67	—	—	—	1,42,880
1967-68	—	—	—	94,982

(e)—Yes.

((f)—About 80 per cent

((g)—The total number of loop insertions and sterilizations so far done in the state are 76,331 and 26,320 respectively.

## Re Outstanding Taxes of Batadrava Anchalik Panchayat

M. SHAMSUL HUDA asked :

\*215. Will the Minister-in-charge of Panchayat and Community Development be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that under the Batadrava Achalik Panchayat in Nowgong there have been large amounts of outstanding taxes on pure food and vegetable to be realised ?
- (b) If so, what have been the respective outstanding amounts of such taxes from 1960 till 31st July, 1967 ?
- (c) Whether these outstanding amounts are going to be realised ?
- (d) If so, when ?
- (e) If so, why ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and Community Development) replied :

215. (a)—Yes.

(b)—A statement is placed on the table the House.

(c)—Yes.

(d)—As soon as possible.

(e)—Does not arise.

Re : R.T.A Board

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

216. Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state :—

- (a) What is the R.T.A. Board and how it constituted ?
- (b) How many members are nominated by Government to the R. T.A. Board to act as non-official members in each region ?
- (c) What is the criterion for such nomination ?
- (d) Whether these members are entitled to any allowance or Traveling Allowance from Government ?
- (e) If so, what are the amounts of expenditures in this regard every year under different heads for the last three years ?
- (f) Whether it is a fact that a member of R.T.A. Board at Gauhati,

who happens to be a permanent resident and a practising lawyer at Gauhati is drawing his T.A. showing himself to be a resident of a distant Village in Kamrup District ?

- (g) If so, whether Government propose to recover the drawal of such T.A. and take necessary action in this regard ?
- (h) How permit is issued by the R.T.A. Board and what are the principles in that regard ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY, Minister of State for Transport replied :

216 (a)—The function of the R.T.A. Board are to consider applications for grant, refusal and renewal of permits, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter IV of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, (Act IV of 1939).

The R.T.A. Boards are constituted by the State Government by Notifications in the Officials Gazette for a period of two years. The Board consist of the Chairman, who should have judicial experience and not less than two official and non-official members, as the State Government thinks fit to appoint

(b)—The number of non-official members as nominated by Government to the different R.T.A. Boards are as follows :—

Silchar R.T.A.	—	—	—	4.
Dhubri R.T.A.	—	—	—	4.
Tezpur R.T.A.	—	—	—	3.
Tu a R.T.A.	—	—	—	2.
Liphu R.T.A.	—	—	—	4.
Gauhati R.T.A.	—	—	—	4.
Shillong R.T.A.	—	—	—	2.
Nowgong R.T.A.	—	—	—	2.
Dibrugarh R.T.A.	—	—	—	2.
Jorhat R.T.A.	—	—	—	2.
Aijal R.T.A.	—	—	—	2.

(c)—The criterion for such nomination is laid down under section 44( ) of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act (Act, IV of 1939), i.e., no person who has any financial interest whether as proprietor, employee or otherwise in any transport undertaking should be appointed as or continue as a member of the Board, and if any person being a member of the Board acquires a financial interest in any transport undertaking he should within four weeks of so doing, give notice in writing to the State Government of the acquisition of such interest and should vacate office.

(d)—Yes

(e)—The amount of expenditure for the last 3 years is as follows :—

Year	T.A.	Daily allowance	Total
1964-65	Rs.1,042.93	Rs.125.00	Rs.1,167.93
1965-66	Rs.1,821.69	Rs.87.50	Rs.1,909.19
1966-67	Rs.1,989.83	Rs.150.00	Rs.2,139.83

(f)—The information is being collected.

(g)—Does not arise in view of the reply to question 'f'.

(h)—As provided in section 42 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act (Act IV of 1939) no public transport vehicle can be plied on public road without having a permit issued or countersigned by the Regional or State Transport Authority.

Under the various provisions of Chapter IV of the Indian Motor Vehicle Act (Act IV of 1939) when there is any demand of stage carriage a

public carrier in any Route Area, the R.T.A. Board of the area after having decided the number of permits to be issued, call for applications from interested persons. On receipt of applications, the names of applicants are published in the Assam Gazette and notice board of the R.T.A.'s Office, so that any representations, objections, etc., thereto may be submitted to the Board for consideration. After publication of the names of applicants as stated above, each one of them are notified to attend before a meeting of the Board on a date and place duly indicated.

The R.T.A. being a quasi-judicial body, give a hearing to each applicant for permits where in the applicant has to state his case and produce papers relevant to his application. After hearing each and every applicant for permits, and representations if any, the R.T.A. consider the merit and demerit of each case, and thus select the deserving or suitable candidates to whom permits can be granted.

Re : Function of S.T.A. Board

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

\*217. Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the function of the S.T.A. Board and how it is constituted ?
- (b) How many members are nominated by Government to the said Board to act as non-official members ?

- (c) What qualification is required for becoming a member of the said Board ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State, Transport) replied :

217. (a)—The functions of the S.T.A. are as follows :—

- (i) to co-ordinate and regulate the activities and policies of R.T. As.
- (ii) to perform the duties of an R.T.A. where there is no such authority and if it thinks fit or if so required by an R.T.A., to perform those duties in respect of any route common to two or more regions.
- (iii) to settle all disputes and decide all matters on which differences of opinion arise between R.T. As.
- (iv) to hear appeals arising out of the orders of R.T.As. under Section 64 of the M.V. Act.
- (v) to revise the order of R.T. As. in which no appeal lies.

The State Government by notification in official Gazette constitute for the State the S.T.A for a period of two years consisting of a Chairman who should have judicial experience and such other officials and non-officials not being less than two, as the State Government may think fit. The members should be free from any financial interest either direct or indirect as a proprietor, employee or otherwise in any transport undertaking under the rules.

(b)—Not less than two.

(c)—There is no specific qualifications prescribed for becoming a member of the S.T.A. but in the interest of better and efficient functioning of this authority persons with legal experience are generally preferred for such appointment.

Re: Frequent Train accident in Assam

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

\*-18. Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the Government is aware of the frequent train accident in Assam ?

(b) If so, whether the matter is proposed to be taken up with the Central Government immediately ?

(c) If not, whether there is any other measure worthy to be pursued ?

(d) If so, what measure is proposed to be taken up in the State ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State—Transport) replied :

218. (a)—Yes.

(b)—Government Assam has been in touch with the Government of India on this.

(c)—From time to time question is examined and necessary measures taken

(d)—Does not arise in view of (c) above.

Re: Railway line from Pandu to Goalpara

Shri BINOY KRISHNA GHOSE asked :

\*219. Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether a resolution for moving the Central Government to take immediate steps for extending Railway lines connecting Pandu and Goalpara with coal bearing areas of Garo Hills, was passed by the Assam Legislative Assembly on 12th March 1959 ?
- (b) If so, what further steps the State Government has taken to materialise the said resolution ?
- (c) Whether Government is aware that the people of Goalpara and South Kamrup observed Goalpara and South Kamrup 'Bundh' on 28th September 1967 as a mark of protest against the decision of the Railway Board to extend Broad gauge line from Jogighopa to Gauhati via Goalpara ?
- (d) If so, whether Government have taken any steps to move the Government of India in this regard ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State Transport) replied:

219. (a)—Yes;

(b)—The Government of Assam had through its memorandum submitted to the then Union Railway Minister in January 1964 requested for the extension of Railway line from Pancharatna to Gauhati.

(c)—A 'Bundh' was observed on 28th September 1967. It is not fact that the bundh was against the extension of Railway line via Goalpara.

(d)—A statement clarifying the correct position was issued on 26th October 1967 by the Minister of State for Transport. The Union Minister of Railways also visited this area recently.

Re : Conversion of State Transport Organisation

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

#220. Will the Minister of Transport be pleased to state—

(a) Whether Government has already decided to convert the State Transport Organisation into a Corporation ?

(b) If so, the reason for such decision ?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State for Transport) replied :

220. (a)—The Government has decided in principle to convert the State Transport undertaking into a Corporation. However, the actual conversion depends on certain factor which has not been decided upon by the Government of India.

(b)—The Government of Assam decided to convert this undertaking into a Corporation so that road transport industry could develop further in this area and have better co-ordination with other modes of transport.

Re : Hailakandi civil Hospital

Shri TAZAMMUL ALI LASKAR asked :

221. মাননীয় স্বাস্থ্যবিভাগীয় মন্ত্রী অনুগ্রহ পূর্বক জানাইবেন কি—

(ক) বিগত মে মাসে মন্ত্রী মহোদয় যখন হাইলাকান্দি হাসপাতাল পরিদর্শন যান তখন হাসপাতাল পরিচালন ব্যবস্থার অনেক ত্রুটি বিদ্যুতি অভিযোগ পান। সেই সম্বন্ধে কি ব্যবস্থা অবলম্বন করা হইয়াছে ?

(খ) হাইলাকান্দি হাসপাতালে এক্ষরে মেচিন বিগত চারি বৎসর যাবৎ নষ্ট হইয়া পড়িয়াছে। ইহার স্থলবর্তী অন্য হাসপাতাল হইতে কোন উদ্ধৃত এক্ষরে মেচিন আনার ব্যবস্থা হইতেছে কি না ?

(গ) হাইলাকান্দি হাসপাতালে একটা এম্বুলেন্স গাড়ী, একজন মেডর অপারেশন সার্জন, রোগীদের বসিবার জন্য মেড, একজন রেডিওলজিস্ট ও পেথোলজিস্টের প্রয়োজন। সরকার এই সম্বন্ধে কি ব্যবস্থা অবলম্বন করিতেছেন ?

(ঘ) রোগীদের পথ্য যথাযথ হয় না এই অভিযোগ উক্ত হাসপাতাল সম্বন্ধে আছে, তাহার প্রতিকারের কি ব্যবস্থা করা হইয়াছে ? ঔষধ যে পরিমাণে দেওয়া হয় তাহা ও সবরোগীরা পাইতেছে না। সরকার এই সম্বন্ধে কোন ও তদন্ত করিয়াছেন কি ? না করিয়া থাকিলে তাহা করিবেন কি না ?

(ঙ) কাটলীছড়া সরকারী হাসপাতালকে upgraded করার প্রস্তাব সরকার বিবেচনা করিতেছেন কি না ? করিয়া থাকিলে কবে পর্যন্ত হইবে ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV ( Minister Health ) replied :

221. (a)—A complaint regarding repairs of the X-Ray in Hailakandi Civil Hospital has been received. No other petition is traceable.

(b) The machine is out of order since March 1964, there is no spare machine elsewhere for supply to this hospital.

(c) No, except Ambulance, which can be provided according to availability of funds.

(d) — No.

(e) The matter is under consideration.

Re : Jakhalabandha Primary Health Centre

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI asked :

222. মাননীয় স্বাস্থ্যমন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কবি জনাবেন—

(ক) জখলাবান্ধা প্রাথমিক স্বাস্থ্য কেন্দ্রের পৰা একাদিক্রমে দু'বার ছুঁটা অনুবীক্ষণ যন্ত্র (Microscope) চুরি কবি নিয়াটো সচানে ?

(খ) যদি সচা উক্ত অপহবন কার্যাব অনুসন্ধান কবি কিবা গম পোরা হ'লনে ?

- (গ) উক্ত প্রাইমারী স্বাস্থ্য কেন্দ্রত X-Ray যন্ত্রপাতি এনেয়ে পৰি থকাটো সচানে ?
- (ঘ) X-Ray যন্ত্ৰ কাৰ্য্যত ষটুৰাবলৈ আৱশ্যকীয় ব্যৱস্থা গ্ৰহণ কৰা হবনে ?
- (ঙ) উক্ত স্বাস্থ্য কেন্দ্ৰত অতি সোনকালে এজন ৰেডিঅগ্ৰাফাৰ নিয়োগ কৰা হবনে ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV (Minister Health) replied :

222. (a)—One Microscope was stolen on 30th June 1965.
- (b)—No trace could be found.
- (c)—Yes.
- (d)—Yes, as soon as the accommodation and other equipments are made available by the block authority.
- (e)—Does not arise in view of reply (d).

### UNSTARRED QUESTIONS

(To which answers were laid on the table)

Re : Unauthorised occupation of Landed Property of Local Board, Gauhati

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

194. Will the Minister, Panchayat be pleased to state—
- (a) Whether it is a fact that a big area of landed property of the Defunct Local Board, Gauhati has been allowed to be kept under the unauthorised occupation of some interested persons ?
- (b) If so, whether any action has since been taken to regain the land ?
- (c) Who were the officials responsible in this regard for making the way leading to the unauthorised occupation of the Government land ?

- (d) Who were the officials responsible in this regard for making the way leading to the unauthorised occupation of the Government Land ?
- (e) Whether they have been brought to book ?
- (f) If not, why ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State Panchayat and C.D.) replied :

194. (a)—A plot of sarkari land covered by dag 2699 of Paltantazar, Mouza Ulubari was reserved for Gauhati Local Board (now defunct). It is partly under the unauthorised occupation of some stall-keepers.

(b)—Deputy Commissioner has been directed to evict the encroachers.

(c)—In view of reply to (b) does not arise.

(d) and (e)—Originally the local board permitted some persons to open stalls on payment of certain fees per month. Thereafter some unauthorised persons come to occupy the stalls from them. No official could therefore be held responsible for their unauthorised occupation.

(f) In view of reply to (d) and (e) does not arise.

Re: Construction of a Bridge over Darranga River

Shri MANESWAR BORO asked:

195. Will the Minister, P.W.D. (R. and B.) be pleased to state

- (a) Whether Government propose to construct a bridge over the Darranga River on the Rangia-Darranga Road ?
- (b) What is the amount sanctioned for it ?
- (c) When construction of the bridge was started ?

(d) When this bridge will be completed ?

(e) Who was the contractor ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State P.W.D. (R. and B.) replied :

195. (a)—A bridge over Darranga Nalla at 29th mile of Rangia-Darranga road is already under construction.

(b)—Rupees sixteen lacs, sixteen thousand and nine hundred.

(c)—Eleventh February, 1967.

(d)—By 31st December, 1967. But due to the delay in receipt of construction materials and approval of designs by Director General of Border Roads the completion of the bridge may be delayed by 3 or 4 months.

e)—M/S Bridge and Building Construction Co. (P) Ltd.

Re: Conversion of Brahmaputra Dyke

Shri MOHIDHAR PEGU asked :

196. Will the Minister-in-charge, P.W.D. (R. and B.) be pleased to state—

(a) Whether Government has received any representation from the public regarding conversion of Brahmaputra dyke from Haldibari to Bessamara (Salmara) into road-cum-bund in order to facilitate communication ?

(b) If so, what action has so far been taken by the Government ?

(c) If not, why ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State, P.W.D. (R. and B.)] replied :

196. (a)—Yes, a representation in the shape of a resolution adopted by the Majuli A.P. was received in August, 1962,

(b) and (c)—It has been found that the bund from Haldibari to Bessamara is not stable enough yet to be converted into a road cum-bund:

Re: Construction of a new road by the Side of the Dihing river bund

Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

১৯৭. মাননীয় পড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাব নেকি—

(ক) ডিব্ৰুগড় মহকুমাৰ নাহবকটিয়া লেণ্ডবী আলিব শলগুৰিৰ পৰা ধমনীলৈকে ডিহিং নদীৰ মথাউৰীৰ কাষে কাষে যোৱাৰ কাৰণে প্ৰায়ে বাস্তাটোত যাত্ৰী আৰু গাড়ী চলাচল কৰাত বহুতো অসুবিধা হোৱাৰ কথা চৰকাৰে জানে নে?

(খ) এই ভোখৰ মেৰামতি কৰোতে বহুতো টকা খৰচ হোৱা সঁচানে?

(গ) ইয়াৰ বিকল্প বাস্তা এটা নিৰ্মাণ কৰিবলৈ বাইজে দিয়া প্ৰস্তাৱটো কেতিয়াকৈ কাৰ্য্যকৰী কৰিব?

(ঘ) এই বিষয়ে চৰকাৰে ইতিমধ্যে কিবা আঁচনি হাতত লৈছে নেকি?

Shri ALTAF HUSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State, P.W.D. (R. & B.)] replied :

১৯৭. (ক)—তিনি-আলি কেন্দ্ৰগুৰি শলগুৰি আলিব প্ৰায় ২ (২ই) মাইল ডিহিং নদীৰ মথাউৰীৰ কাষে কাষে গৈছে। বাৰিষাৰ দিনত মথাউৰীৰ তলেৰে জহি জহি পানী আহি আলিটোৰ ঠায়ে ঠায়ে নষ্ট কৰি দিয়ে। অৱশ্যে লগে লগেই ভাল কৰাৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰা হয়। খৰালিৰ দিনত আলিটো বেচ ভালেই থাকে।

(খ)—আনবোৰ আলিব দৰেই এই আলিটো বছৰেকীয়া মেৰামতিত খৰচ কৰা হয়। বহুত টকা খৰচ কৰাৰ কথা নুঠে।

(গ)—বিকল্প বাস্তাৰ বাবে কোনো প্ৰস্তাৱ চৰকাৰে পোৱা নাই।

(৭)—এতিয়ালৈকে কোনো আচনি হাতত লোৱা নাই।

Re : Marriage Party not allowed to go by the National Highway at Dibrugarh

Shri PROMODE CHANDRA GOGOI asked :

198. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :

- (a) Whether it is a fact that Shri Bibhuti Prasad Chaliha of Sib-sagar Town and his marriage party were not allowed to go to Dibrugarh by the National Highway at Khowang Bridge on the 2nd March, 1967 by the Stationed Military personnel ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that Shri Chaliha had submitted a representation to the Chief Minister on 23rd March, 1967 to find out the fact and also to compensate the petitioner for the loss he had to undergo ?
- (c) If so, what steps do the Government propose to take in this matter.

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDAR [Minister of State, F.W.D. (R. & B.)] replied :

198. (a)—A representation to this effect submitted by Shri Bibhuti Prasad Chaliha to the Chief Minister was received in P.W.D.

(R. & B.).

(b)—Yes.

(c)—The matter has been enquired into and it reveals that P.W.D. had not issued instructions to the Military personnel to close vehicular traffic at Khowang, but a small culvert No. 260/5 was closed for repair from 9.30 P.m. of 2nd March, 1967 after notification. The matter is being further enquired.

Re . Settlement of Land for office of the other Backward Classes Association at Kokrajhar Town

Shri GOLOK CHANDRA PATGIRI asked :

199. Will the Minister, Revenue be pleased to state—

- a) whether Government received application to settle land with the President, Kokrajhar District other Backward Classes Association for the purpose of Office Building at Kokrajhar Town?
- (b) If so, what steps Government have taken to settle land to the Association?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue) replied :

199. (a)—No.

(b)—Does not arise.

Re : Forgery and misappropriation cases in the Shillong Jail Road High School

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

200. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether there is any case of forgery detected in Jail Road High School?
- (b) If so, what is the total amount involved in the forgery case?

201. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether responsibility for misappropriation in the Jail Road High School, Shillong have been fixed in pursuance with the audit report?
- (b) If so, who are the person involved?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

200. (a)—Yes,

(b)—The total amount involved in forgery cases stands at Rs. 1,088-56P.

201. (a)—The matter is under scrutiny of the Managing Committee.

(b)—Does not arise.

Re : Accounts of the Jail Road Boys' H.E. School, Shillong

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

202. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

- (a) What is the length of the period of the Accounts of the Jail Road Boys' High School, Shillong for which audit was conducted?
- (b) What is the total defalcation as found from scrutiny of the cash book and post office savings bank pass book of the Jail Road High School?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

202. (a)—The accounts of the Jail Road Boys' High School were audited for the period upto 31st October, 1956.
- (b)—The total of the defalcated amount is Rs. 9,347.39 paise.

Re : Inspector of Schools for South Assam Circle

Shri JATINDRA MOHON BARBHUYAN asked :

203. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—
- (a) Whether Government is aware that there is no Inspector of Schools in South Assam Circle?
  - (b) If so, whether Government propose to post one?
  - (c) If so, when?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

203. (a)—Yes.
- (b) & (c)—Government is taking action to post an Inspector of Schools at an early date.

Re : Tingkhong High School damaged by storm

Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

204. মাননীয় শিক্ষামন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে—

- (ক)—টিংখাং হাইস্কুলখন ১৯৬১ চনতে ধুমুহাই নষ্ট কৰাৰ কথা চৰকাৰে গম পাইছেনে?
- (খ)—যদি পাইছে, কিয় ইমান দিনেও এইখন স্কুললৈ (storm damage grant) মঞ্জুৰ কৰা নাই?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

204. (a)—No

(b)—Does not arise

Re : Special Audit of Jail Road Boyes' High School

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA asked :

205. Will the Minister, Education be pleased to state—

(a) What it is a fact that a special audit has been carried out in Jail Road Boys' High School, Shillong ?

(b) If so, what are the irregularities have been detected therein ?

(c) Whether any amounts have been detected ?

(d) If so, what is the amount ?

Shri SYED AHMED ALI (Minister of State, Education) replied :

205. (a)—No special audit on the accounts of the Jail Road Boys' High School has been conducted. But a general audit was conducted by the Examiner of Local Accounts, Assam, for the period upto 31st October, 1966.

(b)—Audit has detected various financial irregularities and procedural defects.

(c)—Yes.

(d)—Rs. 19,211-23paise.

Re: Buffer stock of pulses at Dhubri

Rani MANJULA DEVI asked :

206. Will the Minister, Supply be pleased to state—

a) Whether it is a fact that the Government buffer stock of pulses at Dhubri was deteriorating during the summer and lately a huge quantity was found to be unfit for human consumption ?

b) Whether it is a fact that some truck loads of pulses had to be thrown away in the river ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH (Minister, Supply) replied :

205. (a)—The Government Buffer Stock of pulses at Dhubri deteriorated during 1966 and 1967 and 3,967 Qls. of this stock became unfit for human consumption.

(b)—Eighty-five Qls. of damaged pulses were destroyed as certified by the Civil Surgeon.

Re : Fishing net named by Fashi

Shri MOTILAL NAYAK asked :

207. নীচ মছল মস্তী মছোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে?—

(ক) চৰকাৰে এইটো কথা জানেনে যে “ফাচি” বুলি এবিধ জাল আছে যি জাল পেৰাচত সুতাব তৈয়াৰ হয় আৰু যি জালত মাছৰ এটা কণিকাও বাচি যাব নোৱাৰে বো, কটলাব পৰা পুখি খলিহা সকলো এই জালত মৰে।

(খ) এই জাল বন্ধ কৰাৰ কিয়া ব্যৱস্থা কৰিছে নে?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister, Fisheries) replied :

২০৭: (ক)—হয়, সচী।

(খ)—এই জাল বন্ধ কৰাৰ কথা চৰকাৰৰ বিবেচনাধীন হৈ আছে।

Re : Private Cars plying as Taxi

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked :

208. Will the Minister, Transport be pleased to state—

(a) Whether Government is aware that large number of private Cars are plying as Taxi throughout the State?

(b) If so, what steps are being taken to stop such illegal plying?

(c) Whether Government propose to lower Taxi licence fee?

Shri PRABIN KUMAR CHOUDHURY (Minister of State for Transport) replied :

208. (a)—It has been brought to Government's notice that some private Cars are unauthorisedly plying as taxis.

(b)—Apart from the Departmental check, the Government is taking certain measures to ensure that such illegal plying is stopped.

(c)—No. There is no such proposal under Government's consideration at present.

Re : Estimates for Bongaigaon Veterinary Dispensary Building

Shri MATHURA MOHON SINHA asked :

209. Will the Minister, Veterinary be pleased to state—

(a) Whether Government have received the revised plan and estimates of the proposed Bongaigaon Veterinary Building ?

(b) If so, when and what is the estimated amount ?

(c) Whether the plan and estimates have been received necessary sanction from the Government ?

(d) If so, when the work will be started ?

Shri LAKSMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Veterinary) replied :

209. (a) & (b)—The revised plan estimate amounting to Rs.50,000.00 of the proposed Bongaigaon Veterinary Dispensary were received by the Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary, Assam on 11th August, 1967 from the Executive Engineer, P. W.D. (R & B) Kokrajhar without detailed line plan for the Dispensary Building and Veterinary Field Assistant's quarters. The said plan and estimate were therefore returned to the Executive Engineer on 26th September, 1967 and his reply is awaited by the Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary.

(c) & (d)—Does not arise in view of reply given above.

Re : Defalcation case of Baipalla Fishery of Barpeta

Shri MATILAL NAYK asked :

২১০ : মাননীয় মীন বিভাগৰ মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে ?—

ক) বৰপেটা মহকুমাৰ বৈপল্লা নদী ক্ষিণাৰিত শ্ৰীসীতানাথ দাস মহলদাৰে ৮,০০০ (আঠ হাজাৰ) টকা বেভিনিউ দিব বাকী থকাটো সচাঁনে ?

খ) এই শ্রীমতীনাথ দাস, Ex এম, এল, এ, মহাদেব দাসৰ সহোদৰ ভাই হোৱা কথাটো হয় নে?

(গ) এই বাকী থকাটো গবৰ্ণমেণ্টে কেতিয়া আদায় কৰিব?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister, Fisheries) replied :

২১ প (ক) — হয়, সঠিক, কিন্তু টকাৰ পৰিমাণ ৬,২৬৩ টকাহে ৮,০০০ টকা নহয়।

২২ প (খ) — হয়।

(গ) — মহকুমাধিপতিয়ে টকাটো আদায় কৰাৰ কাৰণে আইন সংগতভাৱে বিহিত ব্যৱস্থা হাতত লৈছে। আশা কৰা যায় যে উক্ত অনাদায় টকা শীঘ্ৰেই আদায় কৰিব পৰা হ'ব।

Re Admission of Shri Nomal Chandra Gogoi in the Mental Hospital, Tezpur

Shri PROMODE CAANDRA GOGOI asked :

211. Will the Minister Health be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that one Shri Nomal Ch. Gogoi, village Tamulagoan P.O. Tamulichiga, district Sibsagar, was admitted in the Mental Hospital, Tezpur on 12th January, 1964?

(b) Whether it is a fact that the said patient was released by the Mental Hospital Authority on 13th September, 1965 without giving any information to the family concerned?

(c) Whether it is a fact that the patient is missing since his release from the Hospital?

(d) Whether the Government propose to take any step to find out the missing patient?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV (Minister Health) replied :

211. (a)—One Shri Bhognath Gogoi son of Nomal Gogoi of Village Tamulgoan under Teck Police Station was admitted into Mental Hospital, Tezpur on 12th January, 1964.

(b)—The said patient was released as recommended by Board of Visitors. The guardian was informed by a letter, dated the 12th September, 1964, while the patient was released on 18th September, 1964.

(c)—Yes.

(d)—Government will have further enquiry made.

Re : System for allotment of private wards

Shri PHANI BORA asked :

212. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

(a) What is the system in vogue for allotment of private wards ?

(b) What are the rates of charges payable for such wards.

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister, Health) replied :

212. (a)—Generally according to priority from a waiting list. Superintendents of Hospital exercise their discretion in admitting urgent cases out of turn according to the nature of case.

(b)—Information is being collected as the rates vary from hospital to hospital.

Re : Establishment of Medical Sub-Centre at Abhayapuri Police Station

Shri MATHURA MOHAN SINHA asked :

213. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

(a) Whether Government have received any public representation from Sidalsuti under Srijangram Block in Abhayapuri Police Station to revive the medical sub-centre there?

(b) Whether Government is aware that there is no medical facility in and around Sidalsuti comprising about ten thousand population?

(c) What measures have been taken up by the Government to establish the Health Centre there?

(d) Whether Government will consider the matter sympathetically?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister-in-charge, Health) replied:

213. (a) —Yes.

(b) —Yes.

(c) —There was a sub-centre under Srijangram block which has not been taken over by the Medical Department in Stage II and no Primary Health Centre has been established in the block.

(d) —Yes.

Re : Construction of Tini Ali-Belbari Road

Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked:

২১৪। মাননীয় গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে—

ক) গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ তিনি-আলি বেলবাৰী বাস্তাটোৰ কাম কেতিয়াকৈ সম্পূৰ্ণ হ'ব?

খ) ইয়াৰ ওপৰত দিয়া দলংবোৰ কি কাঠৰে তৈয়াৰ কৰিবলৈ দিয়া হৈছে?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER Minister of state P.W.D. (R. & B.) ] replied :

২১৪: ক) — কামটো চলিত বছৰতে অৰ্থাৎ ৩১.৩.১৯৬৮ তাৰিখৰ ভিতৰতে শেষ হব।

খ) — দলবোৰ স্থানীয় প্রথম শ্ৰেণীৰ কাঠেৰে তৈয়াৰ কৰিবলৈ দিয়া হৈছে।

Re : Digging of a drain under Tengakhat Anchalik Panchayat

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked:

215. Will the Minister of Panchayat be pleased state—

- (a) Whether is a fact that a drain was digged in Fekeljangaon under Tengakhat Anchalik Panchayat in the year 1966 ?
- (b) If so, the length, breadth and dpeth of that drain ?
- (c) Who were the President and Secretary of the said Dirgging Committee ?
- (d) The amount paid by the Anchalik Panchayat for the drain ?
- (e) Whether the amount paid to the Presiden ?
- (f) If not, to whom it was paid ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and C.D.) replied :

215. (a)—A drain know as Ushajan in Fakial-gaon under Tengakat Anchalik Pancuayat was dug.

(b)—Length 6,606 feet, breadth 8 feet to to 10 feet and depth 3 feet.

(c)—President—Shri Manik Phukan.

Secretary—Shri Ganesh Borah.

(c)—Rs. 1,201-90 Pasie.

(e) & f)—The amount was paid to the Secretary of the Drain Digging Committee.

Re: Construction of Road under Tengakhat Anchalik Panchayat

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked :

216. Will the Minister for Panchayat and Community Project be pleased to state—

(a) How many roads were constructed in Tipling Mauza in Dibrugarh Subdivision under Tengakhat Anchlik Panchayat during the period 1965-66 under pilot project Scheme ?

( ) Whether those roads have been completed ?

(c) If not, whether Government propose to complete those roads ?

(d) If so, when ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, panchayat and Community Development) replied 216. (a)—Out of 7 projects sanctioned, 3 projects which were for roads fall within Tipling Mouza. In this Mouza, 2 projects were completed in March, 1964.

The third project which was a road from Fakial to Makum via Haveda Bahadur was completed in March, 1966.

(b) (c) & (d)—The three projects sanctioned for Tipling Mouza involved earthwork only. The sanctioned projects have been completed.

Re Construction of a Bridge over Desang River

Shri BHADRESWAR GOGOI asked :

217. মাননীয় গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাব নে—

(ক) দিচাং নৈৰ সাপেখাটী ঘাটত এখন দলং দিয়াৰ কাৰণে চৰকাৰে কিবা ব্যৱস্থা হাতত লৈছিল নে কি ?

(খ) এই দলংখন অতি প্ৰয়োজনীয় বুলি চৰকাৰে নাভাৰে নেকি ?

(গ) যদি ভাবে, সোনকালে দলং দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰিবনে ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [Minister of State, P.W.D. (R.& B.)] replied :

217. (a)—At present there is no proposal.

(b) & (c)—The construction of this bridge will no doubt benefit people of the surrounding villages travelling public. The proposal has been included in the tentative list for consideration in the 4th plan.

Re : Ahu paddy procured by Food Corporation of India during 1967

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

218. Will the Minister, Supply be pleased to state—

(a) What is the total quantity of Ahu paddy hitherto procured during 1967 by the Food Corporation of India in Assam ?

(b) What the procedure for allotment of the said paddy and how the same has been distributed ?

(c) What is the up-to-date stock position of Ahu paddy ?

(d) What was the target of procurement of Ahu paddy in Assam during 1967 ?

(e) At what price ahu paddy is released by Food Corporation of India and at what price is sold to the public ?

(f) Whether Government have fixed prices for the different varieties of autumn paddy ?

(g) If so, what are the prices fixed for each variety of such paddy ;

(h) If prices have fixed, are they for the whole year or for particular period or periods ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH (Minister, Supply) replied ;

218. (a)—1,83, 182.79 quintals Ahu paddy was procured till 27 th October 1967.

(b)—Allotment of the siad paddy to the mills is to be made by an allotment Committee consisting of the Deputy Commissioner representative of the Supply Department and the Food Corporation of India. But due to very difficult procurement position the Food Corporation of India was given permission for allotting such paddy to mills without consulting the Committee. Distribution is made as above.

(c)—Procurement being small compared to requirement, stocks could not be built up.

(d)—The Food Corporation of India fixed 20 lakhs maunds as the target for the Ahu procurement for the year.

(e)—At Rs. 54.44 per quintal. It is not sold to the public, but sold only to the Tea Associations.

(f)—Yes.

(g)—Rupees Forty five and fifty-six paise for all varieties of Autumn Paddy.

(h)—For the whole year.

*Re : Gratuity not received by one retired Mondal*

Shri DURGESWAR SAIKIA asked :

219. Will the Minister, Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) Whether one Shri Ahindranath Bora, Mondal retired in 1951 ?

(b) Whether any gratuity was given to him ?

(c) Whether it was fact that the said amount was not received by him till to-date ?

- (d) If so, what was the reason?
- (e) Whether Sri Bora complained that the amount was not received by him?
- (f) If so, what steps Government have taken in this regard?
- (g) How long it will take to dispose up?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue) replied :

219. (a)—Yes, in 1961 and not in 1951.

(b) Yes, a gratuity of Rs. 600 was sanctioned to the Member.

(c)—The amount is reported to have been drawn from the Sub-Treasury at Sibsagar on 21st January, 1963, but it is reported that Shri Ahindranath Bora has not received the amount.

(d)—The amount is suspected to have been received by some-one else fraudulently.

(e) Yes, on 7th December, 1954.

(f) & (g)—The matter is under investigation by the Police, Sibsagar and the A.G. Assam has been requested to furnish the original voucher for necessary verification.

Re : Dudnai Hospital

Shri SARAT CHANDRA RABHA asked :

220. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether Government are aware that no diet has been supplied to the patients of the Hospital at Dudnai for the last 7 months?
- (b) If Government is aware of this fact, why was the diet stopped and from when the diet will be supplied again?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister in-charge, Health) replied :

220. (a)—Yes.

(b)—It was stopped as no Contractor was willing to undertake the supply. It will be supplied again as soon as a contractor is available.

Re : Barpeta Civil Hospital

Shri MOTILAL NAYAK asked :

221. Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state—

- (a) Whether it is a fact that due to heavy rush of Maternity patients it has become absolutely impossible for Barpeta Civil Hospital to even accommodate 10 per cent of the most deserving indoor patients ?
- (b) Whether due to short of accommodation 50 per cent patients admitted are to be accommodated on the floor of Maternity Ward ?
- (c) If so, what steps Government propose to take to remove this helplessness of the patients and the attending staff ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHON DEV (Minister in charge, Health) replied :

221. (a)—No.

(b)—No.

(c)—Does not arise.

Re : Number of Beds in Barpeta Civil Hospital

Shri MOTILAL NAYAK asked :

222. Will the Minister, Health be pleased to state—

- (a) How many beds are there in the Barpeta Civil Hospital ?
- (b) Whether it is a fact that the number of beds are much less than the requirements in the Civil Hospital, Barpeta ?
- (c) Whether the Government aware that the stock of medicines in Barpeta Civil Hospital is much less than its requirement considering the number of suffering public ?
- (d) Whether it is a fact that the hospital building at Barpeta is very small and cannot accommodate the patients coming from different places of the Sub-division ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV (Minister, Health) replied:

222. (a)—50 beds.

(b)—No.

(c)—No.

(d)—Does not arise.

Re : Building of Kuchdhua State Dispensary

Shri SARAT CHANDRA RABHA asked :

223. মাননীয় স্বাস্থ্য মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কবি জনাবনে—

(ক) এই বিষয়ে চৰ্কাৰে জানেনে কুচধুৱা ষ্টেট ডিচপেনচাৰীৰ বিলডিং বনোৱা কাম বহুত দিন আগতে সম্পূৰ্ণ হৈ উঠিছে, অথচ সেই ডিচপেনচাৰীৰ কাম আজিলৈকে পৰিচালনা কৰা নাই?

(খ) যদি সেয়ে হয়, কিয়?

(গ) কেতিয়াৰ পৰা সেই ডিচপেনচাৰী খোলা হব?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV (Minister, Health) replied:

223. (a)—Construction not yet completed.

(b)—Does not arise.

(c)—After the building is completed.

Re . Grants-in-aid to Alipur Mission Hospital, Cachar

Shri A.K. NURUL HAQUE asked :

224. মাননীয় স্বাস্থ্যমন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ পূৰ্বক জনাবনে কি?

(ক) কাছাড়া জিলাৰ আলিপুর মিড মিশন হাসপাতালে আসাম ৰাজ্য সরকার মাসিক কত টাকা হাৰে অৰ্থ মঞ্জুৰী দিয়া থাকেন?

(খ) উক্ত হাসপাতালে মুখ্যতঃ কোন কোন শ্ৰেণীৰ ৰোগীৰ চিকিৎসা হইয়া থাকে?

(গ) উক্ত হাসপাতালে যে শ্ৰেণীৰ ৰোগী চিকিৎসার্থে গমন করেন ত্রাহাদেৱ

কোন তালিকা কাছাড়ের সিভিল সার্জনকে উক্ত হাসপাতালের পক্ষ হইতে দেওয়া হয় কি ?

(ঘ) উপরোক্ত হাসপাতালের পরিচালনা ব্যবস্থায় রাজ্য সরকারের কোনরূপ দায়িত্ব বা কর্তৃত্ব আছে কি ?

(ঙ) থাকিলে, তাহা কি রূপ ?

Shri SATINDRA MOHAN DEV (Minister, Health) replied :

224. (ক)—No grant-in-a'id is given to the Hospital by Health Department.

(খ)—It is a private Mission Hospitel and Government have no information in this regard.

(গ)—No.

(ঘ)—No.

(ঙ)—Does not arise in view of reply to (d) above.

Re : North Salmara Fishery

Shri MATILAL NAYAK asked :

২২৫। মাননীয় সমবায় বিভাগের মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কবি জনাব নে—

(ক) গোৱালপাৰা জিলাৰ গোৱালপাৰা মহকুমাৰ বৈটামাৰি ব্লক আৰু ধৰ্মপুৰ ব্লক দুয়োটা আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়ত ব্লক cover কৰি নৰ্থশালমাৰা ফিচাৰি কোপাৰেটিভ বুলি এটা ছোচাইটি ১০।১২ বছৰ আগৰ পৰা থকাটো সত্য নে ?

(খ) আৰু এইটোও সত্য নে যে এই ছোচাইটিৰ এৰিয়া অব অপাৰেচন আয় ৫০।৬০ খন গাওঁৰ বাইজে বদ্ধ কৰি ৰাখিছে ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, co-operation) replied :

২২৫। (ক) আৰু (খ)—খবৰ বিলাক বৰ্তমান অগ্ৰহৰ পথত। যথা সময়ত খবৰ বিলাক মাননীয় সদস্যক দিয়া হ'ব।

Re : Dhalani Beel of Goalpara Subdivision

Shri MATILAL NAYAK asked :

২২৬। মাননীয় মীন মহলৰ ভাৰপ্রাপ্ত মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাবনে—

(ক) চবকাৰে এইটো জানেনে যে গোৱালপাৰা মহকুমাৰ ধলনী (Dhalani) বিল এটা বৰ ডাঙৰ মাছৰ বিল আছে।

(খ) আৰু এইটোও জানে নে যে এই বিলটো বৰ্তমান পানী মেটেকাৰে ভৰি আছে আৰু বেচি হৈ প্ৰায় মৰাৰ অৱস্থা পাইছে।

(গ) আৰু মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে জানেনে যে এই বিলৰ পৰা বিহতে বিল ডাকি লয় সিহতে ১৫ per cent শতকৰা ভাগ মাছ ও মাৰিব নোৱাৰে মেটেকা থকাৰ কাৰণে?

(ঘ) গৱৰ্ণমেণ্টে মেটেকা শুধাই এই বিলটো ভাল কৰিব চেষ্টা কৰিব নে?

Shri MAHENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister, Fisheries) replied :

২২৬। (ক)—হয় আছে। কিন্তু এই বিল 'তামবাঙা' Group মীনমহলৰ অন্তৰ্ভুক্ত।

(খ)—ধলনী বিলত এই বহুৰ পানী মেটেকা বেচি পৰিমাণে নাই। কিন্তু মূল বিলখন পানী মেটেকাৰ পৰা সম্পূৰ্ণ মুক্ত। ইয়াৰ কিনাৰত অঁত তত থকা দুলাসমূহত কিছু পৰিমাণে মেটেকা আছে আৰু এইবোৰ পৰিষ্কাৰ নকৰিলে বিল খন নষ্ট হোৱাৰ সম্ভাৱনা আছে।

(গ)—কথাটো সঁচা নহয়। এই বিলত যথেষ্ট পৰিমাণে মাছ আছে আৰু মহলদাৰ সকলে বহু পৰিমাণে মাছ মাৰে।

(ঘ)—Fishery Rules আৰু fishery lease অনুযায়ী মহলদাৰ সকলে সদায় বিল মেটেকা মুক্ত ও চাফা কৰি ৰাখিব লাগে। গতিকে চবকাৰৰ তবফৰ পৰা মেটেকা শুধাই বিল ভাল কৰাৰ প্ৰশ্ন হুঠে।

Re : Sarbaherua State Mechanised farm of Mangaldai

Shri SURENDRA CHANDRA BARUA asked :

227. Will the Minister, Agriculture be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that 1,200 bighas of land Sarbaherua state Mechanised Farm, Mangaldai Subdivision has been given in 'Thika' out of total 2,200 bighas of Farm land to the following parties :—

Serial No.	Name	Village	Area allotted bighas
1	Md. Mesher Ali	— — Madhupur	180 „
2	Md. Piru Mammud Shekh	... do	12 „
3	Md. Jainudd'n Shekh	... do	18 „
4	Md. Rustam Ali	... do	18 „
5	Md. Riazuddin Mukhi	... do	20 „
6	Md. Nayab Ali Dewani	— — Madhupur	10 bighas
7	Md. Saheb Ali	— — do	10 „
8	Md. Abdul Dewani	— — do	5 „
9	Md. Jainudd'n Shekh	— — do	8 „
10	Md. Mahiruddin Phakir	— — do	10 „
11	Md. Mahej Shekh	— — do	10 „
12	Md. Abdul Chattar	— — do	18 „
13	Md. Makhbul Shekh	— — Barghuli	18 „
14	Md. Bana Shekh	— — do	5 „
15	Md. Shan Ali	— — do	10 „
16	Md. Jangsher Ali	— — do	10 „
17	Md. Kashimuddin Ali	— — Panikhati	6 „
18	Md. Tanai Shekh	— — do	10 „
19	Md. Kashur Shekh	— — do	10 „

Serial No.	Name	Village	Area allotted
20	Md. Makbul Shekh	— do	10 „
21	Md, Am'ruddin	— do	10 „
22	Md. Sadushekh	— do	40 „
23	Md. Chikanmati	— 7/8 do	100 „
24	Farm Managars' Personally cultivated land.	do	150 „
25	A party from Khakjani Village	do	100 „
26	A party from Madhogohain Village		150 „
27	A party from Karepetia		260 „
Total			1,200 „

(b) Whether there is any rule that any Farm land can be given in 'Thika' ?

(c) Whether it is a fact that the Manager of the Farm realised from the parties to whom land has been given on Thika at Rs. 10 to 15 per bigha for ploughing the Thika land by engaging Government tractor ?

(d) If so, whether the money has been credited into Farm account ?

(e) Whether it is a fact that Paddy 2mds. and Jute  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mds. per bighas has been fixed as Thika charge ?

(f) What is the total area actual'y cultivated by the Farm ?

(g) What is the total expenditure incurred by the Farm for their cultivation ?

(h) What is the actual receipt of Paddy and Jute, etc., separately from the Farm's own cultivation and from the parties concerned ?

(i) Whether this Thika system will continue ?

(j) What is the total number of employee in the Farm ?

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Agriculture) replied :

227. (a)—Only 297.92 bighas of land in Sarbaherua mechanised farm has been given on Thika (share cropping) and not 1,200 bighas. The land allotted to the farm was 2,100 bighas but possession has been taken of 1,557 bighas only. (List of persons and the area allotted to persons is given below) :—

Serial No.	Name	Total areas in bighas
1	Nainuddin ...	5.70
2	Adich Mistre ...	7.00
3	Muded Ali ...	5.00
4	Mafiz Ali ...	5.00
5	Sirajuddin ...	7.00
6	Jamser Ali ...	7.79
7	Babar Ali ...	5.00
8	Kalo Sekh ...	14.00
9	Matal Shekh ...	6.40
10	Mukul Ali ...	7.60
11	Sadhu ...	9.11
12	Sonali ...	3.00
13	Boro Shekh ...	2.50
14	Bojo Shekh ...	12.50
15	Busir Ali ...	5.00
16	Biso ...	15.00
17	Amed Ali ...	3.95
18	Gabed Ali ...	5.55

Serial	Name	Total areas in bighas
19 Mohbed Ali ...	...	5-00
30 Kinna Tnalla ...	...	8-70
31 Basiuddin ...	...	11-34
32 Biajuddin ...	...	5-00
33 Maghal ...	...	1-50
34 Sabajidda ...	...	4-02
35 Sajeb Ali ...	...	4-03
36 A. Pandit ...	...	6-30
37 Gainuddin ...	...	7-49
38 Abdul Dewani ...	...	3-60
29 Salam Manak ...	...	9-16
30 Girish Sager ...	...	10-40
31 Santosh Marak —	—	4-72
32 Khale Kh. —	—	10-05
33 Rohim —	—	3-80
34 Naresh —	—	3-50
35 Duyen —	—	2-50
36 Sajia —	—	2-50
37 Basit —	—	6-00
38 Sonch Sekh —	—	2-00
39 Matra Sekh —	—	2-00
40 Boro Sekh —	—	2-00
41 Bisa Sekh —	—	3-66
42 Maizuddin —	—	2-00
43 Amed Ali —	—	1-82
44 Marres Ali and his party —	—	68-00

Sl. No.	Names	Total areas in bighas
45	Maguli Munash —	50.00
46	Maguli Munash —	2.00
47	Amba Boro —	4.10
48	Sando Boro —	2.00
49	Ancharam —	1.20
50	Pijoy Manak —	2.50
51	Protap Sangma —	1.00
52	Dejen Sangma —	2.50
53	Kamal Singh Boro —	2.47
54	Denal Singh —	1.81
55	Alcinish Maik —	1.00
56	Arun Marak —	2.40
57	Nipen Marak —	1.20
Total		297.92

(b)—There is no such rule, but the share cropping is required to be given partly as protective measure and partly economic. Share cropping plots are given along the boarders of the Farm to save inner Farm plots from revages of cattle in absence of Fencing in the Farm area.

(c)—No.

(d)—Does not arise.

(e)—Thika charge (Rent) for paddy had been fixed at  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 mds, per bigha and for jute at  $1\frac{1}{2}$  md. to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  md. per bigha depending on the condition of the crop.

(f)—One thousand, two hundred and thirty bighas.

(g)—Rupees 61,279.81 P.

(h)—Receipt from 1st April, 1967 to 30th September, 1967 are as follows—

	Sale Proceeds	
	Ahu	Jute
Farm's own production .....	.....	Nil. Nil.
Receipt from share cropping. ...		Rs. 6,022 Nil.

Ahu produced as seed for next season as such it has not been sold.

(i)—No.

(j)—Numbers in the farm is twenty one (excluding labour).

Re: Arrear taxes under Tamulpur A.P.

Shri MANESWAR BORO asked :

228. Will the Minister, Panchahyat be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that there is a huge amount of arrear taxes outstanding under different heads without collection by the Tamulpur Anchalik Panchayat ?

(b) If so, what is the reason for such non-realisation of huge arrear of taxes ?

(c) What is the total amount of arrear taxes outstanding under different heads without collection (State since 1960 to 1967 year-wise) ?

(d) What is the total amount of tax collected under the different heads in the Tamulpur Anchalik Panchayat (to be shown year-wise) ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and C. D.) replied :

223. ( )—Out of the total demand of Rs, 1,86,941.00 Paise from 1st July 1960 to 30th June 1967, an amount of Rs. 1,20,950.00 Paise has been collected leaving an arrear of Rs. 66,891.00 paise.

(b)—Non-realisation is due to default in payment of taxes by the tax-payers.

assesses.

(c) and (d)—A statement is placed in each members table.

Re : Grant-in-aid for Rural Water Supply to each Anchalik Panchayat

Shri MANESWAR BORO asked :

229. Will the Minister, Panchayat be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that the Government have sanctioned Grant-in-aid for Rural Water Supply to each Anchalik Panchayat of the State ?

(b) If so the total amount of Grant received by the Tamulpur Anchalik Panchayat since 1960, up-to-date ?

(c) The total number of Tube-Wells and Ring-Wells distributed by the Tamulpur Anchalik Panchayat since 1960 up-to-date ?

(d) The total number of useless Tube-Wells and Ring-Wells lying in the Tamulpur Anchalik area ?

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of State, Panchayat and C. D.) replied :

229. (a)—Yes.

(b)—The total amount of grant received by Tamulpur Anchalik Panchayat in—

1961-62	—	—	—	—	Rs. 9,235·13 P
1962-63	—	—	—	—	Rs. 9,007·00 P
1963-64	—	—	—	—	Rs. 17,077·00 P
1964-65	—	—	—	—	Rs. 23,031·00 p
1966-67	—	—	—	—	Rs. 10,476·00 P
Total	—	—	—	—	Rs. 68,826·73 P

So for the years 1960-61 and 1965-1966 are concerned the records are not readily available as the same are in police custody.

(c)—Total number of Tube-Wells and Ring-Wells distributed by Tamulpur Anchalik Panchayat in—

	Tube-Wells		Ring-Wells	
1961-62	—	—	5	21
1962-63	—	—	18	14
1963-64	—	—	9	35
1964-65	—	—	10	72
1966-67	—	—	Nil	48
Total	—	—	42	190

So far the years 1960-61 and 1965-66 are concerned the records are not readily available as the same are in police custody.

(d)—No Tube-Wells or Ring-Wells distributed by the Anchalik Panchayat has become useless, but out of total number of 36 Tube-Wells and 46 Ring-Wells handed over by the Public Health Department to the Anchalik Panchayat in 1960-61, 9 Tube-Wells and 17 Ring-Wells have become useless.

Re : Seizure of paddy by D.D.S. and Assistant Register of Cooperative at Tamulpur Mouza

Shri GOVINDA KALITA asked :

২৩০ : যোগান মন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ করি জনাব নে?—

(ক) তামুলপুৰ থানাৰ কুমাৰিকাতা মৌজাৰ কাউলি চন্দনপুৰ গাঁৱৰ জনৈক পৰাণমুৰ্মী নামৰ খেতিয়ক এজনৰ ঘৰত যোগান বিভাগৰ ডেপুটি ডাইৰেক্টৰ (জি, বড়া) আৰু নলবাৰী কো-অপাৰেটিভ এচিচাৰ্ণ্ট বেজিষ্টাৰে ৪টা ভৰালত ১০০০ (এক হেক্টৰ) মোন ধান ১৮।৫।৬৭ তাৰিখে জব্দ কৰি ৰাখি আহিছিল সেইটো চৰকাৰে জানে নে?

(খ) চৰকাৰে জানে নে যে—এই সম্পৰ্কত গুৱাহাটীৰ ডি, ডি, এচে দিয়া খবৰ এটা ২২।৫।৬৭ তাৰিখে অসম ট্ৰিবিউনৰ ৬ পৃষ্ঠাত প্ৰকাশ পাইছিল?

(গ) চৰকাৰে জানেনে যে, সমবায় বিভাগে জব্দ কৰা এই ধানবোৰ তামুলপুৰ থানাৰ পুলিচে ২১, ২২ আৰু ২৩ মে' তাৰিখে যোগান বিভাগ আৰু কো-অপাৰেটিভৰ কোনো মানুহ নোহোৱাকৈ ধানবোৰ তলা ভাঙি ওজন নকৰাকৈ লৈ আহিছিল?

(ঘ) চৰকাৰে জানে নে যে, তামুলপুৰ থানাৰ পুলিচে এইদৰে অনা ধান মাত্ৰ ৪১০ (চাৰিশ দহ) মোন বুলি নলবাৰীৰ কাৰ্যানিবাহক দণ্ডাধীশ শ্ৰী বি, ভূঞা আদালতত বিপোর্ট কৰিছিল?

(ঙ) চৰকাৰে জানে নে যে তামুলপুৰ থানাৰ পুলিচে জোখ নকৰাকৈ এইদৰে অনা ধানৰ কেইবাশ মোন ধান আত্মসাৎ কৰি শ্ৰী বি, ভূঞাৰ আদালতত অসত্য বিপোর্ট দিয়া বুলি ও প্ৰকৃত তদন্তৰ দাবী জনাই শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীয়ে উক্ত দণ্ডাধীশৰ আদালতত দৰখাস্ত কৰিছে?

(চ) চৰকাৰে জানে নে যে তামুলপুৰ থানাৰ পুলিচে বিনা জোখে ধান অনাৰ সময়ত কোনো চিজাৰ লিষ্ট লোৱা নাই নাইবা চিজাৰ লিষ্টৰ কোনো নকল উক্ত মুৰ্মীক বা তেওঁৰ মানুহক দিয়া নাই?

(ছ) এই সম্পৰ্কে বিহিত তদন্ত আৰু দোষীক শাস্তিবিহাৰ ব্যৱস্থা চৰকাৰে লব নে?

যোগান মন্ত্ৰী শ্ৰীৰমেশ চন্দ্ৰ বৰুৱা দেৱে উত্তৰ দিছে:

২৩০ : (ক)—কোনো ধান ডেপুটি ডাইৰেক্টৰ আৰু কো-অপাৰেটিভ বিভাগৰ সহকাৰী বেজিষ্টাৰে ১৮।৫।৬৭ তাৰিখে শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীৰ ঘৰত জব্দ কৰা হোৱা নাই। কিন্তু উক্ত তাৰিখত তেওঁৰ ঘৰত যথেষ্ট ধান থকা বুলি খবৰ পাই

কো-অপাৰেটিভ বিভাগৰ সহকাৰী বেজিষ্টাৰ আৰু ডেপুটি কো-অপাৰেটিভ অফিচাৰ তেওঁৰ ঘৰলৈ গৈছিল। শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীক ঘৰত পোৱা নগৈছিল। তেওঁৰ ছয়ো পৰিবাৰে উক্ত ধানৰ ভৰাল দেখুৱাবলৈ অস্বীকাৰ কৰে। উপৰোক্ত ছয়োজন কৰ্মচাৰীয়ে চাৰিজন বন্দুকধাৰী পুলিচ আৰু চাৰিজন গাওঁবন্ধী বাহিনীৰে থকা নায়ক জনক উক্ত ভৰাল পহৰা দি থাকিবলৈ আৰু শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীক পিচৰ দিনা ঘৰত থাকিবলৈ আদেশ দিলে। পিচদিনা ১৯৫১৬৭ তাৰিখে উক্ত ছয়োজন কৰ্মচাৰী নলবাৰীৰ হাকিম আৰু পুলিচ ইন্সপেক্টৰ সঠ তেওঁৰ ঘৰত উপস্থিত হয় আৰু দেখা পায় যে সকলো ঘৰত তালাচাৰি লগোৱা আৰু ঘৰত কোনো মানুহ নাই, সকলো বিলাক মানুহ পলাল। ওচৰ চুবুৰীয়াৰ পৰা জানিব পৰা গল যে তেওঁৰ ঘৰত যথেষ্ট পৰিমাণ ধান মজুত আছে। যোগান বিভাগৰ কৰ্মচাৰী সকলে ধান থকা ওটা কোঠালা আৰু ভৰাল ঘৰত তেওঁলোকৰ আৰু এজোৰকৈ নিজৰ তালা চাৰি লগালে। বাহিবৰ পৰা অনুমান কৰা হ'ল যে তাত প্ৰায় ২৫০ মোন ধান থাকিব লাগে। বাহিবৰ অনুমান সত্য নহয়। সেইদিনাই পুলিচত ডেপুটি কো-অপাৰেটিভ অফিচাৰে এজাহাৰ দিয়ে যে শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীয়ে ৫০ মোনৰ অধিক ধান বিনা অনুমতিত বাখিছে।

(খ)—এই বিষয়ে চৰকাৰৰ কোনো খবৰ নাই।

(গ)—ই সত্য নহয়। ২৫৫১৬৭ তাৰিখে তামুলপুৰ থানাৰ অধ্যক্ষ সমবায় বিভাগৰ বেজিষ্টাৰ আৰু গাওঁৰ কেইবা গৰাকী মুখীয়াল লোকক আগত বাখি তেখেতৰ শিক্ষিত প্ৰাপ্ত বয়সৰ জীয়েক শ্ৰীমতীমুৰ্মীয়ে তলা খুলি দিয়াৰ পিচত হে ধান জুখি জব্দ কৰে।

(ঘ)—হয়।

(ঙ)—শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীয়ে আদালতত গোচৰ কৰে যে তেওঁৰ ৯০০ মোনৰ ধানৰ ভিতৰত ২৫০ মোন ধান জব্দ কৰি বাকীখিনি পুলিচে লৈ যায়।

(চ)—এইটো সত্য নহয়। জব্দনামা সাক্ষীৰ সমুখত তৈয়াৰ কৰা হৈছিল। শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীৰ পৰিয়ালৰ কোনোয়ে ইয়াৰ নকল গ্ৰহণ নকৰিলে।

(জ)—বিচাৰ কৰি জনা গল যে এই গোচৰ ভিত্তিহীন। শ্ৰীপৰাণ মুৰ্মীৰ ওপৰত কৰা অভিযোগ বৰ্তমান আদালতত বিচাৰধীন হৈ আছে।

Md. AZAD ALI

Shri SHAHADAT ALI JOTDER

asked :

Shri KABIR CHANDRA RAI PRADHANI

231. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

- (a) The number of Quit India notices served by the Government up till now (district-wise) ?
- (b) The number of persons deported up till now (district-wise) ?
- (c) The number of cases pending with the Foreigners' Tribunal concerned (district-wise) ?
- (d) Number of cases pending with the S. P's of different districts (district-wise) ?
- (e) The number of Civil Suits in connection with Quit India Notices filed up till now ?
- (f) The number of cases disposed ?
- (g) The number of cases confirmed as Pak nationals (district-wise) ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :—

231. (a)—Since January 1961 upto 30th September, 1967 a total number of 2,14,526 Pak nationals were served with Quit India Notice. District-wise figures are :—

Goalpara	—	—	—	30,477
Kamrup	—	—	—	22,425
Darrang	—	—	—	53,315
Nowgong	—	—	—	69,649
Sibsagar	—	—	—	9,747
Lakhimpur	—	—	—	21,221
Cachar	—	—	—	6,362
Garo Hills	—	—	—	744
United Khasi and Jaintia Hills	—	—	—	448
United Mikir and North Cachar Hill	—	—	—	138

(b)—Since 1st January, 1961 upto 30th September 1967 a total number of 1,78,320 Pak nationals were deportad from Aassm. District wise figures are:—

Goalpara	—	—	—	17,272
Kamrup	—	—	—	20,557
Darrang	—	—	—	43,799
Nowgong	—	—	—	64,503
Sibsagar	—	—	—	7,225
Lakhimpur	—	—	—	16,211
Cachar	—	—	—	5,225
Garó Hills	—	—	—	1,700
United Khasi and Jaintia Hills	—	—	—	1,700
United Mikir and North Cachar Hills	—	—	—	103
Mizo District	—	—	—	19

(c)—3,357 cases involving 17,658 persons are pending with Foreigners' Tribunal upto 30th September, 1967 District-wise figures are as follows:—

District				No. of cases	Persons involved
Goalpara	...	...	...	2,065	12,583
Kamrup	...	...	...	275	1,338
Darrang	...	...	...	28	176
Nowgong	...	...	...	715	2,510
Sibsagar	...	...	...	3	10
Lakhimpur	...	...	...	116	382
Cachar	...	...	...	132	573
Garó Hills	...	...	...	22	85
United khasi and Jaintia Hills	...	...	...	1	1

(d)—490 cases are pending with the Superintendent of Police upto 30th September, 1967 District-wise figures are :-

Goalpara	—	—	—	146
Kamrup	—	—	—	78
Darrang	—	—	—	24
Nowgong	—	—	—	27
Lakhimpur	—	—	—	16
Cachar	—	—	—	72
Garo Hills	—	—	—	54
United Khasi and Jaintia Hills	—			41
United Mikir and North Cachar Hills				32

(e)—Twelve thousand eight hundred fourteen persons filed Civil Suits against service of Quit Notice upto 30th September 1967. Districtwise figures are:—

Goalpara	—	—	—	2,050
Kamrup	—	—	—	1,719
Darrang	—	—	—	2,731
Nowgong	—	—	—	3,356
Sibsagar	—	—	—	1,222
Lakhimpur	—	—	—	644
Cachar	—	—	—	912
Garo Hills	—	—	—	150
United Khasi and Jaintia Hills	—			27
United Mikir and North Cachar Hills				3

(f)—Two thousand four hundred eighty-one-cases were disposed of by the Civil Courts upto 30th September, 1967. District-wise figures are :—

Goalpara	—	—	—	78
Kamrup	—	—	—	257

Darrang	—	—	—	672
Nowgong	—	—	—	954
Sibsagar	—	—	—	101
Lakhimpur	—	—	—	204
Cachar	—	—	—	138
Garó Hills	—	—	—	22
United Khasi and Jaintia Hills	—	—	—	25

(g)—One thousand nine hundred sixty-nine persons were confirmed as Pak Nationals by the Civil Courts upto 10th September, 1967. District-wise figures are :—

Goalpara	—	—	—	78
Kamrup	—	—	—	257
Darrang	—	—	—	532
Nowgong	—	—	—	654
Sibsagar	—	—	—	92
Lakhimpur	—	—	—	188
Cachar	—	—	—	124
Garó Hills	—	—	—	20
United Khasi and Jaintia Hills	—	—	—	24

Re : National Record of Citizenship

Shri UTTAM CHANDRA BRAHMA asked :

232. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) Whether the National Record of Citizenship 1951 (NRC of 1951) is the authentic record of citizens of the country.

(b) If the answer is in affirmative, whether any person whose name is found in the N.R.C. of 1951 can be regarded

as Pak National by Foreigner's tribunal ?

(c) Whether in addition to N.R.C. of 1951, any other evidences are necessary in the matter of determining citizenship of a person ?

(d) If so, what are the evidences to be necessary in determining the citizenship of a person ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

232. (a)—The National Register of Citizens, 1951 is a record not only of the Citizens of India but of all persons staying in the country on the reference date of enumeration for the 1951, census.

(b)—Yes. As foreigners who stayed in the country on the date of enumeration were also enumerated, a Foreigners' Tribunal may come to a finding that a particular persons whose name appears in the N.R.C. is a foreigner of Pakistani nationality.

(c)—Yes.

(d)—In order to be regarded as a Citizen of India the person concerned has to satisfy any of the provisions of articles 5-8 of the Constitution of India and the Citizenship Act, 1955. To prove that he satisfies any of these provisions he may adduce any evidence that he may possess.

Re : Land Revenue of North Lakhimpur

Shri NAMESWAR PEGU asked ;

233. Will the Minister, Revenue be Pleased to state—

(a) The total amounts of Land Revenue (i) Regular and

(ii) Touzi Bahir assessed for collection since 1952 till date

in North Lakhimpur subdivision (figures to be shown in Mouza-wise break up and year by year).

(b) Whether remission was over granted in respect of Touzi Bahir land revenue in the North Lakhimpur Subdivision ?

(c) If not, why ?

(d) What is the basis of assessment Touzi Bahir Revenue ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY (Minister, Revenue) replied :

233. (a)—A statement is placed on the Table of the House.

(b)—Yes, in four Mouzas as shown in the above statement.

(c)—Does not arise, in view of reply (b) above.

(d)—Touzi Bahir Revenue is generally assessed for temporary occupation of waste land, grazing and reserved land.

Re : Supply of Boulders on Tamulpur Nagrijuli Road

Shri MANESWAR BORO asked :

134. Will the Minister, P.W.D. (R & B) be pleased to state—

(a) Whether it is a fact that the supply of Boulders on the Tamulpur Nagrijuli Road are going on ?

(b) If so, what amounts of gravels and boulders are required for this road ?

(c) Who are the contractors and quantity of gravels and boulders allotted to each of them ?

(d) What amount is sanctioned for this purpose ?

(e) When this works will be completed and when the boxing and soling works will be started ?

(f) Who prepared the plan and estimates ?

Shri ALTAF HOSSAIN MAZUMDER [ Minister of State, P.W.D. ( R & B ) ] replied :

234. (a)—Yes, collection of boulders and broken metals between Tamulpur and Nagrijuli on Udalguri-Tamulpur Road is going on.

(b)—Requirement of gravels and boulders as per provision of the sanctioned estimate is—

Gravel	—	—	—	—	65,499 cft.
Metal	—	—	—	—	2,92,950 cft.
Boulders	—	—	—	—	2,52,840 cft.

(c)—A statement showing the names of Contractors and the quantity allotted to each of them has been placed on the house.

(d)—Amount sanctioned for each item is—

Gravel	—	—	—	—	Rs. 54,474
Metal	—	—	—	—	Rs. 2,44,622
Boulders	—	—	—	—	Rs. 3,12,246

(e)—Collection work will be completed by the end of December, 1967, Thereafter measurements will be taken by the conventional methods of stocks. Soling work will be started after measurements are taken.

(f)—Executive Engineer, P.W.D. ( R & B ), Rangia Division.

Re : I. A. S. Cardre Officers in the State

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked :

235. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to State—

(a) How many I. A. S. Cadre Officers are there in the State?

(b) Their names?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

235. (a)—One hundred and fifteen.

(b)—A list showing their names is placed on the Table of the House.

Re : A. C. S. Class I Officers in the State

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked :

236. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) How many A. C. S. Class I Officers are there in the State?

(b) Their names?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

236. (a) At present there are 189 A. C. S. I Officers in the State

(b)—A list showing their names is placed on the Table of the House.

Re : Number of A.C.S. Class II Officers in the State

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked

237. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(a) How many A.C.S. Class II Officers are there in the State?

(b) Their names?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied

237. (a)—There are 338 A.C.S. II Officers in the State now.

(b)—A list showing their names is placed on the table of the House.

Re : Administrative Side and Executive side of Ahatguri Mouza of Mazuli

Shri MOHIDHAR PEGU asked :

২৩৮: মাননীয় মুখ্যমন্ত্রী মহোদয়ে অনুগ্রহ কৰি জনাব নে?—

(ক) চৰকাৰে এই কথা জানেনে যে মাজুলীৰ আহতগুৰি মৌজাৰ প্রশাসনীয় অংশ (Administrative side) যেনে মহকুমা পৰিষদ, আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চায়ত আৰু পুলিচ গোলাঘাট মহকুমাত আৰু কাৰ্য্যকৰী অংশ (Executive side) যেনে বাজুহ, গড়কাপানী আৰু শিক্ষা যোৰহাট মহকুমাত থকাৰ বাবে উক্ত মৌজাৰ বাসিন্দা সকলে অশেষ অসুবিধা ভোগ কৰিব লগা হৈছে?  
(খ) যদি জানে, তেন্তে অতি সোনকালে সেই মৌজাৰ প্রশাসনীয় অংশটোও যোৰহাটেতে সেই অঞ্চলৰ লোক সকলক যাবতীয় কামকাজৰ সুযোগ দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা চৰকাৰে কৰিব নে?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA (Chief Minister) replied :

২৩৮: (ক) আৰু (খ)—আহতগুৰি মৌজাৰ প্রশাসনীয় অংশ গোলাঘাট মহকুমাত আৰু কাৰ্য্যকৰী অংশ যোৰহাট মহকুমাত থকাত বাইজে যি অসুবিধা ভোগ কৰিব লগীয়া হৈছে সেই কথা চৰকাৰে জানে আৰু তাৰ প্ৰতিকাৰৰ উদ্দেশ্যে চৰকাৰে অনুসন্ধান কৰিছে।

Re: Money spent by E & D Department in Cachar District

Shri JATINDRA MOHAN BARBHUYA asked:

239. Will the Minister, P.W.D. (E & D) be pleased to state

(a) What amount of money been spent by the Government of Assam in the district of Cachar for E & D purpose since the starting of the works upto this time?

(b) What quantity of land has been acquired by the Government from the people of Cachar for E & D purpose upto this time?

(c) Amount of money paid by the people of Cachar whose

lands have been taken for E & D purpose ?

(d) What amount of money is still outstanding to be paid to the people ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY ( Minister etc, Flood Control and Irrigation Wing, etc., replied :

239. (a) to (d) — Informations are being collected.

### SHORT NOTICE QUESTIONS

( To which answer was laid on the table ).

Re : News item "Alleged serving of beef in hostel. Sensation in Nowgong Town."

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI asked :

1. Will the chief Minister be pleased to state :

(a) Whether his attention is drawn to a news item published in Assam Tribune on 27th October, 1967 under the caption "Alleged serving of beef in hostel. sensation in Nowgong Town" ?

(b) If so, whether any action taken in this behalf ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA ( Chief Minister ) replied :

1. (a) Yes.

(b) On 25, 10. 1967 a student of the Loyala Christian Missionary School, Nowgong reported to his guardian that beef

was being served in the hostel of the School. The guardian lodged a complaint with the police in this connection. The matter was immediately enquired into and it was found that beef was actually being cooked in the hostel. The school authorities stated during enquiry that beef was served only to the Christian teaching staff of the School. Further enquiry into the matter is in progress.

Shri SONESWAR BORA

যি কেইজনক গন্যমান্য লোক বুলি পৰিগণিত হৈছে সেই সকল কোন লোক ?

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY

শিবসাগৰ ডেপুটি কমিশ্যনাৰ—

সৰ্ব্বশ্ৰী—বি, চি, গগৈ; এচ, ডি, অ; যোৰহাট।

এম, এ, বহমান এচ, ডি, অ; গোলাঘাট।

পি, গগৈ, চিনিয়ৰ ই, এ, চি শিবসাগৰ।

ডি, শৰ্মা এচ, ডি চি যোৰহাট।

কে, এইচ হাজৰীকা এচ, ডি, চি টিয়ক।

পি, কে, বৰদলৈ এচ ডি চি মাজুলী।

জে, এন, ডেউৰী এচ, ডি, চি তিতাবৰ।

মতিলাল চেত্ৰী এল, এ, অ যোৰহাট।

এইচ, কে, নাথ ডি, এফ, অ: শিবসাগৰ।

ডি, শৰ্মা এম, এল, এ

ত্ৰীগগৈ এম, এল, এ যোৰহাট।

ডি, বৰুৱা এম, এল, এ যোৰহাট।

চি দাস এম, এল, এ যোৰহাট।

Shri SONESWAR BORA

গোলাঘাটৰ এম এল এক কয় লোৱা নহ'ল? দয়াঃ বিজাৰ্ভ যিহেতু গোলাঘাটৰ  
অন্তৰ্গত গতিকে গোলাঘাটৰ এম, এল, এ, সকলকহে সেই সভালৈ মাতি এটা

সিদ্ধান্ত লোৱা উচিত আছিল।

Shri MOHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY

দেৱাং আৰু কাক ডোঙাৰ মাটিৰ কথাহে নিৰ্দ্ধাৰণ কৰাৰ কথা আছিল। সেই কাৰণে যোৰহাটৰ সদস্যসকলকহে মতা হৈছিল।

Shri NAGENDRA NATH SARMA

গোলাঘাটৰ M.L.A. ক গণ্যমান্য মানুহ বুলি ধৰা হোৱা নাছিল নেকি ?

শ্ৰীগগৈ এম, এল, এ যোৰহাট।

“ডি বৰুৱা এম, এল, এ যোৰহাট।

টি দাস এম এল, এ, যোৰহাট।

Shri Soneswar Bora গোলাঘাটৰ এম, এল, এক কিয় লোৱা নহল ? দেৱাং বিজাৰ্ড যে হেতুকে গোলাঘাটৰ অন্তৰ্গত গতিকৈ গোলাঘাটৰ এম, এল, এ সকলকহে সেই সভালৈ মাতি এটা সিদ্ধান্ত লোৱা উচিত আছিল

Shri Mohendra Mohan Chanddhury

দেৱাং আৰু কাকডোঙাৰ মাটিৰ কথাহে নিৰ্দ্ধাৰণ কৰাৰ কথা আছিল। সেই কাৰণেই যোৰহাটৰ সদস্য সকলকহে মতা হৈছিল।

Shri Narendra Nath Sarma—গোলাঘাটৰ M.L.A. ক গণ্য মান্য মানুহ বুলি ধৰা হোৱা নাছিল নেকি ?

Shri Mohendra Mohan Choudhury.

If was decided to allot about 75% of the available area to flood/erosion affected people of Golaghat and Jorhat sub-divisions (those of sibsagar sub-division could not be accommodated in this area and would have to be rehabilitated in Sibsagar sub-Division) and the balance to

other local landless people of these two sub-divisions, i.e. about 4000 flood erosion affected families and 130 other local landless families would be settled there, out of which 200 flood/erosion affected families each, and 60 & 70 local landless families would be from Golaghat and Jorhat Sub-divisions respectively.

Shri HIRALAL PATWARY

বাতৰি কাকতত দেখিছো যে অসমৰ চেনী কোটাৰ শতকৰা ৪০ ভাগ চেনী খোলা বজাৰত বিক্ৰি কৰিব আৰু ৬০ ভাগ চেনীহে নিয়ন্ত্ৰীত মূল্যত বিক্ৰি কৰিব এই নীতি অসম চৰকাৰে মানি লৈছেনে ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA

সেইটো ভাৰত চৰকাৰৰ নীতি যেতিয়া, অসম চৰকাৰে মানি নোলোৱাৰ কথা কি আছে ?

Shri HIRALAL PATWARY

মোৰ প্ৰশ্ন হ'ল, মুখ্য মন্ত্ৰীয়ে কৈছে যে ভাৰত চৰকাৰৰ নীতি অসম চৰকাৰে মানি নোলোৱাৰ প্ৰশ্ন নাই। কিন্তু এই ৪০ ভাগ জনসাধাৰণক বেচি দামত দিব লগা হ'ব এইটো নিয়ন্ত্ৰণ কৰাৰ কি দিহা কৰিছে ?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA

মই এইটো নীতিৰ কথা জানো ভাৰত চৰকাৰে মতামত দিছে সেইটো অসম চৰকাৰে গ্ৰহণ কৰাৰ বাহিৰে অন্য উপায় নাই ?

Shri SADHAN RANJAN SARKAR

বেচন দোকান বিলাকত যি চেনী আতা আদি দিয়া হয়, সেইবোৰ কি Basis ত দিয়া হয় ?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BARUA

সেইটো Population Basis ত দিয়া হয়।

Shri HIRALAL PATWARY

চাৰ, মোৰ প্রশ্ন হৈছে.....

Mr. SPEAKER

মুখ্য মন্ত্ৰীয়ে আগতেই কলে যে ভাৰত চৰকাৰে এই সিদ্ধান্ত লোৱা সময়ত মুখ্যমন্ত্ৰীও উপস্থিত আছিল—

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA

মই ভাৱ নাছিলো কিন্তু অসমীয়া কিছুনানে নিজৰ মত প্ৰকাশ কৰা স্বত্বেও এই মতামত ভাৰত চৰকাৰে লোৱা কৰা মই পিচত শুনিছো।

Shri BHUBANESWAR BARMAN

নলবাৰী আৰু বৰপেটা মহকুমাৰ জনমুখি সংখ্যাত যে দিয়া হোৱা নাই সেই কথা চৰকাৰে জানেনে?

Shri RAMESH CHANDRA BAROOAH

দিবলৈ চেষ্টা কৰা হৈছে অবশ্যে এতিয়াও ঠিকমতে দিব পৰা নাই।

Shri HIRALAL PATWARY

যি ৪০ ভাগ চেনি অসমলৈ আহিব; সেইখিনি ভাৰত বন্ধা আইনমতে অসম চৰকাৰে নিয়ন্ত্ৰণ কৰিবলৈ চেষ্টা কৰিবনে?

Shri BIMALA PRASAD CHALIHA

মাননীয় সদস্য ডাঙৰীয়াই এইটো সহজে বুজিব যে সেই নিয়ন্ত্ৰণৰ পৰিণতি কি হ'ব। সেই শতকৰা ৪০ ভাগ চেনি অসমলৈ আৰু নাই যি মুহূৰ্ত্তত ব্যৱসায়ীয়ে জানিব সেই চেনি অসমলৈ নানিব আৰু বিক্ৰিও নকৰিব।

Shri sadhan Ranjan Sarkar—Whether the Government propose to bring this 40 per cent of sugar directly from the Mills?

Mr. Speaker—No. Government thinks that this will be given to the private traders: 60 per cent will be on Government account and 40 per cent on private traders. His question is: Whether the state Government will convert it into private traders concern ?

Shri Ramesh Chandra Barooah— At the moment, we do not consider it necessary to do so.

Mr. Speaker—So long rule are not amended, short notice questions can not be brought before other questions and I have already said that the rules committee should be constituted for getting certain things done. Because short notice questions must get preference over others and unless the rule is amended I cannot help.

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA—Sir, as a matter of convention we used to do it..

Shri MOHENDRA MOHAN CHAUDHURY—Yes, but after the starred questions are replied :

Mr. Speaker—But as the questions hour is over we cannot take it. Re—discussion on a matter of urgent public importance under rule 50.

Shri PROMOD CHANDRA GOGOI—Sir, may we know the position of the representative submitted to the chief Minister by Shri Govinda Kalita on 25.10.67 to raise a discussion ?

Mr. Speaker—under rule 51.

Shri PROMOD CHANDRA GOGOI—under rule 50.

Re—Question positions during the Autumn session.

Mr. speaker—Now as many as 410 starred questions and one short notice

question have been replied. I must thank the Govt. for respecting the wish of the house. Under rule 47 "Any starred questions which remain unanswered on the last day of the session, replies to such questions shall be circulated to the members, and such replies small part of the proceedings of the last day" and this also applies to the short notice questions of Shri Bhadra kanta gogoi

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Shri MAHENDRA MOHON CHOUDAURY : (Minister Parliamentary Affairs) Yes, but after the starred questions are replied,

Mr Speaker : But as the question hour is over we cannot take it.

Re : Discussion on a matter of urgent public importance under Rule 50.

Shri PROMODE CHANDRA GOGOI (Sels agent) Sir may we know the position of the representation submitted to the Chief Minister by

Shri GOVINDA KALITA on 25.10.67 to raise a discussion ?

Mr. Speaker ; Under Rule 51 ?

Shri PROMODE CHANDRA GOGOI : Under Rule 50.

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Shri Dulal Chandra Barua : I am not going to question it but by considering the importance of these questions it will not be improper if you allow only the questions to be replied. There will be no supplementaries.

Mr. Speaker : Let me see how proceed.

Re : Papers laid on the table.

Mr. SPEAKER : Now there is another important thing I forgot to tell. I have received a file from Shri Prabin Kumar Choudhury Minister of state for transport and the file is placed on the table of the house.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua : Another file was to be submitted to you; whether the same has been received ?

Mr. Speaker : Regarding obituary ?

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua : Yes Sri, regarding obituary.

Mr. Speaker : Regarding obituary I have ordered that this also should be placed on the table of the House. Actually it was submitted to me and I have placed it on the table of the House.

Shri Prabin Kumar Chaudhury : (Minister of state transport)  
Sir, I submitted the file for your information.

Shri Gaurisankar Bhattacharyya : can a Minister dictate the speaker ?

(Voice—It is his submission) (Minister, Parliamentary Affairs),

Shri Mohendra Mohon Choudhury : Generally the office files are not laid down on the table of the House. considering the importance of the matter we may submit the file to the Honourable speaker. The Honourable speaker goes through the file and he may also call the particular member and for his information (Interruption) Mr. Speaker : That is a better procedure. put there is no thing objectionable in these files and there fore these files are placed on the Table of the House.

Presentation of a Petition relating to the grivences of the work-charged employees of the Public works Department (F.C & I wing)

Shri Bhubaneswar Barman : মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়,

অসম বিধান সভাৰ 'কলচ' অৰ 'প্ৰচিডিয়ৰ' এণ্ড কনডাক্ট অৰ বিজিনেট ১১২ ধাৰা অনুযায়ী মই এখন দৰ্খাস্ত এই সদনৰ মজিয়াত দাঙি ধৰিব খুজিছো। এই দৰ্খাস্তখন .....

Mr. Speaker : You need not make a speech. You will please read out the application.

Shri Bhubaneswar Barman : মই পঢ়ি দিছোঁ।

মাননীয় অসম বিধান সভাৰ সমীপেষু মহাশয়,

শ্ৰদ্ধাস্পদ মহাশয়,

যথা বিহীত সন্মানপূৰ্বক আমি নিম্ন স্বাক্ষৰকাৰী গড়কাপ্তানী আৰু মথা-উৰি আৰু খাল বিভাগৰ বহুৱা সকলে আপোনাৰ জৰিয়তে আমাৰ—, তথা গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ বহুৱা সকলৰ দুখ দুৰ্দশাৰ কথা মহামান্য অসম বিধান সভাৰ দৃষ্টিগোচৰ কৰিব বিচাৰিছো এই বাজ্যৰ জনসাধাৰণৰ স্বার্থ আৰু অধিকাৰৰ একমাত্ৰ বক্ষক আৰু পালক-বোহৰুকে এই মহামান্য বিধান সভাৰ আপুনি

প্ৰতীক-আমি সেট কাৰণে সবিনয়ে আপোনাৰ ওচৰত নিবেদন কৰিছো যেন আমি দুখীয়া গাক অৱহেলিত নাগৰিক সকলৰ হৃদ্যৰ কথা যেন যথা নিয়ম বিৱৰ্তিত হয়।

আমি গড়কাপ্তানী আৰু মথাউৰি পাল পথ মথাউৰি আৰু বিভাগত বাজহুৱা আৰু বক্ষণাবেক্ষণ আৰু মেৰামতি কৰা কাৰ্য্যত নিযুক্ত লোক। আমাৰ অভাৱ গাক হৃদ্যৰ কাহিনীয়ে এতিয়ালৈ বিভাগীয় আৰু বাজিক বৰ্ত্তপক্ষৰ সহানুভূতি আৰ্জন কৰিব পৰা নাই। ১৯৪৯ চনত আমি এটা সংঘ স্থাপন কৰি আৰু তাৰ পিছত ১৯৫৮ চনত এই সংঘকে বেলেগ নামত গঠন কৰি আমি এতিয়ালৈ আমাৰ অভাৱ অভিযোগ পূৰণৰ বাবে চেষ্টা কৰি আহিছো। এই সংঘ নৰ্থ কামৰূপ পি. ডবলিউ, ডি, মজুহৰ সংঘ নামেৰে ট্ৰেড ইউনিয়ন আইন অনুসৰি ৰেজিষ্ট্ৰি কৰা হৈছে।

এতিয়ালৈ আমাৰ আবেদন নিবেদন স্বত্বেও এই বিভাগৰ সকলো বন্ধুৱাকৈ অস্থায়ী আৰু দিন হাজিৰা বন্ধুৱা হিচাবে ৰখা হৈছে আৰু মথাউৰিআৰু খাল বিভাগ বন্ধুৱা সকলক ৫ মাহৰ বাবে নিয়োগ কৰি কামৰ পৰা বৰখাস্ত কৰা হয়।

এই ধৰণে শ্ৰেণীৰ মানুহক সদায়ে অস্থায়ী ভাৱে ৰখাৰ পৰিণতিৰ ফলত একালে যেনেকৈ কামৰ ক্ষতি হয় সেইদৰে আমাৰ আৰু আমাৰ লৰা-ছোৱালীৰ ভৱিষ্যত অন্ধকাৰ হৈয়ে থাকে। কাৰণ যি কোনো মুহূৰ্ততে আমাক কামৰ পৰা বৰখাস্ত কৰিব পাৰে। অনিশ্চয়তা কামৰ বাবে আমি কামত দক্ষতা অৰ্জন কৰাত অসুবিধা হয় আৰু তাৰ ফলত বাজহুৱা ক্ষতি হয়।

অতি পৰিতাপৰ কথা যে যদিও এতিয়ালৈ বন্ধুৱা শ্ৰেণীৰ উন্নতিৰ বাবে বহুতো আইন প্ৰনয়ন কৰা হৈছে—এই আইন সমূহৰ সুবিধাৰ পৰা আমি বঞ্চিত। সৰ্ব্বনিম্ন বেতন (minimum wages out) আইনৰ বাহিৰে আমাৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত আন কোনো আইন প্ৰয়োগ নোহোৱা কাৰণে আমি সকলো প্ৰকাৰৰ আইনগত সুবিধাৰ পৰা বঞ্চিত হৈ আছো।

আমাৰ নিয়োগৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত কোনো নিয়ম নাই আৰু সেইদৰে কোনো নিয়ম অনুশৰণ নকৰাকৈয়ে আমাক কামৰ পৰা বিতাৰণ কৰা হয়। যদিও ৫ বছৰৰ চাকৰিৰ কাল বিবেচনা কৰাৰ বাবে বিভাগীয় নিৰ্দেশ আছে—এই নিৰ্দেশ কম ক্ষেত্ৰতে পালন কৰা হয়। ২৫১৩০ বছৰ কাল চাকৰি কৰা বন্ধুৱাকো

বিনা কাৰণে আৰু বিনা বিচাৰে কামৰ পৰা বিতাৰণ কৰা হয়। নিয়োগ আৰু বিতাৰণ, নিবীক্ষক কৰ্মচাৰী supervisory staff) হাতত থকা কাৰণে বহু ক্ষেত্ৰত দুৰ্নীতি সোমাই পৰিছে আৰু ই দকৈ শিপাই লৈছে। আমি এতিয়ালৈ আন আন সকলো বনুৱাই লাভ কৰা নিয়ন্ত্ৰণ মানবীয় অধিকাৰ সমূহৰ পৰাও বঞ্চিত হৈয়েই আছো যদিও সপ্তাহত এদিন আৰু বছৰত ৫ দিন দৰমহা সহ ছুটি পাওঁ তথাপি বহু ক্ষেত্ৰত এদিনৰ অনুপস্থিতিৰ কাৰণে দুদিনৰ দৰমহা কটা হয়। ফলত আমি আমাৰ কম উপাৰ্জনেৰে বহুতো টকা হেৰুৱাব লগা হয়। বেমাৰৰ আৰু সকামৰ কাৰণে আমাৰ বাবে কোনো ছুটিৰ ব্যৱস্থা নাই। আন হাতে নিবীক্ষক কৰ্মচাৰী তথা মহৰী সকলৰ বছৰি ছুটি ১৫ দিন আৰু আমাৰ মাত্ৰ ৫ দিন। সেই কাৰণে বাকী ১০ দিন মহৰী সকল কাম চোৱাৰ বাবে নহা কাৰণে আমাবো কাম বন্ধ হয় আৰু একো দিনৰ বাবে দুদিনৈ আমাৰ লোকচান হয় অৰ্থাত দুদিনৰ দৰমহা কটা যায়।

সেই কাৰণে আমি মহামান্য অসম বিধান সভাক আপোনাৰ জৰীয়তে আমাৰ তলৰ দাবী সমূহ পূৰণৰ বাবে সন্মানপূৰ্বক আবেদন কৰিলোঁ। আমি বিশ্বাস ৰাখিছো আমি নিঃকিন দুখীয়াৰ দাবী আপোনালোকে বিবেচনা কৰিব—

১। সকলো বনুৱা আইন গড়কাপ্তানী আৰু মথাউৰি আৰু খাল বিভাগৰ বনুৱাৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত প্ৰয়োগ হ'ব লাগে।

২। এবছৰৰ অধিক কাল কাম কৰা সকলো বনুৱাৰ চাকৰি স্থায়ী বুলি পৰিগণিত হ'ব লাগে।

৩। বনুৱাক একমাত্ৰ S.D.O. বা তেওঁতকৈ উৰ্দ্ধতন কৰ্মচাৰীয়েহে বৰখাস্ত কৰিব পাৰিব লাগে আৰু উপযুক্ত প্ৰমাণ সাপেক্ষে আৰু বনুৱাক আত্মবক্ষা সমৰ্থনৰ সুবিধা দিয়াৰ পিছতহে বৰখাস্ত কৰিব লাগে।

৪। বনুৱাক বেমাৰত ছুটি, আৰু ধৰ্মীয় আৰু ৰাষ্ট্ৰীয় ছুটিৰ দিনত দৰমহা সহ ছুটি দিব লাগে।

৫। বনুৱাৰ সৰ্বনিম্ন দৰমহা বজাৰ দাম অনুসৰি নিৰ্দ্ধাৰিত হ'ব লাগে আৰু মৰণীয়া বাৰ্চৰ ব্যৱস্থা হ'ব লাগে।

৩। স্থায়ী বহুৱাৰ বাবে, প্ৰভিডেন্স ফান্ডৰ সুবিধা হ'ব লাগে। ইতি

গভীৰ শ্ৰদ্ধা সহকাৰে  
গড়কাপ্তানী বিভাগৰ বহুৱা সকলৰ হৈ—  
শ্ৰীবদন চন্দ্ৰ তালুকদাৰ) যুঃ সম্পাদক নৰ্থ কামৰূপ  
শ্ৰীভূপেন্দ্ৰ নাথ শৰ্ম্মা ( পি, ডবলিউ, ডি মজুৰ সংঘ

Mr. Speaker : Under Rule 114 of the Rules of Procedure and conduct of Busitness in Assam Legislative Assembly this will be referred to the Committee on Petitions.

### STATEMENT BY CHIEF MINISTER THE RECENT BOMB- EXPLOSION AT THE ASSAM SECRETARIAT BUILDING.

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha ( Chief Minister ) :—

Mr. Speaker, Sir, on the 24th of October while speaking on Adjournment Motion relating to the explosions in the secretariat building and the P.W.D. area which occurred on the night of 17th October, I had promised to make a further statement to acquaint the Honble Members with additional information collected in course of enquiry which could be placed before the House without affecting the public interest. Today being the last day of the present session, the promised statement cannot be deferred any further though I should have liked a little more time so that the investigation should have led to a still clearer picture. However, I am glad to be able to inform the House that the enquiries carried out by the police have made substantial progress and are proceeding on the right lines.

Unfortunately; I cannot give the full details at this stage as this would not be in the public interest do, however, wish to make it clear to this August House that the whole affair involves more than what meets the eye.

2. We had been aware for some time of the existence here in the Capital and in the neighbourhood of certain anti-social elements charged with the specific Mission of causing alarm and terror by resorting to acts of sabotage and assassination,

3. Even from last year, acting on specific information Police have taken into custody a fairly large number of these agents some of whom were actually detected being in possession of arms ammunition and explosives. From the beginning of June this year, the Police operations were further intensified and 41 persons were arrested by the police. Out of these, 6 were involved in specific cases of possession of unlicensed arms ammunition and explosives, 15 have been detained under the D.I. Rules, further interrogation of 3 are being carried out and 23 have been released on bail.

4. In fact, 3 cases of explosions had occurred in the U. K. & J. Hills district in the recent past of which 2 were in town itself in the month of March, 1967. Even at this moment a drive is on to apprehend 2 named individuals and their associates who have been planted in the Capital for sabotage and assassination.

5. Further investigation of the criminal case also revealed some interesting features which were different from the first impression about the explosions. As I indicated in my speech

on October 24, the assistance of the Inspector of Explosives of the Govt. of India was obtained for advice on the technical aspect of the investigation. His detailed report is awaited as it will be submitted only after thorough examination and analysis of the exhibits seized at the places of occurrence. The investigation carried out so far with the help and advice of the Inspector of Explosives indicates that the explosives were thrown from a distance and at least one explosion in the Secretariat premises must have occurred at least 5/6 feet above ground level in order to have caused damage to the windows of the first floor. It will not be in the public interest to divulge further significance of the evidence found by the Investigating officer at this stage without jeopardizing the process of investigation.

6. Lapses on the part of the Armed Police Guard at the Secretariat are being enquired into by the Commandant of the Armed police Battalion concerned and the Guard Commander has been charge-sheeted. Completion of the proceedings in this connection according to the prescribed procedure will naturally take sometime. A high level enquiry is also being conducted by the Additional Chief Secretary with a view to stream line security arrangements in which various agencies like Special Branch personnel, Armed Police, District Police and Secretariat employees are involved. Necessary action will be taken on receipt of his report.

7. It is a matter of regret that some anti-social elements, though small in number until now are acting as tools in the hands of foreign agents who derive inspiration, training

and material help from countries unfriendly to India and our way of life in a parliamentary democracy. The situation though not alarming at this stage is thus fraught with grave potentialities. I, therefore, appeal to all Hon'ble Members of this House to lend their whole-hearted support to destroy and stamp out the last remnants of foreign agents and to uphold the sanctity of the Constitution of India so that the democratic way of life may survive in spite of stresses and strain. I assure this house that Govt. will no effort to unearth such foreign agents and their collaborators and most drastic action will be taken against them.

#### STATEMENT BY CHIEF MINISTER THE MIZO SITUATION.

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha (Chief Minister):

The hon- Members may recall the statement I had made during the last Session of this House. Since then we have passed through an extremely trying period due to monsoon weather conditions which rendered surface communication most difficult and uncertain. It was not unusual for convoys to take the best part of 4/5 days to cover the distance between Silchar and Aijal. In one case it took the record time of nearly two weeks. This had a most deleterious effect on the supply position, particularly in the most remote regions like Lungleh. For the same reasons Air activity relating to maintenance of supply was also greatly handicapped. Government servants as well as the civil population suffered great privation which was on the whole courageously borne.

The Hon'ble Members may be aware that no significant change in the internal situation of the district has been visible. The same pattern of hostiles' activities continued in the form of murder, looting, kidnapping and intimidation on a fairly wide scale, but the efforts of the Security Forces have definitely put such activities on the wane. In spite of adverse weather conditions the Security Forces continue to maintain pressure on the hostiles. This has been evident from the numerous encounters during this period. In the month of last June the Security Force had encountered the hostiles on 23 occasions, killing 32 of them; injuring 2 and capturing 27. They had also raided several hostiles hide outs in the district and arrested 230 hostiles and suspects. During the same month 78 hostiles had also surrendered before the District Authorities.

Raids had continued in the month of July also on hostiles hide-outs and the Security Forces capture 117 hostiles and suspects besides 16 others surrendering during the month. In the month of August 105 suspects and 25 confirmed hostiles were captured. In one such raid a sum of Rs. 5,500 and some important documents relating to their activities and large quantities of ammunition were recovered. Four hostiles were killed and 8 injured during the encounters in this month. Unfortunately 3 of the Security Force personnel had lost their lives during these encounters. Twenty hostiles had surrendered during this month without arms. The hostiles issued notices to different school authorities in the district to close down their schools.

During September similarly several raids were conducted in hostiles hide-outs and 131 suspected hostiles were captured, 22 hostiles were killed during the encounters and two injured. Unfortunately, a member of the Security Force personnel was also injured. Security Force recovered a considerable quantity of arms and ammunition and prejudicial documents from the hostiles during these encounters.

A renewed and more determined effort to interfere in the educational life of the district came to notice during this period. The burning of the Gandhi Memmorial High School at Champhai in early hours of 9th September 1967 was one of the most glaring instances of the M. N. F. interference with education in the district. It is however heartening to learn that undaunted by total loss of the building, furniture, records etc. The local teachers have already restarted the school in the L. P. School premises. the people of Champhai have also started re-building of the school with whatsoever resources they have at their disposal.

Followed closely with the above incident was an attempt to set fire to St. John High School, Kolasib on the night of 19th September, The fire was however put out but not before two rooms were destroyed. This incident has also angered and aroused resentment of the Mizo in general. Besides damaging the buildings in these institutions the hostiles had also threatened the students coming from neighbouring villages to attend their schools. They had issued notices to the different School Authorities in

the district to close down the schools besides issuing order prohibiting villagers from entering the town area with food stuff. In the southern part of the Mizo district they imposed taxes and displayed posters at different area asking the people to contribute towards their fund. They had demanded Rs. 150/ from each matric candidates and in certain areas they had prevented the villagers from moving freely thus causing great hardship to the villagers in procuring rice and other essential food.

Again in the early hours on the night of 1st November after firing about 20 rounds of stengun the hostiles set fire to the Govt. P. M. College, Aijal and burnt the new Office building of the College with records and Furniture.

Fortunately the main college building could not be damaged. Security Forces soon cordoned the area but could not get any clue.

During the period from July 1967 to October 1967 there has been no hostile depredation of a serious nature on the Cachar-Mizo district border. There were a few cases of extortion of rice and money by the hostiles from the Riangs inhabiting the border-land.

A more serious incident took place on the night of October 19/20 when about 40/50 Mizo hostiles kidnapped 8 Riangs from Bagchhera village under katlicherra P.S. (Cachar). One of the kidnapped persons, however, managed to escape with gun shot injuries and return home. Vigorous attempts

are being made to rescue the rest. While the internal situation in the district did not register any market change two new disquieting features have made their appearance on the Mizo scene. There is increasing evidence of a link up between the M.N.F. hostiles of Assam with the insurgents of Mizo and kuki tribes in Manipur and also the rebel Nagas. This development though not entirely unexpected has certainly made the problem more complex in nature involving different administrative and operational commands.

Report of a move on the part of the M.N.F. to liaise with. At the same time/Communist China for obtaining arms and other assistance have also been received. That such contact between the Naga rebels and China has already been established is now taken as a fact. It is, therefore, quite possible that the Mizos may in the near future succeed in doing like wise if they have not already done so. While these new factors are matters for concern and every effort is being made to see that they do not nocceed they have to be viewed in the proper perspective of the internal and international situation prevailing in this part of the country. We have to live with the facts of the existence of unfriendly Pakistan and China close to our borders and remain consious of the bearing these are bound to have on our internal and external security. It continues to be our duty to be extremely vigilant with regard to these neighbours whom unfortunately we cannot count among our friends at the present moment. It is quite reliably learnt that a fresh consignment of arms and ammunition found its way from East Pakistan to the M.N.F. camps in Mizo district during the period under review.

FURTHER INFORMATION ON ST. QUESTION NO. 36 REPLIED ON 7TH NOVEMBER 1967 RE: TRANSFER OF STATE OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

Shri Bimala Prasad Chaliha- (Chief Minister) Sir, before we take up the next item, I want to make an announcement. The other day in course of supplementary questions regarding some cases of transfers were mentioned. Now I have got the information of these cases referred to which I have given to the Secretary for circulation to the hon' members

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE NAMES OF CHAIRMEN OF THE SELECT COMMITTEES ON THE ASSAM BORSTAL INSTITUTION BILL 1967 AND THE DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1967.

Mr. Speaker :—Under rule 198 (1), I make the following announcement that I have appointed Shrimati Pushpalata Das as Chairman of the Select committee of the Borstal Institution Bill, 1967 and Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi as Chairman of the select committee of the Dibrugarh University (Amendment) Bill, 1967

VOTING ON SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS FOR GRANTS FOR 1967-68.

Mr. Speaker :—Now, next item of the agenda, supplementary demands to be taken up at 10.30 a.m. We take up demand No. 4.

DEMAND NO. 4.

Shri Joy Bhadra Hajger, Minister—(Education) Sir, on the recommendation of the Governor of Assam, I beg to move that an additional

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amount of Rs. 74,95,176. be granted to the Minister-in-charge to defray certain charges which will come in the course of payment during the year ending 31st March, 1968, for the administration of the head "28 Education".

Mr. Speaker—The demand is moved.

There are 3 cut motions, one of which can be moved and that speak on the whole.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua—Sir, I beg to move that the total provision of Rs. 74,95,176. under Supplementary Demand No. 4 Major head "28.-Education", at page 7 of the List of Supplementary Demands be reduced to Re. 1. i.e. the amount of the whole supplementary demand of Rs. 74,95,178, do stand reduced to Re. 1.

Mr Speaker—Cut motion moved.

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua—Sir. I want to make the following observations, in support of my cut motion.

Sir, we have heard during the last session the speech given by the hon. Finance Minister that due to Paucity of fund the Govt. was not going to take over new institutions for grants and at that time we have submitted not to speak of new institutions those institutions which were in deplorable condition and were not properly equipped with buildings and other such essential things should be given adequate grants.

Sir, in the explanatory notes, in para 1 it is said as follows "The Additional amount is required as certain posts which were vacant at the time of submission of budget estimate were subsequently filled up and also due to inadequate provision."

Here it has not been clearly stated as to how many posts were filled up and what are the pay scales for these posts.

Then in para 2, it is stated, "6,8,9,13,17 and 23. The additional amounts

are required to meet the Ad-hoc D.A. sanctioned by the Government from 1st January 1967, i.e. after the submission of budget estimate."

Sir, in this connection also I would like to submit whether this Ad-hoc D.A. sanction from 1st January, 1967 covers all the teachers including teachers in colleges, both aided and Govt. high school and primary school? Whether by this ad-hoc D.A. is also meant to meet Ad-hoc D.A. for those teachers who were discharged but by an order of the Govt. subsequently reinstated?

Then in the para 3 it is stated,

"The additional amount is required to meet the pay ( Rs, 20,000 ) of the casual employees and Rs, ( 3,000 ) for meeting the expenditure of Govt. Tribal Hostel in Shillong as the Original provision has been found inadequate. ( Rs, 12,000 ) is required to pay the Ad-hoc D.A. sanctioned from 1st January, 1967 to the casual employees of cotton College."

Sir, of course, in this connection we are not in a position to discuss the policy matter of the Govt. but as we have stated yesterday that this provision for hostel accommodation for tribal students, we differ the policy that has been followed by Govt. that a hostel should exclusively be for tribal students only, You know very well, Sir, the tribal hostel is only meant for Naga, Mizo and other tribal students, We do not mind for giving a hostel for the tribal brothers but what I would like to state that in this very hostel the root of the disorders in the Mizo Hills grew, We should not make watertight compartment hostel making some sort of divisions amongst the various sections of the young generation. As I have said we have no objection to give accommodation to tribal boys and girls but at the same time before making such a hostel the integrity and solidarity of the State should be taken into consideration primarily. Therefore, I submit that this short of grant for providing accommodation to particular students should be avoided at all costs so that

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we can maintain our friendship and brotherhood among all sections of our students community.

We have here in this cut Motion specially mentioned, "To criticise the defective control on expenditure and to criticise the sanction of Grants-in-aid to Banasthali Vidyapith in Rajasthan. Moreover to raise a discussion on the progress made by the Government for the establishment of a training college for Hindi teachers and to raise a discussion awarding scholarships to the children of teachers. "As we have already stated the conditions of our own institutions are very deplorable. They are not well-equipped, well staffed and well provided for with there necessary parapharnelia so as to bring up the standard of education to the level they are expected. On the face of it is nothing but sheer favouritism to part with such a large sum of money for giving scholarships to students who are studying in the Banasthalli Vidyapith at Rajasthan an, I would therefore like to know whether Government has made any such provisions for other institutions located in our own State. Hindi training is indeed very necessary and therefore we want to know whether Government is making provision for training of Hindi inside the State so that we may have better training facilities in respect of Hindi. Now it has been stated under item No. 6 at page 7 of the Supplementary Demand that this additional amount of Rs. 2,000 is necessary for "University-4. -Government Professional Colleges (a) Post-G. Trg. College, Jorhat-3. Allowances and Honoraria Ad hoc Dearness Allowances." I want to know whether the facilities sought to be given under this grant to Aided College teachers and also be extended to the ministerial staffs and the 4th grade employees. Of course, here in the Explanatory Notes some indications have been given, but

this has not been exhaustive enough to enable us to understand it fully. Besides, many of these institutions which have been recognised by both the Gauhati and the Dibrugarh Universities are very much hard up for want of necessary funds. Therefore I suggest that necessary provisions should be made for adequate funds for these institutions. For instance in the Jorhat Law College, certain anomalies have cropped up for want of funds as a result of which the University is going to withdraw its recognition. As a result the students who have been studying there are faced with difficulties, as unless certain conditions are not fulfilled, the University would not allow the students studying there to appear in the examination. There are certain other similar institutions started by the public which are also facing similar predicaments. Government grants to these institutions are imperative necessities. We do not want mushroom growth of educational institutions so as to bring down the standard of education. But those institutions which have been already started and have some reasonable standard should be patronised by Government. Then again, Sir coming to the Primery Schools also I find that the amount allotted for them is practically nil and falls far short of the actual requirement. As a matter of fact, unless the standard of education in these primery schools can be built up on sound footing, our students in higher stages of education are not likely to meet with any success. Therefore education needs be built up from the bottom. I have also seen that no provision has been made for taking over of the tea-garden L.P.Schools by Government. The Government formed a committee to consider this question, and that committee has recommended to Government to take over these institutions. The other day an Hon. Member from that side of the House elaborately dealt with the question of Secondary education. But I am sorry to find that he had made no mention whatsoever about primery education. I would therefore like to know why provision has not been made for taking over of the primery schools in the tea gardens. We do not have any intention to block the expenditure on education but what we want is to have a clear picture of the man-

new method by which the Government propose to utilise the money under this grant.

With these few observation, Sir, I commend the Cut Motion for acceptance of the House.

Shri Moneswar Boro : মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, ৪নং গ্রান্টৰ ওপৰত অনা কৰ্ত্তন প্ৰস্তাৱটি মই সমৰ্থন কৰো আৰু সেই প্ৰসঙ্গত মই কেই আৰাৰ মান কও। অসম চৰকাৰৰ এটা ট্ৰাইবেল হোটেল ছিলত আছে বুলি শুনিছো। সেইটো উপিঙত ভাৰা কৰা হৈছিল। মাহিী ভাৰাও ৫৭৫ টকা বুলি শুনিছো। তাৰ অৱস্থা বৰ বেয়া। তাৰ পিচত নিউকলনিলৈ আনিছে। তাত থকা লৰা কেইজনমানে মোক মাতি নি হোটেলৰ অৱস্থা দেখুৱাইছিল। যি অৱস্থাত মই দেখিলো—দেখি হুখ লাগে। পানী নাই; লাইট নাই। অথচ চাকাবে ইমান ভাৰাও দিছে। তাৰোপৰি ঘৰটোৰ চাৰিওফালে মুকলি, কেনচিং নাই। হোটেল চুপাৰিণ্টেণ্ডেণ্টৰ কুৱাটাৰ নাই। আশেপাশে তাত মিলীটেৰী থাকে; জুৱা খেলা; মদ খোৱা আদিৰ ঘাটিও আশেপাশে আছে। এদিন এটা ঘটনাও হৈছিল; মিলীটেৰী আহি তাত সোমাইছিল—লৰাবিলাকে বাধা দিওতে মিলীটেৰীয়ে মাৰিব খুজিছিল। কোনো এজন পুলিচ কৰ্ম্মগৰীৱ মধ্যস্থতাত শান্ত হয়। এইবিলাক অসুবিধাত পৰা লৰাবিলাক পঢ়া-শুৱা কৰিব নোৱাৰা হৈছে সেইক বনে মই কও এই ট্ৰাইবেল হোটেলটোৰ চাৰিওফালে কেনচিং দিয়াৰ লাগে।

তাৰ পিচত, আৰু এটা কথা শুনিলো যে, তাৰ পানীৰ কাৰনে এটা টেক বহুৱাওতে খাচীয়া মানুহে ভয় দেখুৱাইছে—আৰু মাহে ৭ টকাকৈ তাৰ বাবদ পয়চা দিব লাগিব। এইটোৰ ভাল ব্যৱস্থা কৰিব লাগে।

তাৰ পিচত এই হোটেলত চিটৰ সংখ্যা কম হৈ আছে—ইয়াৰ চিটৰ সংখ্যা বঢ়াব লাগে।

তাৰ পিচত Scheduled cast ৰ কাৰণে দিয়া ৯ লাখ ২৫ হাজাৰ টকা সময়মতে চৰকাৰে দিব পৰা নাই; ইয়াৰ ফলত ল'ৰা-ছোৱালী বিলাকে সময়মতে বৃত্তি আদি নাপায় আৰু ফিজ দিব নোৱাৰিলে, পৰীক্ষাদিবলৈ নাপায়।

এই বৃত্তিৰ টকাবিলাক মাহে মাহে দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰিব লাগে। আকৌ স্কুলৰ শিক্ষক সকলে সময়মতে নিয়মীয়াকৈ দস্তাহা নাপায়। এই সকলোবিলাক অসুবিধা চৰকাৰে দূৰ কৰিবলৈ কাৰ্য্যকাৰী ব্যৱস্থা লব লাগে।

Shri Guri Sankar Bhattacharyya এই সদনত মুঠতে ২৬ টা বিষয়ৰ ওপৰত আলোচনাৰ কথা। তাৰে মাত্ৰ দুটা প্ৰধান বিষয়ৰ ওপৰত কিছু কথা কম। ইংৰাজীত এবাৰ কথা আছে—“To carry iu to new Caslte” অৰ্থাৎ তেলীৰ মূৰত তেল দিয়া। মই প্ৰধানকৈ চৰকাৰৰ দৃষ্টি আকৰ্ষণ কৰো ২২নং আৰ্টেমেটোত ইয়াত অৰ্থাৎ এই আইতেমেটোত ৰাজস্থানৰ কাংস্থলী বিদ্যাপীঠৰ কাৰ ন আগতে মঞ্জুৰ কৰা ৫ হাজাৰ গ্ৰাণ্টৰ উপৰিও অতিৰিক্ত ৫০,০০০ টকাৰ অনুদান বিচাৰিছে।

যেতিয়ালৈ এই ৰাজস্থানৰ বনস্থলী বিদ্যাপীঠত যদি টকা দিয়া নহয় তেতিয়ালৈ টোপনী নহা হৈছে। টকা নিদিলে সৰ্বনাশ তাত বোল আমাৰ ছাত্ৰ ছাত্ৰী আছে হয়তো মোৰ ছোৱালীও থাকিব পাৰে। কিন্তু সদনে ভালকৈ জনা দৰ্কাৰ তাত দুই বকমৰ ছাত্ৰ-ছাত্ৰী আছে agegroup অনুসাৰে ৯-১২ বছৰীয়া যিবিলাক ছাত্ৰ-ছাত্ৰী ভৰ্ত্তি কৰা হয় সৰ্বভাৰতীয় প্ৰতিযোগীতামূলক পৰীক্ষালৈ তাত যিসকল উত্তীৰ্ণ হয়, তেওঁলোকে Medrit Scholarship পায় যি সকল একেবাৰে দুখীয়া, তেওঁলোকে সকলো খৰছ পায় আৰু ধনীসকল খৰচ দি পঢ়িব লাগে। সেইধৰণে অসমৰো যিসকল লৰা-ছোৱালী গৈছে তাৰ কাৰণে আমি চৰকাৰৰ এটা পইছাও দিয়া দৰ্কাৰ নাই। কাৰণ কেন্দ্ৰীয় চৰকাৰে দিয়ে। ইয়াৰ পৰা প্ৰায় ৩৪ জনী ছোৱালী গৈছে সেই কেইজনী ইয়াৰ এক বিশিষ্ট কৰ্মচাৰীৰ আৰু কেইজনমান কংগ্ৰেছ নেতাৰ ছোৱালী। যিবিলাকে বৃত্তি নাপালে এতিয়া চাওক, যি চৰকাৰে টকা নাই বুলি আমাৰ অসমৰ যিবিলাক দুখীয়া মানুহ যাৰ লৰা-ছোৱালীক পঢ়িবৰ কাৰণে লাইটোৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰাৰ ক্ষমতা নাই আমাৰ প্ৰাথমিক আৰু মাধ্যমিক বিদ্যালয়ত টকা দিব নোৱাৰে। আমাৰ প্ৰাথমিক বিদ্যালয়ৰ শিক্ষকক দৰমহা বিবৰ ক্ষমতা নাই যি চৰকাৰৰ বেছৰৰ কাৰণে বিদ্যালয় নকৰে বুলি কৈছে যি চৰকাৰে সংবিধানৰ ধাৰা অনুসাৰে ১৪ বছৰৰ ভিতৰত বিনা মাচুলে শিক্ষা দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰিব বুলি কৈছিল আৰু সেই ১৯৬০ চন পাৰ হৈ গল তাৰ কাৰণে ৩ হেজাৰ টকা দিব নোৱাৰে সেই চৰকাৰে ৩/৪

জনী ছোৱালীক দিবলৈ ৫০০০ টকা হয় কৰ পৰা ? বৰ্তমান দেশত টকা দিব নোৱাৰে  
ও জনী ছোৱালীৰ কাৰণে ইমান টকা দিয়ে কাৰণ সেই কেইজনী ছোৱালী ছজনী  
বিশিষ্ট কংগ্ৰেছ কৰ্মীৰ আৰু এজনী বিশিষ্ট এক কৰ্মচাৰীৰ। যদি তেওঁলোকৰ  
ইমানেই জোৰ আছে যে বৃত্তি নাপালেও পঢ়াৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত তাৰ কাৰণে কিয় বাদ  
দিব লাগে ? আমাৰ জনসাধাৰণক মাৰ দিওঁমান তেলীৰ মূৰত তেল দিয়াৰ কি  
যুক্তি আছে। গতিকে এই চৰকাৰে হুখীয়া জনসাধাৰণৰ চৰকাৰ নহয়। কেই  
জনমান ধনীক শ্ৰেণীৰ চৰকাৰ।

Pine Mount School আছে কোৱা মানুহৰ ছোৱালী পঢ়িছে ? তাত  
খেতিয়কৰ ছোৱালী পঢ়িছে নে বিসকল গন্যমান্য মানুহ তেওঁলোকৰ ছোৱালী  
পঢ়িছে। এইটো কেন্দ্ৰীয় চৰকাৰে এসময়ত Public School বৰ্তত নিব খুজি-  
ছিল এই চৰকাৰে অফিচৰ সাম্প্ৰদায়ৰ কাৰণে বাধি থলে বত আদৰ্শ হয় নাগিচ  
মীনা কুমাৰী কৰা এনে অৱস্থাত আমাৰ টকা দিয়াৰ কথা নুঠে, যেতিয়া  
আমাৰ ২৮ কোটি টকা ঘাটি, এইবোৰত তেওঁলোকে টকা দিবলৈ যায় যদি আমি  
এই টকা মঞ্জু কৰো তেন্তে বাইজৰ প্ৰতি নিম্নতাহাবামী কৰা হব।

Shri Promode Gogoi মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, শিক্ষাৰ কাৰণে যি কৰ্ত্তন  
প্ৰস্তাব দিওঁ ধৰা হৈছে তাৰ সমৰ্থনত ছাৰ মান কও।

ইয়াত সাহায্যপ্ৰাপ্ত স্কুলৰ কাৰণে ১৮ লাখ টকা ধৰা হৈছে।

বাখাত কোৱা হৈছে যে শিক্ষকৰ নতুন হিচাবে বাৰ্ষিক দৰমহা তেওঁলোকক দিয়া  
হব।

আজি ১১ বছৰ আগতে, বহুতো হাইস্কুলৰ শিক্ষক চৰকাৰে derecog-  
nised ৰিছে কলত সেই স্কুলৰ শিক্ষক বাহুতো বৰ্ষাস্ত হৈছে আৰু  
বিবিলাক আছে তেওঁলোকৰ অৱস্থাও তথৈবচ তেওঁলোকৰ প্ৰতি চৰকাৰৰ দৃষ্টি  
বখা নিতাস্ত প্ৰয়োজন এটা কথা আমি চাব লাগিব সেইবিলাক স্কুল  
ঘাতে ভাঙি নেবায় আৰু শিক্ষক বৰ্ষাস্ত নহয়। এইক্ষেত্ৰত এইটো কোৱা  
দৰ্কাৰ যে আমি গম পাইছো যে অসমৰ সাহায্যপ্ৰাপ্ত স্কুলৰ শিক্ষকৰ লগত যি  
চৰকাৰৰ বুজাপৰা হৈছে, সেই টকা চৰকাৰে দিব লাগে কিন্তু মই জনাত এই  
টকা কোনেও পোৱা নাই সেইস্কুলত যি ছাত্ৰই পঢ়ে, তেওঁলোকৰো শিক্ষাত  
বাঘাট হৈছে।

Elementary Education ত ২৬ লাখ টকা ধৰা হৈছে।

শিক্ষকৰ দৰমহা পোৱা ক্ষেত্ৰত ইমান পৰম হোৱাৰ কাৰণ কি? তেওঁলোকৰ দামহা চৰকাৰে ঠিক সময়ত দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰা উচিত। যিবিলাক শিক্ষকৰ অৰ্হতা নাই বুলি বৰখাস্ত কৰা হৈছিল কিন্তু তেওঁলোকক চৰকাৰে নিয়োগ কৰিব লগীয়া হোৱা সত্ত্বেও তেওঁলোকৰ বহুতকৈ নিয়োগ কৰা নাই। আনকি বহুতৰে অফিচত নামেই নাইকিয়া হৈ গৈছে। ১৯৬২ চনত প্ৰশিক্ষণ নথকা শিক্ষক সকলক দুমাহৰ প্ৰশিক্ষণ দিয়া হ'ব বুলি কোৱা হৈছিল কিন্তু সেইফালৰ পৰাও চৰকাৰে তেওঁলোকৰ প্ৰতি অনায়াস কৰিছে। গতিকে স্কুলৰ কাৰণে আমি যি টকা দিওঁ সেইখিনি যাতে উপযুক্ত ৰূপে বিতৰণ হয় তাৰ বাবে চৰকাৰক অনুৰোধ কৰিলো।

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Shri Jalaluddin Ahmeç—উপাধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, বাগবৰ মৌজা খন mu der ৰ কাৰণে stand কৰিছে।

Shri Mohendra Mohan Choudhury—Sir, we are not discussing the general budget, we are discussing the supplementary demand. Therefore the scope of discussing must be confined to the points raised in the supplementary demand.

Mr. Deputy Speaker—Your confine yourself to the point that have been raised in the supplementary demand.

Shri Jalaluddin Ahmed—সেই মৌজাটোৰ শিক্ষাৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত চৰকাৰৰ অবহেলাৰ কাৰণেই মানুহবোৰ খুণী হুচৰিত হ'বলৈ অবকাশ পাইছে। তাত কিছুমান প্ৰাইমাৰী স্কুল আছে যত ৭০ বা ৯০ জনকৈ ছাত্ৰ আছে অথচ কোনো গ্ৰাণ্ট পোৱা নাই। ২০/৩০ মাইল দূৰৈত থকা কিছুমান শিক্ষকক স্কুলত নিয়োগ কৰা হৈছে। তেওঁলোকে স্কুলৰ কোনো কামকে

নকৰে। তেওঁলোকৰ দমবহাৰ টকা D.I. ৰ লগত ভাগ বটোৱাৰা হয়। বৰপেটাৰ D.I. জন Joint D.P.I. ৰ আত্মীয়-সেই কাৰণে তেওঁ বেয়া কাম কৰিলেও কোনো ব্যৱস্থা লোৱা নহয়। সেই কাৰণে চৰকাৰে ইয়াৰ উপ-যুক্ত ব্যৱস্থা লব বুলি আশা কৰিলে।

Shri SUREN DAS—মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, আমাৰ চৰকাৰৰ শিক্ষা-নীতিৰ কাৰণেই আজি আমাৰ বাজাৰ আশামুকপ শিক্ষাৰ বিস্তাৰ হৈছে। ৰাজ্যৰ বহু সংখ্যক ছাত্ৰই শিক্ষা লাভৰ সুবিধা পাইছে। আৰু কমও ৬০ হাজাৰ ছাত্ৰ-ছাত্ৰীয়ে পৰীক্ষা দিবলৈ সক্ষম হৈছে। কিন্তু শিক্ষাৰ মানদণ্ডৰ নিয়ন্ত্ৰণ হৈছে কিয় সেইটো চিন্তা কৰিবলগীয়া কথা। বিশেষকৈ মন কৰা হৈছে যে গাৱলীয়া স্কুল বিলাকত Hostel নাই। এখন হোষ্টেলত ৫০-৬০ জন লৰা থাকিলে এটা ভাল পৰিবেশৰ সৃষ্টি হয়। সেই কাৰণে গাৱৰ স্কুল বিলাকতো হোষ্টেলৰ ব্যৱস্থা হব লাগে। এনে হোষ্টেলৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰি তাত আচুতিয়াকৈ শিক্ষা দিবৰ কাৰণে যদি শিক্ষক বখা হয় তেন্তেহলে পৰীক্ষাৰ নিশ্চয় ভাল ফলাফল (result) পোৱা যাব। গতিকে মই চৰকাৰক এই বিষয়ে মন দিবলৈ অনুৰোধ জনালো। আমাৰ জনজাতীয় অঞ্চলত মনকৰিবলগীয়া কথা যে তেওঁলোকে ভাল পৰিবেশত থাকিলে নিশ্চয় ভাল result দিব পাৰিলে হৈতেন। আৰু লগতে কওঁ যে ভাল শিক্ষক নিয়োগ কৰাৰ ব্যৱস্থা হব লাগে। জনজাতিৰ লৰাবিলাক মেধাৱী নহয় বুলি কব নোৱাৰি। সেই কাৰণে জনজাতীয় অঞ্চলত residential type ৰ স্কুল কৰিব পাৰিলে নিশ্চয় শিক্ষাৰ মান বৃদ্ধি নোহোৱাৰ কাৰণ নাই। এই বিষয়ে যেন আমাৰ চৰকাৰে বিবেচনা কৰি চায়। আমাৰ স্কুল বিলাকত সুবিধা দিব পৰা নাই। অনেক স্কুলত মেপ নাই। বহিবৰ সুবিধা নাই। এনেকুৱাও দেখা গৈছে লৰাই কান্ধত থৈলা লৈ স্কুললৈ যাব লাগে। এইবোৰ আসোঁৱাহ দূৰ কৰিব পাৰিলে নিশ্চয় শিক্ষাৰ মান উন্নত হব বুলি কব পাৰি।

জনজাতীয় scholarship মাত্ৰ ৭ টকাহে দিয়া হয়। সেইটো

১০ টকা হব লাগে আৰু ME স্কলৰ বৃত্তি ১০ টকা হব লাগে আৰু শ্ৰী শিক্ষা ক্ষেত্ৰত সম্পূৰ্ণ মাচুল মাফ দিব লাগে।

Shri Jogen Saikia—উপাধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, মই এই বিষয়ে কবৰ বিশেষ আৱশ্যক নাছিল। কিন্তু শ্ৰদ্ধেয় সদস্য শ্ৰীগোবীশস্বৰ ভট্টাচাৰ্য্য ডাঙৰীয়াৰ বক্তৃতা প্ৰসঙ্গত বনস্কলী বিদ্যাপীঠক সাহায্য দিয়াৰ কথা কৈ গৈছে আৰু কৈছে বা কেইজনমান মাত্ৰ ছাত্ৰ-ছাত্ৰী আছে। তেখেতে আচল কথাটো নেজানে বাবেই এনেকৈ কৈছে। তাত অৱশ্যে মোৰো দুজনী ছোৱালী আছে। এজনীয়ে ভাৰত চৰকাৰৰ Merit scholarship পায় আৰু ইজনীয়ে অসম চৰকাৰৰ পৰা এক অনাও নেপায়। তাত বোধকৰো অসমৰ ৫০ জনীমান ছাত্ৰী আছে খিলঞ্জীয়া জীয়া বুলিবলৈ মাত্ৰ দুজনীহে—এজনী মোৰ জনী আৰু আনজনী গুৱাহাটীৰ এজন অফিচাৰৰ। বাকীবোৰে নিজৰ খৰচত পঢ়ায়।

Shri Gaurisankar Bhattacharjya (Borbhag) : সেইটো Public sector type হব পাৰে কিন্তু স্কুল ভাল বুলিয়ে যে টকা দিব লাগে সেইটো নহয়।

Shri Jogen Saikia মই কবলৈ কৈছো যে wrong infomation ৰ পৰা তেখেতে কৈছে যে কেইজনমান কংগ্ৰেছী নেতাৰ ছোৱালীৰ খাটিৰত সাহায্য দিছে।

Shri Gaurisarkar Btattacharyya—মই কৈছো কংগ্ৰেছী নেতা আৰু ডাঙৰ অফিচাৰৰ ছোৱালী।

Shri Jogen Saikia—মই জনাও এই অনুদান দিয়া হৈছে সৰ্বভাৰতীয় অনুস্থান বুলিহে। তাত গোটেই পৃথিৱীৰ ছোৱালীয়ে পঢ়ে আৰু ১৪টা ভাষাত শিক্ষা দিয়া হয়। কিন্তু নিজৰ ভাষাত নিশিকায় অন্য ভাষাতহে শিকায়। কাৰণ মাদ্ৰাজ আদিৰ ছোৱালীয়ে অসমীয়াত পঢ়ে। তাত এগৰ কী অসমীয়া শিক্ষয়ত্ৰী আছে। মোৰ বোধেৰে সেই অনুস্থানত গোটেই ভাৰতবৰ্ষৰ ছাত্ৰীবোৰৰ মাজত এটা সমন্বয় সাধন কৰা হৈছে। তাত

ভাৰতৰ আটাইবোৰ ৰাজ্যিক চৰকাৰে আনকি বামপন্থী চৰকাৰেও সাহায্য দিয়ে। নেপাল আৰু থাইলেণ্ড চৰকাৰেও সাহায্য দিয়ে।

Shri Kabir Chandra Roy Pradhan—উপাধক্ষ মহোদয়, আমি আচৰিত হৈছো যে দেশখন সকলোৰে আৰু মিনি ঠাৰ সকল গাঁৱে গাঁৱে যাওঁতে নিশ্চয় গাঁওৰ স্কুলবোৰৰ ছবাবস্থা দেখিছে। তথাপি গাঁৱা স্কুলবোৰে সাহায্য নেপায় কিয় সেইটোহে বুজিব পৰা নাই আশা বৰো গাঁৱৰ স্কুলবোৰৰ প্ৰতি যেন চকু দি ভাল কৰাৰ ব্যৱস্থা কৰে।

অন্যন্ত শতকৰা ২৭ জন শিক্ষিতৰ ভিতৰত গোৱালপাৰাত মাত্ৰ শতকৰা ২১জনহে।

এইবিলাক কথাৰ সমৰ্থনত মই চৰকাৰৰ দৃষ্টি আকৰ্ষণ কৰি কওঁ যে গোৱালপাৰাৰ প্ৰাক্তন ৰাজহ মন্ত্ৰী শ্ৰীহৰেশ্বৰ দাসৰ দিনত গোৱালপাৰাৰ লেণ্ড চেটলমেণ্ট ব্যৱস্থাই ৰাইজক সৰ্বশৰ্ষ কৰিলে। এতিয়াও সেই জিলাৰ শিক্ষা বিভাগৰ ৰাজ্যিক মন্ত্ৰীৰ দিনত যেন গোৱালপাৰা জিলাৰ শিক্ষা অনুষ্ঠান বিলাকৰ যেন তেনে বিপত্তি নহয় তালৈ তেখেতৰ দৃষ্টি আকৰ্ষণ কৰিলে। সেই স্কুলবিলাকে আজি টকা পইচা পোৱা নাই। সকলো স্কুলে সমানে চৰকাৰী গ্ৰাণ্টবিলাক পোৱা উচিত। ধুবুৰী ইলেক্ট্ৰিক চাৰ্কলৰ হাইস্কুল বিলাক কম কম পাইছে। তাৰ বাহিৰে কিছুমান ঠাইত অলপ পাইছে—কিছুমানে পোৱা নাই। এই বৈষম্য দূৰ কৰিব লাগে। গোৱালপাৰা জিলা শিক্ষা বিষয়ত অতিকৈ পিচপৰা। গ্ৰাম অঞ্চলবিলাকৰ শিক্ষাত যাতে উন্নতি হয় তালৈ চকু দিব লাগে। নহলে চৰকাৰৰ ওপৰত ৰাইজৰ অনস্থা আহিব। ইয়াকে কৈ মোৰ বক্তব্য সামৰিলো।

★ Shri Kandarpa Narayan Banikya : Mr. Speaker Sir, in supporting the cut Motion I beg to submit that Goalpara District is the most backward District in the State of Assam. The percentage of literacy is 21 percent whereas in Assam in general it is 27 per cent. Sir, while other parts of Assam are progressing and leading we are lagging

behind. It is a matter of great regret. In my constituency I am sorry to state there was no local M.L.A. for the last 30 years. In my constituency communication is completely cut off and the children cannot regularly attend their classes. There are some school buildings nobody can sit there. I have also shown a photograph to Mr. Speaker.

Mr. speaker: Who has certified that photo.

Shri KANDARPA NARAYN BANIKYA:

There are some schools in my constituency getting only 100 rupees aid per month. I hope our Minister of state for Education will kindly look into it, because he is a Goalpariya (laughter). Sir, during these months the State Minister for Education has toured the Goapara District where Congress become the winner. I beg to request him to go to my constituency. With these words I support the Cut Motions.

Shri Bhubaneswar Burman: মই কৰ্ত্তন প্ৰস্তাবটো সমৰ্থন কৰি কও যে চৰকাৰৰ শিক্ষা নীতি ভুলৰ ওপৰত প্ৰতিষ্ঠিত আৰু যি শিক্ষাই জ্ঞানৰ পোহৰ বিতৰণ কৰি দেশৰ বিভিন্ন সমস্যাৰ সমাধানৰ পথ নিৰ্দেশ দিয়ে, সেই শিক্ষা চৰকাৰৰ ভুল নীতিত প্ৰতিষ্ঠিত হোৱাৰ কাৰণে দেশৰ নানা নতুন সমস্যাৰ সৃষ্টি হৈছে আৰু ইয়াক চৰকাৰে সমাধান কৰিবলৈ অপাৰগ হৈছে। চৰকাৰেই ইয়াৰ বাবে দায়ী। চৰকাৰৰ শিক্ষা নীতি পৰিবৰ্ত্তন কৰাৰ সময় আহিছে। শিক্ষাৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত চৰকাৰৰ নীতি বৈষম্যমূলক ভাবে প্ৰয়োগ কৰাটো চৰকাৰৰ উচিত হোৱা নাই। আমাৰ স্কুল বিলাকৰ স্থাপন আদিত চৰকাৰে সহায় কৰিব পৰা নাই, আইনতো চৰকাৰৰ ভুল নীতি সংশোধন হোৱা উচিত। মুখ্য মন্ত্ৰী ডাঙৰীয়াই, সাহায্য প্ৰাপ্ত স্কুল সমূহৰ শিক্ষকৰ ধৰ্ম্মঘটৰ সময়ত যি কথা যি ব্যৱস্থাৰ কথা কৈছিল সেই বিলাক এতিয়াও শেষ হোৱা নাই; যি প্ৰতিশ্ৰুতি দিছিল, সেই বিলাক কাৰ্য্যকৰী হোৱা নাই, দৰ্শনহাৰ বৈষম্য দূৰ হোৱা নাই। এইবিলাকৰ বৈষম্য দূৰ হব লাগে।

হাইস্কুল আৰু হায়াৰ চেঞ্চুৱৰী স্কুলৰ শিক্ষকৰ দৰমহা বিশেষকৈ B.Sc. পাচ শিক্ষকৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত যি বৈষম্য আছে তাৰ দূৰ হ'ব লাগে। প্ৰাইমেৰী স্কুলৰ শিক্ষকৰ দৰমহা পোৱাত যি বোম্বেজালি তাৰ দূৰ হ'ব লাগে। তেওঁলোকে তিনিমাহ পৰ্য্যন্ত দৰমহা নাপায়। শিক্ষা মন্ত্ৰী পাটাজাৰকুীলৈ যোৱাৰ কালত তেখেতৰ দৃষ্টি আকৰ্ষণ কৰি আবেদন কৰা হৈছিল। তেখেতে আশ্বাসো দিছিল। কিন্তু তাৰ প্ৰতিকাৰ হোৱা নাই। আকৌ স্কুলবিলাকৰ জৰা-জীৰ্ণ অৱস্থাৰ কথাও জনোৱা হৈছিল। স্কুলত ল'ৰা-ছোৱালী বাহিৰলৈ বহুস্তা নাই; ঘৰৰ পৰা চৰা, বস্তা আদি লৈ বহিব লাগে। স্কুলত শিক্ষাৰ সা-সামগ্ৰী নাই। এনেকুৱা অৱস্থা আমাৰ প্ৰাইমাৰী স্কুল। আনহাতে চৰকাৰে সৈনিক স্কুল পাতি তাৰ কাৰণে হাজাৰে হাজাৰে টকা খৰচ কৰিছে। গাৱণীয়া ল'ৰা-ছোৱালীৰ শিক্ষাৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত চৰকাৰে উপযুক্ত পৰিমাণৰ টকা খৰচ কৰিব পৰা নাই। সেই কাৰণে, চৰকাৰৰ শিক্ষা নীতি পৰিবৰ্ত্তন আৰু আৱশ্যকীয় পৰিবৰ্ত্তন কৰিবলৈ দৃষ্টি আকৰ্ষণ কৰিলো। তেখেত সকল অৰ্থাৎ মন্ত্ৰীসকল কংগ্ৰেছী লোক, দেশৰ গুৰু উপলব্ধি কৰি, ইংৰাজৰ শাসনৰ ওপৰে পেলাৰ লাগে আৰু মই চৰকাৰক কওঁ।

(সময়ৰ সংকেত)

Demand No. 5—"29-Medical"—Rs. 1,45,000

Demand No. 6—"30-public Health"—Rs. 1,00,400

Demand No. 7—"37-C.D.P.-N.E.S. and Local Development works" Rs—1,36,000

Demand No. 8—"39-Miscellaneous social and Developmental Organisation other Miscellaneous Organisation N- Directorate of social welfare"—Rs. 42,000

Demand No. 9—"39- Miscellaneous Social and Developmental Organisations—IX—Tourist Organisations"—Rs. 25,000

Demand No. 10—"50 Public works etc [ Encluidng Establilsh-  
ment, tools and plant ]" Rs.—1,42,409

Demand No. 11—"70-Forest"—Rs. 45,000

Demand No.—12—"71- Miscellaneous-II-Donation for Char-  
itable purposes. "—Rs. 2,92,023

Demand No. 13—"71-Miscellaneous III grants-in-aid contri-  
bution, etc. " —Rs. 2,09,697

Demand No. 14—"71 -Miscellaneous VIII—Miscellaneous and  
Unforeseen charges Rs. 2,51,800

Demand No. 15—"77-Extraordinary charges"—Rs. 3,700

Demand No. 16—"Q-Loans and Advances, etc. (VI-Industrial  
Loans—Rs. 4,47,000

Deman No. 17—"Q-Loans) and Advances, etc. (VIII Educatio-  
nal Loans )"—Rs. 6,78,000

Mr. Speaker : Order, Order, All the demands are now to be gui-  
llotined.

Mr. Speaker : Demand No. 4 I now put the question.  
The question is that an additional amount of Rs. 74,95,176  
be granted to the Minister in charge to defray certain  
charges which will come in the course of payment during  
the year ending 31st March, 1968 for the administration  
of the head "28 Edvcation."

There is no divison now.

( The motion adopted ).

Demend Numbers 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16. and 17 ( see foot  
note).

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The question is that the items mentioned in each of the demands be granted to the respective Minister in charge to defray certain charges which will come in course of payment during the year ending 31st March, 1968 for the heads shown against each demand.

(The motion was adopted and all the demands were passed)

### THE ASSAM APPROPRIATION (NO. IV) BILL, 1967

Mr speaker : Item No. 10. Now the Assam Appropriation Bill. Let the Bill be distributed.

### RESULT OF ELECTION OF THE ASSAM MINORITY COMMISSION.

Shri BISWADEV SARMA (Minister, Industries)- What about item No. 8?

Mr. speaker : The whole business will be completed today.

In the mean time, I would like to make an announcement. So far as the result of the Election to the Assam Minority commission is concerned, the total number of vote cast is 80. The total number of votes cast by the Minority community is 13, Invalid votes is 1 Valid Votes—12

Total number of votes in favour of

Shri Ataur Rahman ... .. 10.

Jon b Rai muddin Ahmed ... .. 2

S ri Ataur Rahman is declared elected from the Minority community to represent the Assam Minority commission.

Total number of votes cast by the Majority Community...75

Invalid votes.....4

Valid votes.....63

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Total number of votes cast in favour of

Shri Rathindra Nath sen.....49

Shri Phani Bora.....14

Shri Rathindra Nath sen is declared elected from the Majority to community represent the Assam Minority Commission.

Mr. Speaker : I have a message under provision of Article 207 (1) of the constitution of India from Shri Vishnu Sahay Governor of Assam recommending the introduction, in the Assam Legislative Assembly, of the Assam Appropriation ( No. IV ) Bill, 1967.

Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi (Minister, Finance)—  
Sir, I beg to move for leave to introduce the Assam Appropriation (No. IV) Bill, 1967 relating to supplementary Demands for Grants for 1967-68.

Mr. Speaker : The question is : that leave be granted to introduce the Assam Appropriation (No. IV) Bill, 1967 relating to supplementary Demands for Grants for 1967-68. The motion was adopted

Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi:—I introduce the Bill.  
Mr. Speaker :—Item No. (c)

Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi : I beg to move that the Assam Appropriation (No. IV) Bill, 1967 be taken into consideration.

Mr. Speaker :—I have a message under the provision of Article 207 (3) of the Constitution of India from Shri

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Vishnu Sahay, Governor of Assam, recommending that the Assam Appropriation (No. IV) Bill, 1967, be taken into consideration by the Assam Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Speaker : The question is that the Assam Appropriation (No. IV) Bill, 1967 be taken into consideration.

(The motion was adopted).

Mr. Speaker : There is no amendment. But the hon. Members are entitled to give their opinion.

Shri Mohidhar Pegu : মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, এই বিল সম্পর্কে মই কেইটামান কথা কব খুজিছো। প্রধান বিষয় হ'ল যে শিক্ষক যি বেমেজালি, এই সম্পর্কে আৱশ্যকতাৰ বিষয়ে সন্দেহ হৈছে। বিশেষকৈ প্ৰাইমেৰী এডুকেচন বোৰ্ডৰ কথা.....

Mr. Speaker : It is presumed to be discussed. Therefore, speak accordingly.

Mohidhar Pegu—মই এই সম্পর্কে গোটেই কথা দোহাৰিব নোখোজো। এটা কথা এই যে প্ৰাইমেৰী শিক্ষকৰ নিয়োগৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত বেলেগ বেলেগ নীতি লোৱা হৈছে। প্ৰথমতে প্ৰাইমেৰী 'ইডুকেচন বোৰ্ডে' কলে যে প্ৰাইমেৰী শিক্ষক নিয়োগৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত মেট্ৰিক পাচ হ'ব লাগিব। এতিয়া আকৌ কৈছে যে Higher secondary বা Pre-university পাচ হৈ দিয়া হ'ব; সেইটো। যদি হয় উন্নতি হ'ব কেনেকৈ।

কৃষি বিষয়ে আমাৰ চৰকাৰে প্ৰশাসন আৰু পৰিসংখ্যা আদি ডাঙৰ কথাত চকু দিছে। আমাৰ থলুৱা কথাটো মন কৰা নাই সিফালৰ পৰা অহা কথাত মন দিছে। কৰ্মচাৰীৰ দৰমহা, আৰু আন কথাত লাগি আছে

কিছু তাৰ পৰা লাভজনক উৎপাদন কৰা হৈছে নে? আজি নতুন  
সঁচৰ কি ব্যৱস্থা হৈছে? খাদ্যৰ অভাৱ দেশত দেখা দিছে কৃষি বিভাগে  
কি কৰিছে?

Shri Mahendra Mohan Choudhury :— Under Rule 152  
of the Rules of procedure and conduct of Business in  
Assam Legislative Assembly, the debate on the supplementary  
grants shall be confined to the items constituting the same  
and no discussion may be raised on original grants nor policy  
underlying them save in so far as it may be necessary to explain  
or illustrate the particular items under discussion.

Mr. Speaker—I have already reminded the hon. Member  
about that.

Shri Mahidhar Pegu— সেই কাৰণে মই কব খুজিছো যে এইবিলাক যাতে  
কাৰ্য্যকৰী হয় তালৈ চকু দিব লাগে। ভাল সঁচ যদি চাইবেৰীয়াৰ পৰা  
অনি দিয়ে আমাৰ আপত্তি নাই। চাব লাগিব যে আমাৰ খৰচ যিখিনি  
ফলপ্ৰসূতী হৈছে নে নাই—সেইটোত চকু দিব লাগে।

মেডিকেল ডিপাৰ্টমেণ্টত লাখ লাখ টকা খৰচ হৈছে। সেই টকা খৰচ  
কৰি Surgical instrument আনি মামৰেৰে খুৱাইছে।

খৰচ কৰিব নোৱাৰি আমাৰ ২০ লাখ টকা ঘুৰাই দিছে বুলি আমি গম  
পাইছো। চৰকাৰে ভাল বকমে ব্যৱহাৰ কৰি কাৰ্য্যকৰী ব্যৱস্থা হাতত  
লোৱাৰ কাৰণে অনুৰোধ কৰো।

Mr. Speaker :— I would like to have the sense of the  
House, Now, it is over 11.30 A.M. Whether hon. Mem-  
bers would like to seat till 12 A.M. ?

Shri Gaurisankar Bhattacharyya : Barbhag Sir, there  
are certain

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difficulties. Today is the prayer day of the hon. Muslim Members, they generally go at 12 and so we cannot seat beyond 15 minutes.

Mr. Speaker :—Then, let us seat after 2 P.M. because the Appropriation Bills will have to be completed, I do not want to curtail the rights of Muslim friends.

Shri Gaurisankar Bhattacharyya : Sir, we have no objection to sit from 2 P.M. to 3 P.M. There are certain items which have to be completed. As the Appropriation Bills have to be passed, we are agreeable to sit.

## ADJUORNMENT

The House then adjourned for lunch till 2 P.M.

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI:—অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, বিত্ত মন্ত্রী যে

যি Appropriation Bill আনিছে তাৰ বিষয়ে অলপ ক'ব খুজিছো। শিক্ষা ক্ষেত্ৰত যিমান আগবাঢ়িব লাগিছিল সিমান আগবঢ়া নাই। নতুন স্কুল কলেজ নকৰো বুলিছে সঁচা, কিন্তু যিবোৰ স্কুল কলেজ চলি আছে সেইবোৰক স্বীকৃতি দিয়া স্বত্বেও Deficit system of grant পোৱা নাই। শিঙিমাৰী হাই-স্কুলৰ ঘৰ আজিও হোৱা নাই যদিও তাৰ ফিটা মন্ত্ৰীয়েই কাটিছিলগৈ।

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI (Minister, Finance) :—  
কিছু কিছু দি আছে।

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI:—কোনোবা কালে দিয়ে যদিও আমাৰ পৰা নেপায়। সাধাৰণতে যিবোৰ ঠাইৰ পৰা বিৰোধী পক্ষৰ প্ৰাৰ্থী নিৰ্বাচিত হয়, সেইবোৰে মন্ত্ৰী আদিৰ সাদৰহে পায়।

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI :—মাননীয় সদস্য  
জিকাৰ আগতে সেই সমষ্টিত কংগ্ৰেছ সদস্য আছিল। গতিকে নিশ্চয় পাইছিল।

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI :—মই এই বছৰৰ কথাহে  
বৈছো। Minor irrigation ত কিমান টকা খৰচ কৰিলে তাক ভালকৈ কৰা  
হলে কৃষি উৎপাদন যথেষ্ট বাঢ়িলহেতেন। ইয়াৰ বাবে কৰা খৰচৰ শতকৰা  
০৫ ভাগ কাৰোবাৰ জেপতহে সোমাইছেগৈ। Fertiliser যথেষ্ট বিলাইছে।  
কিন্তু কলিয়াবৰ সমষ্টিত amonium sulphate, super phosphete আদি সদায়  
বতাহলগা ঠাইতে পৰি আছে। আমাক আকাশবানী যোগে কোৱা হৈছে  
যে কৃষি সামগ্ৰীৰ কাৰণে গ্ৰাম:সৰুৰ ওচৰলৈ যক বা কৃষি বিষয়ৰ ওচৰলৈ  
যক। কিন্তু তেওঁলোকৰ ওচৰলৈ গৈ ভৰিৰ এচলি যায়।

Shri DEVENDRA NATH HAZARIKA (Minister of state,  
Community Development) মাননীয় সদস্য কৃষি বিষয়ৰ ওচৰলৈ যাব  
মেলগৈ। আমাৰ নিয়ম মতে তেওঁলোক গাৱলৈ যাব লাগে আৰু ৮ বাতি  
গাৱত কটাৰ লাগে।

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI :—কেৱল মাত্ৰ শবন লয় চিত্তে  
মানক ভোজে।

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI (Minister, Agriculture):  
মাননীয় সদস্য আঞ্চলিক পঞ্চাভৰ সদস্য। আমি Seed Corporation  
circular যোগে কৈছো কোন বতৰত কি সঁচ লাগে সেইবোৰ District  
agriculture office যোগেদি সঁচ বিতৰণ কৰিব। যিবোৰ আঞ্চলিক  
স্বায়ত্ব যোগাযোগ ৰাখিছে সেইবোৰে পাইছে বুলি আমি খবৰ পাইছো।

Shri HIRALAL PATWARY (Panery):—আমি circular পোৱা  
হৈছে।

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI—Circular হয়তো পোৱা  
হৈছে। সেই কাৰণেই মানুহ চিলঙলৈ আহে।

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Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI (Joypur)—আমি তাত বিচাৰি নেপাই ইয়ালৈ আহিব লগীয়া হৈছে। ইয়ালৈ আহিব সঁচ পোৱা নাই।

Shri LAKSHMI PRASAD GOSWAMI—Seed corporation ব ওচৰলৈ যাব লাগে, আমাৰ ওচৰলৈ নহয়।

Shri BHADRA KANTA GOGOI—MLA সকলে জানে। কিন্তু সাধাৰণ বাইছে নেজানে।

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI—আমাবেই ভাগা ভাল যে লক্ষ্মীৰ গৰাকী লক্ষ্মী প্রসাদ।

স্বাস্থ্যৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত সাধাৰণতে কয় ডাক্তৰ নাই। কুঠৰীত ডাক্তৰ থাকিবলৈকে ঘৰ নাই। ডাক্তৰ পঠিয়ালে ২ দিন থাকিয়েই গুচি আহে।

Shri MAHENDRA MOHAN CHOUDHURY—মাননীয় সদস্যই বিবোৰ কথা কৈছে সেইবোৰৰ Supplementary grant ব লগত কোনো সম্পৰ্ক নাই। তাত বিবোৰ কুঠৰোগী বখা হৈছে, ডাক্তৰ নোহোৱা বাবে গাৱে গাৱে ঘূৰি ফুৰিছে।

Mr. Speaker—Supplementary বাজেটত Medical আৰু Public Health আছেনে নাই?

Shri ATUL CHANDRA GOSWAMI—সাধাৰণ মানুহে নেজানে বাবেহে কৈছো। শিল্পৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত মূল লক্ষ্যতে ভুল হৈছে। এই বিভাগত Cancer ৰোগ হৈছে। এটো কে নেকৈ দূৰ কৰা হয় শিল্প মন্ত্ৰীয়ে উপায় উলিয়াব। অকল চেৰীফুলৰ দেশ ঘূৰি আহি লগতে Love in Tokyo কৰিলে নহব।

Dr. BHUPEN HAJARIKA (Naoboicha, Reserved for Scheduled Castes):—Appropriation (No. iv) Bill, 1967 মই কব খুজিছো যে চৰকাৰৰ বহুপৰিমাণৰ অৰ্থ অপব্যয় হৈছে। এইদৰে হলে চৰকাৰী বাজহৰ যথাযথ ব্যয় নহব আৰু বাজহৰ ভৰাললৈও নোসোমাব।

আমি জানিব পাৰিছো যে 'আমন' বুলি এখন আমোদৰ চৰি গুৱাহাটীকে ধৰি কেইনটাও চৰিত্ৰৰ প্ৰচলিত হ'ব। আৰু জানিব পাৰিছো যে, চৰকাৰে এই চৰিত্ৰ ওপৰত আমোদকৰ বেহাই দিছে। ইয়াৰ ফলত যি কেইদিন ইয়াত চলিব, চৰিখন, তাৰ কাৰণে চৰকাৰে প্ৰায় ৮ লাখ মান টকা বাজহৰ পৰা হেৰোৱাব। এই চৰি প্ৰদৰ্শনত, কোনো বাজাই আমোদকৰ বেহাই দিয়া নাই; আৰু ইয়াত চিত্ৰ তাৰকা চায়েৰা বানু আদি আছে। দৰ্শকৰ সমাগম আৰু টিকেটৰ প্ৰচুৰ বিক্ৰি হ'ব। চৰিখন মুকলি কাৰণতেই ১৫ হাজাৰ টকা খৰচ কৰিছে। অন্যান্য চৰি, "সুৰাসচক্ৰ আদিৰ দৰে শিক্ষামূলক হ'লে—কথা নাছিল; আমোদকৰ বেহাই পাওক। কিন্তু "আমন"ৰ নিচিনা এখন বাণিজ্যিক (Commercial) চৰিত্ৰ—আমোদকৰ বেহাই দিয়াৰ মানে নাই। আজি আমাৰ গাজাৰ প্ৰাইমাৰী স্কুল বিলাকৰ বাপাৰত অশান্তিৰ সৃষ্টি হৈছে—টকাৰ অভাৱৰ কাৰণে। তেনেস্থলত পাবলগীয়া এই ৮ লাখ টকাৰে এই স্কুলবিলাকৰ কাৰণে বহুত কৰিব পাৰিলোহেঁতেন। এইবিলাক কাৰণতেই আজি আমাৰ কৰ্ত্তব্য বিলাক কৰিব পৰা নাই। ইয়াকে কৈ মই কৰ্ত্তণ প্ৰস্তাবটো সমৰ্থন কৰো।

Shri Phani Bora : মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়; এই প্ৰসঙ্গত কেইটা মান কথা কোৱা উচিত হ'ব বুলি ভাবো। এই কথা আমি সকলোৱে জানো আৰু চৰকাৰেও জানে—আজি প্ৰাইমেৰী স্কুল আৰু তাৰ শিক্ষক সকলৰ দুৰ্গতিৰ কথা। স্কুল ঘৰবিলাকৰ অৱস্থা শোচনীয়; সেই বিলাকত কাম কৰা শিক্ষক সকলে দুই তিনি মাহ দৰ্শুহা নাপায়; কত অসুবিধা—। এইবিলাকৰ ভাল কৰিবলৈ হ'লে চৰকাৰৰ পয়চা নাই বুলি কয়। এনে অৱস্থাত শিক্ষা অনুষ্ঠান বা তাৰ স্বাভাৱিক কাৰ্য্য-কলাপ কেনেকৈ সম্পন্ন হ'ব পাৰে। সময় মতে বিহু বা পূজাৰ আগত যদি দৰ্শুহা নাপায়, তেওঁলোকে কেনেকৈ চলিব। এই বিলাক বৰ অমানুষিক কথা। এই বিলাকৰ সুব্যৱস্থা কৰা নিতান্ত প্ৰয়োজন। ইয়াৰ অৱশ্যে টকা ধাৰ হৈছে সৰ্ব্বমুঠ ২৬ লাখ টকা। কিন্তু এই পৰিমাণৰ টকাৰেই যথেষ্ট নহয়। বিভিন্ন খাটত বহুতো টকা ধৰা হৈছে সেই বিলাকৰ যাতে সদ ব্যৱহাৰ হয় তালৈ চাব লাগে।

তাৰ পিচত, স্বাধীনতাৰ কুৰি বছৰৰ পিচতো ৰাজ্যৰ বিভিন্ন স্থানত অসংখ্য শিক্ষা প্ৰতিষ্ঠান আজিও পিচ পৰি আছে। এইবিলাকলৈ, চৰকাৰৰ দৃষ্টি পৰা নাই আৰু

\* Speech not corrected.

চৰকাৰৰ সমৰ্থনকাৰী কংগ্ৰেছী সদস্য সকলৰ হিচাব নাই। তেওঁলোকে এইবিলাক বেচি হৈছে বুলি কয়। আমি জানো, গাওঁ অঞ্চলত যিবিলাক স্কুল হৈছে। সেই বিলাকৰ অৱস্থা অতি শোচনীয়; অতি দুৰৱস্থাত পৰি আছে সেই প্ৰতিষ্ঠান সমূহ। যোৱা মাৰ্চ-এপ্ৰিল মাহৰ বতৰত ধুমুহাটো স্কুল ঘৰবিলাকৰ অংশৰ ক্ষতি সাধন কৰিলে। ঘৰবিলাক, বৰপেটা অঞ্চল দেখিলো, ভাঙি পৰি আছে। এটা ভাঙা ঘৰৰ অংশত বা পিৰালীত লবাত পড়েগৈ। এনে অৱস্থাত চৰকাৰে ছুই চাৰি পঞ্চাশ বছৰ দি, বদ-বৰষুণৰ পৰা যাতে লৰা-ছোৱালীয়ে হাত সাৰি পঢ়া-শুনা কৰিব পাৰে তালৈ লক্ষ্য ৰাখি, ভাঙা স্কুল ঘৰ বিলাক ভাল কৰি দিব লাগে। সুন্দৰকৈ দিব নোৱাৰিলেও মোটাগুটি ভাবে ভাল কৰি দিবলৈ সক্ষম হ'ব লাগে। এই প্ৰসঙ্গত অৱশ্যেই লোকাঞ্চলৰ হাতিবুৰত যিটো স্কুল ঘৰ আছে তাৰ ওপৰত একো নাই। এইদৰেই যদি চলিব লাগে তেন্তে চৰকাৰনো কিয় লাগিছে ক'ব নোৱাৰো।

তাৰ পিচত, আমাৰ মিউনিচিপেলিটি আৰু টাউন কমিটি বিলাকৰ কাৰনে কিছু Establishment Cost বঢ়াই দিয়াটো ভাল কথা; কিন্তু, এই টকাৰ সদৰাৱস্থাৰ যাতে হয় তালৈ চকু দিব লাগে; আৰু যাতে এই ব্যয়ৰ বিনিময়ে বাইজে কিছু সা-সুবিধা পায় তালৈ লক্ষ্য ৰাখিব লাগে। এই প্ৰসঙ্গত মই এই কথা উল্লেখ কৰিব খুজিছো যে মিউনিচিপেলিটি এলেকাত বহুতো দুখীয়া মানুহ আছে তেওঁলোকক নথৰি, যিবিলাক ধনী ধনী মানুহ আছে তেওঁলোকে একালে মিউনিচিপেলিটিৰ কৰ ফাকি দিছে আৰু আনহাতে বিবাট বিবাট ঘৰ সাজিছে। এই অনাদায় হৈ বহুকে বহুৰ পৰি থকা কৰ বিলাক আদায় কৰাৰ কাৰ্য্যকাৰী ব্যৱস্থা চৰকাৰে ল'ব লাগে। এই অনাদায় টকা-পইচা বিলাক আদায় কৰাত যিবিলাক ছনীতি সোমাই আছে, তাৰ পৰা চৰকাৰৰ বহুটকা হানী হৈছে। স্নান বুলি চৰকাৰে দিয়া অৰ্থ-সাহায্য কিছুমান দায়ীভাৱী মহলত আত্মসাৎ হৈছে। গুৱাহাটীৰ মিউনিচিপেলিটিৰ অনুসন্ধান কমিচনৰ বিপৰীত এই কথা ওলাইছে। এইদৰে হলে দেশ চলিব নোৱাৰে।

কিন্তু আন ফালৰপৰা কিছু আয় কৰিবলৈ চৰকাৰে দৃষ্টি ৰখা প্ৰয়োজন। কিছুমান ঘৰ-বাৰীৰপৰা যথেষ্ট পইছা সংগ্ৰহ কৰা যায় সেইবিলাক নানা Corruptionৰ মাজত পৰি বহু টকা হানি হৈছে। সেই বিলাকৰ কাৰণে চৰকাৰে

চৰকাৰে মন্তব্য দিয়া উচিত, টকা খাবলৈ যথেষ্ট দিয়া হৈছে। গুৱাহাটী মিনি-চিপালটিয়েটৰ তাৰ প্ৰমাণ: এনেদৰে কিছুমান মানুহক টকা খাই থাকিবলৈ সুবিধা দিলে দেশ নচলে।

চতুৰ্থ কথা হ'ল, আমাৰ বহু টকা কোৰ্টত দিয়া awardত গৈছে। চৰকাৰে Case file কৰাৰ ফলত বহু টকা দিবলগীয়া হৈছে। মৌজাদাৰে Case কপিড চৰকাৰে টকা দিবলগীয়া হয় বহু সময়ত দেখা যায়, চৰকাৰে হয়তো কেচ ভালকৈ Defend নকৰে নাইবা বিপক্ষৰ লগত আপোচ হয়—নহলে এনেকৈ নভবা নিচিনাকৈ কিছুমান কাম কৰা হয়, ফলত প্ৰত্যেক Caseত হাৰে।

কিন্তু মই এইটো প্ৰশ্ন কৰিব খোজো যে, চৰকাৰৰ L. R. থাকে, চৰকাৰী উকীল থাকে এই বিশেষজ্ঞ সকলৰ লগত পৰামৰ্শ নকৰাকৈ কেচ কৰা হয় নেকি? তাৰ বাহিৰেও যি সকল উকীল আছে—সেইসকলে বিপক্ষৰ Case লয়, সেই সকল অধিক অভিজ্ঞ নেকি যে চৰকাৰক হাৰাই দিয়ে?

কিন্তু আনফালে দিনে ১৭০০, কৈ টকা দি পুলিচ Firing সাব্যস্ত কৰাত খৰচ কৰে।

চৰকাৰৰ দলৰ মানুহ হলে সেইটো কেচত চৰকাৰ হাৰে। (হাঁহি) আজি পুলিচ আছে কাৰণে চৰকাৰে চলিছে। নহলে একেদিনাই উৰি যাব। I.N. T.U.C. ৰ পক্ষৰ পৰা case কৰিলে, মালিকৰ পক্ষে পুলিচ গৈ বনুৱাৰ মূৰ ভাঙে।

এইখন Appropriation Bill বুলি পাচ হব কিন্তু মই আশা কৰো, যিবিলাক ৱিষয়লৈ দৃষ্টি গোচৰ কৰিছা, সেই বিলাকলৈ ভালকৈ চকু দিব যাতে ভৱিষ্যত আৰু No confidence Motion আনিব লগা নহয়।

Shri Motilal Nayak:— মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, বাস্তৱ কাৰণে টকা আহিলে বাস্তৱ নকৰি টকা এৰি দিয়া উচিত নহয়। আমাৰ গাড়ীৰ Body একোটাই ৭/৮ হাজাৰ টকাতে হয়—আৰু সেই Body একোটাৰে ৫ বছৰ চলে—এই Body বিলাক ইয়াতে তৈয়াৰ কৰিব পাৰে কিন্তু তাকে নকৰি, বাহিৰৰ পৰা অনাৰ কোনো অৰ্থ থাকিব নোৱাৰে। ২৫ হাজাৰ ৰাজহ অহা Fishery খন ২০ হাজাৰত দিয়া হয়, এইবিলাক Direct Settlement

আমাৰ fishery ৰ direct settlement বন্ধ কৰিব লাগে।

মদ নিবাবন সকলো ঠাইতে কৰিছে। কিন্তু সকলো ঠাইতে মদ পায়। সকলোৱে মদ খায়—গতিকে সেই কম্বাৰীসকলক দৰমহা দিয়াটো এটা অপৰায় কৰা হৈছে—সেই অফিচৰি বিলাকক মিচাকৈ দৰমহা দি দুৰ্নীতি বঢ়োৱা হৈছে।

Revenue Board এখন কৰিছে—chairman জনে ১৩ মাহ লৈ থাকে ৮টি কলত case বিলাক পৰি থাকে—এই বোৰৰ পৰা মানুহৰ উপকাৰ একো হোৱা নাই। commissioner of Division ৰ পৰা কি জাহাজ হৈছে? সেই অফিচৰ সকলে মোঠেই নাচায়, যে কেনেকৈ আমাৰে বাজহ বাঢ়িব পাৰে আৰু টকা ভালকৈ খৰচ কৰিব পাৰি।

মোৰ কথা হৈছে—টকাবিলাক এনেয়ে খৰচ হৈছে দেশত চাউল নাই—কাপোৰ নাই—খাবলৈ—দেশৰ ল'ৰা-ছোৱালীৰ শিক্ষাৰ সুবিধা দিব লাগে—তাৰ ভেঁনে সুবিধা নাই।

আমাৰ বৰপেটাতে flood damage grant দিছে—৭ হাজাৰ টকাৰ ঘৰ এটাত ৩০ হেজাৰ টকা Grant কোন হিচাবে দিয়া হ'ল? (হাঁহি)

বাজহ মন্ত্ৰীয়ে হাঁহিলে নহয়—এইবিলাক অপৰায় কিয় কৰা হৈছে সেইটো জনাব লাগে।

Shri GIASUDDIN AHMED—মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, মিউনিসিপালটি আৰু পঞ্চায়তক ধন দিয়াৰ ব্যৱস্থা হৈছে—সেই প্ৰসঙ্গত মই এটা কথা কও।

লোকেলবোৰ্ড চলি থকা অৱস্থাত বহুতো বাস্তা তৈয়াৰ কৰা হৈছিল। আৰু Rural পঞ্চায়ত যেতিয়া আছিল, তেতিয়াও বহুত বাস্তা নিৰ্মাণ হৈছিল। Rural পঞ্চায়ত আৰু লোকেলবোৰ্ড উঠাই দিয়াৰ পিচত সেই বাস্তাবিলাক মেৰামতি কৰা হোৱা নাই। তাৰ পিচত আৰু চৰকাৰে সেই বাস্তাবিলাকত কোনো টকা খৰচ কৰা নাই, কৃষিৰ ওপৰত জোৰ দিবলৈ পঞ্চায়তক কোৱা হৈছে, সেইটো ভাল কথা—লগতে এটা কথা মনত ৰাখিব লাগিব যে লাখ লাখ কোটি কোটি টকা খৰচ কৰি লোকেলবোৰ্ডে আৰু Rural পঞ্চায়তে যিবিলাক বাস্তা তৈয়াৰ কৰিছিল, সেই বিলাক আমাৰ জাতীয় সম্পদ।

\* Speech not corrected.

কৃষিৰ ওপৰত বেচি জোৰ দিবলৈ পক্ষায়তক কোৱা হৈছে। সেইটো ভাল কথা। কিন্তু কোটি কোটি টকা খৰচ কৰি লোকেলবোৰ্ড বিলাকে যি বিলাক কাম কৰিছিল সেইবিলাক নষ্ট হৈ যাব ধৰিছে।

কৃষিৰ লগত যাতায়তৰ সম্পৰ্ক আছে। যাতায়তৰ সুবিধা নাথাকিলে কৃষিত যথেষ্ট বাধা হব তাত সন্দেহ নাই। সেই কাৰণে গাওঁ অঞ্চলত যিবিলাক বাস্তা আছে সেইবিলাক বিষয়ে বিশেষ চিন্তা কৰিলেহে কৃষি উৎপাদন বৃদ্ধিৰ কথা চিন্তা কৰিব পাৰি।

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua:—মাননীয় অধ্যক্ষ মহোদয়, আজি যি খন Appropriation বিল বিত্ত মন্ত্ৰীয়ে উত্থাপন কৰিছে সেই বিষয়ে হু আৰাৰ মান কব খুজিছো। এটা কথা মদ নিবাৰণীৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত Exercise বিভাগৰ মন্ত্ৰীয়ে যি টকা ধৰিছে তাৰ ব্যৱস্থাত কৈছে Exercise আৰু Saletax দুয়োটাকে দুভাগত ভাগ কৰাৰ কাৰণে এই টকা ধৰা হৈছে। এই ব্যৱস্থা ১৯৬৪ চনতে কৰা হৈছিল। এতিয়া কিয় আকৌ তাৰ কাৰণে টকা লব লগা হ'ল ?

মদ নিবাৰণীৰ কাৰণে আৰু টিংখঙত কানি নিবাৰণীৰ কাৰণেও মঞ্জুৰি বিচাৰিছে—কিন্তু এই ক্ষেত্ৰত কিমান কৃতকাৰ্য্য হ'ব পাৰিছে ? টিংখঙৰ পৰা কানি গৈ গোটেই আসাম সোমাইছে এই টকা দিবলৈ আমাৰ কোনো আপত্তি নাই কিন্তু এই ক্ষেত্ৰত একো কৃতকাৰ্য্য হ'ব পৰা নাই কাৰণে আমি দুখিত। ৫০ হাজাৰ টকা এই বিভাগে মন্ত্ৰীক দিয়া হৈছিল পিচত আকৌ ৫০ হাজাৰ টকা দিয়া হৈছে। কিন্তু এই বিষয়ক বহু কেচত চৰকাৰ হাৰিছে। আকৌ দিল্লীৰ উকীল ধৰিও মোকদ্দমা কৰিও চৰকাৰ হাৰি যায়। ইয়াৰ পৰা বুজা যায় এই ক্ষেত্ৰত অহতা থকা মানুহ নিয়োগ কৰা হোৱা নাই।

মিজো পাহাৰৰ কাৰণেও স্বাস্থ্য বিভাগে টকা বিচাৰিছে—কিন্তু তাত কাম কৰি থকা নাৰ্চ, টাই ইত্যাদিয়ে টকা পোৱা নাই। চৰকাৰে কয় তাৰ ট্ৰেজাৰী জ্বলি যোৱাৰ কাৰণে টকা পোৱা নাই। আনকি তেওঁলোকৰ posting পৰ্য্যন্ত হোৱা নাই। সেই কাৰণে এই শিতানত যি টকা ধৰিছে তাৰ বাবে আমাৰ যোব আপত্তি আছে।

মিতব্যয়ীতাৰ বিষয়ে মোৰ কবলগীয়া যথেষ্ট কথা আছে। তাৰ ভিতৰত family planning ৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত ক'ব খোজো যে এই ক্ষেত্ৰত আমাৰ টকা দিয়াত আপত্তি নাই যদিও ইয়াত কাম কৰা নাট সকলক কিয় টকা পইচা দিয়া হোৱা নাই?

Primary Health Unit, আৰু Family planning ৰ নামত বহু টকা অপব্যয় কৰা হৈছে। কিমান মানুহ Family Planning ৰ কাৰণে কেন্দ্ৰ বোৰলৈ যায় তাৰ কোনো হিচাপ নাই। আৰু কিমান লুপ বাৰহাৰ কৰিছে তাৰ অনুসন্ধান কৰাৰো কোনো উপায় নাই। সেই কাৰণে মই দৃষ্টি কৈছো যে family planning ৰ নামত বহু টকাৰ অপচয় হৈছে।

মিজো পাহাৰৰ পুৰিচ বিভাগৰ নামত বহু টকা দিয়া হৈছে কিন্তু টকা সেই মতে ব্যয় হোৱা নাই।

Nutrition Programme ৰ নামত বহু টকা দিয়া হৈছে, কিন্তু ইয়াৰ দ্বাৰা বিলাক বস্তু কলৈ যায় কোনেও ক'ব নোৱাৰে।

আমাক যিবোৰ সজুলী দৰকাৰ আৰু BDO বা আঞ্চলিক পৰ্যায়তে যি বিচাৰে ইবোৰ এতিয়ালৈকে সেই থিনি পোৱা নাই। তাৰ পিছত Programme ter programme কৰা হৈছে—অৱশ্যে আমাৰ সমৰ্থন আছে, কিন্তু কৃষিৰ ক্ষেত্ৰত খৰিলওঁক এটা অঞ্চলত যিবোৰ আহিলা লাগে সেইবোৰ হয়তো আইনত দাখিল পাব পাৰে। কৃষিৰ সজুলীবোৰ যথেষ্ট-মথেষ্ট কিনি খণ্ডবোৰলৈ পঠাই দিয়ে ত তাত পৰি থাকে। যত লাগে কোৰ তালৈ পঠাই tractor। এই বোৰ ইয়াত কিনি কিয়?

i Lakshmi Prasad Goswami :—ইয়াত নিকিনে।

i Dulal Chandra Barua :—ইয়াতে বিনে।

Debendra Nath Hazarika :—Jorhat Block ত কিছুমান আহিলা oversize হৈছে বুলি আপত্তি আহিছে আৰু সেইটো অনুসন্ধান কৰা

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua:—আমাৰ টকা দিয়াত আপত্তি নাই, যদি দেশখনৰ সম্পদ হয়। যদি দেশৰ সম্পদ নহয় তেতিয়াহে আপত্তি। Mizo Hills ত donation cheritable কৰি কৰি মুখ্য মন্ত্ৰীয়ে কত টকা অৱ-সহ সংগ্ৰহত খৰচ কৰিলে—সেইটো সকলোৱে জানে। সেই নেতাবোৰে মাহৰ তেলেৰে মাহ ভাঙি আমাৰ পৰাই টকা নি আমাৰ বিপক্ষে খৰছ কৰিছে। এই টকা কেন্দ্ৰীয় চৰকাৰৰ পৰা আদায় কৰিব লাগে।

Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi:—আমাৰ আলোচনা ইমান বহল হৈছে যে—

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua:—আপোনালোকৰ মন্ত্ৰী সভা যেনেকৈ কৰা sigeh হৈছে।

Shri Kamakhya Prasad tripathi:—supleamantary ৰ scope বৰ কম আৰু cut motion ৰ scope আৰু কম। যেহেতু বাজেট পাচ কৰিছে টকা দিবই লাগিব।

Shri Dulal Chandra Barua:—আপুনি মিঠা কথা কৈ বহুত মিছা কথা কয়। (মিছা কথা Unparliamentary) তেনেহলে অসত্য কথা কয়।

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI (Minister Finance):—মই ১২ বছৰ মন্ত্ৰী সভাত আছো কিন্তু তেনে কথা কোৱা নাই। অৱশ্যে নিতব্যৰ বিষয়ে বহুত কলো আৰু তাক কাৰ্যকৰী কৰিবলৈ চেষ্টা কৰিম। অপচয়ৰ কথাও কলো আৰু তাৰ কাৰণেও যত্ন কৰিম যাতে অপচয় কমাব পাৰি। আমন চৰিক tax বেহাই দিয়া হৈছে। মই জনাত ২খন চৰিক বেহাই দিয়া হৈছে—এখন হৈছে ‘উপকাৰ’ ৩লাল বাহাছৰ শাস্ত্ৰীৰ বাণী “জয় জোৱান জয় কৃষাণ” এই ফিল্ম কেখনৰ আমোদ কৰ বেহাই দিয়া হৈছে। “আমন” চৰিক সম্বন্ধত যি ১০ নে পোন্ধৰ হাজাৰ টকা ব্যয় কৰিছে বুলি সদনত কৈছে সেইটো জানিবৰ উপায় নাই। চিত্ৰতাৰকা ছেহেৰা বান্ধু—

Dr BHUPIN HAZARIKA : মই বোকা যে, ভূমিভা ১০ হাজাৰ টকা “আমন” চৰিখনৰ মুক্তিৰ আয়োজনৰ পৰা বঞ্চিত আৰু এই দহ হাজাৰ টকাৰ বিনিময়ে ৮ লাখ টকা বেছাই পাইছে। সেইটো বাজীৰ ভাৰাল হ’লী।

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TAPATHI :—এই চৰিখনত ৮ লাখ টকা পোতা হলে অনন্ত এ এ চৰি প্ৰদৰ্শনত কিমান পালেহেঁতেন! এইটো আমাৰ পোতা হোৱা নাহি। গতিকে মাননীয় সদস্য কোৱা “আমন” ফিল্মখন পৰা সিমানে টকাৰ কথা ভাবিব নোৱাৰি। কাৰণোপৰি এই ফিল্মখন Communist Domira ed ফিল্ম; ভাৰিলা বিপাদী দলে আমোদকৰ বেছাই দিলে ভাল পাব। আছিলহে, এই ফিল্মখন “এটি এটম বম্ব” (ante atom bomb) ফিল্ম; ইয়াত—‘এটম বোমা প্ৰপাডিহ গোণী সকলৰ হাম্পটলৰ দৃশ্য দেখুৱাইছে আৰু ই একোত ‘বমাটিক’ বা আমোদজনক চৰি নহয়। এই চৰি ইমান শোকপূৰ্ণ যে দৰ্শকে দ্বিতীয় বাৰ চাব নোৱাৰে। এইখন এটম বোমাৰ বিৰুদ্ধে অভিযান মূলক—(propaganda against atom bomb) ফিল্ম; ইয়াত box office hit ব কথা নাহে।

Dr BHUPEN HAZARIKA :—Box office hit ব কথা ইয়াত নাহে

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI : মই কৈছোৱেই, এইখা propaganda film—prapaganda against atom bomb.

Shri LAILA MEDHI :—এই ‘আমন’ চৰিখনৰ ওচৰত আমোদ কৰ অন্য বাজাইও বেহাই দিছে নেকি?

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI :—এই কথা জনাব উপায় নাই।

গতিকে,মাননীয় সদস্য সকলে যিবিলাক মিতব্যয়ীতা বা বৰ্দ্ধন কৰা আৰু অপব্যয় নোহোৱাৰ পৰামৰ্শ আগবঢ়াইছে সেইবিলাক কাৰ্য্যকৰী কৰিবলৈ আমি যৎপদোনাশ্চি চেষ্টা কৰিম।

Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi (Minister Finance) :—Mr. Speaker, Sir, I beg to move that the Assam Appropriation (No. IV) Bill 1967 be taken up clause by clause.

Mr. Speaker :—The question is The Assam Appropriation (No. IV) Bill, 1967, be taken up clause by clause. There is no amendment. I put the motion to vote. (The motion was adopted).

Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi (Minister Finance) : Mr. speaker, Sir, beg to move that the Assam Appropriation (No IV) Bill, 1967 be passed.

Mr. Speaker :—The question is that the Assam Appropriation Bill, (No. IV ) of 1967 be passed. (The motion was adopted)

Presentaion of Reports of lagislature Committe Report on the Appropriation Accounts 1964-65 and Audit Report, 1966 and Finance Accounts, 1964-65 of govt. of Assam.

Shri Gaurisankar Bhattacharyya ( Chairman, Public Accounts Committee).

Mr. Speaker, Sir, I beg to present the first Report of the Committee on the Appropriation Accounts, 1964-65 and Audit Report, 1966 and Finance Accounts, 1964-65 of the Government of Assam relating to Health, Animal Husbandry and veterinary Fishery, Revenue Home (police), Home (Jails), Education (General), Education (P.T.M. and sericulture and weaving Departments.

ii Twentieth Report of the Committee on Estimate  
(Shramik Bahini)

Shri Prabhat Narayan Choudhury (Chairman, Estimates Committee):—Mr. Speaker, I beg to present the twentieth Report of the Estimates Committee on P.W.D (R & B) wing (Shramik Bahini)

ii Second Report of the Committee on Petitions

Shrimati Lily Sen Gupta (Chairman, Committee on Petitions):

Mr. Speaker, Sir, I beg to present the Second Report of of the Committee on petition.

iv Third Report of the Committee on Petitions

Shrimati Lily Sen Gupta (Chairman, Committee on Petitions):

Mr. Speaker, Sir, I beg to present the Third Report of the Committee on Petitions.

Discussion on a matter of urgent public importance under Rule 50—Annual Report (Accounts) of the Assam Cements Limited for the year ended 30th June 1965.

*This item was not taken up as the Member giving notice was absent*

Calling Attention To Matters of Urgent Public Importance under Rule 54

(i) News item in 'Natun Asamiya' dated 24th October 1967 relating to non-payment of salary to Block Development officers.

(i) An open letter by Shri Sarat Chandra Rabha, M.L.A. to Minister, Supply, Assam.

(ii) News item in frontier Times dated 23rd October 1967 relating to Rev. Scott's bid to raise the Naga issue in the United Nation.

*These three items were not taken up as the Members giving notice were absent.*

### RESOLUTION

Resolution re : The Estate Duty Act, 1953 (34 of 1953)

Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tripathi : (Minister, Finance) :  
M.-speaker, sir, I beg to move—

Whereas during the period of operation of the Proclamation of Emergency, the Estate Duty Act, 1953 (34 of 1953), has been amended by Parliament by the following Acts, namely :—

- (1) The Central Boards of Revenue Act, 1963 (54 of 1963)
- (2) The Finance Act, 1964 (5 of 1964)
- (3) The Taxation Laws (continuation and Validation of Proceeding) Act, 1964 (11 of 1964)
- (4) The Direct Taxes (Amendment Act, 1964 (31 of 1964)
- (5) Finance Act, 1965 (10 of 1965)
- (6) The Finance (No.2) Act, 1965 (15 of 1965)
- (7) The Taxation Laws (Amendment and Miscellaneous provisions Act) 1965. (41 of 1965) and
- (8) The Finance Act, 1966 (No. 13 of 1966).

And whereas under clause (2) of Article 250 of the

Constitution, the Acts aforesaid in so far as they relate to estate duty in respect of agricultural land, shall cease to have effect on the expiration of a period of six months after the proclamation has ceased to operate;

And whereas after the proclamation has ceased to operate, Parliament has no power to make laws for the states except as provided in Article 249 of the Constitution with respect to matters specified in the Acts aforesaid in so far as they relate estate duty in respect of agricultural land;

And whereas it appears to this Assembly to be desirable that the matters specified in the Acts aforesaid should be regulated in the Estate by Parliament by law notwithstanding the expiration of the period of six months after the Proclamation has ceased to operate;

Now, Therefore, this Assembly hereby resolves in pursuance of Article 252 of the Constitution that the matter specified in the Acts aforesaid in so far as they relate to estate duty in respect of agricultural land should be regulated in the state by Parliament by Law.

Mr. Speaker : Do you want to oppose this motion ?

Shri GAURISANKAR BHATTACHARYYA : Sir, I would like to oppose this motion, because of this provision a very important and far reaching matter is sought to be passed by the back-door. This is a matter which requires an elaborate discussion and it involves some very important article of the Constitution. It relates to some important fundamental principle of the Constitution of India which is the written Constitution. Sir, as you know and as the House knows, our Constitution is unlike the Constitution of United Kingdom. In the....

Mr. Speaker : Order, Order, please. Mr. Tripathi, where as it appears to the Assembly to the desirable that the matters specified in the Acts should be regulated in the State by Parliament by law notwithstanding the expiration of the period of six months after the proclamation, we will get more than six months. Therefore, I think we can wait to discuss this motion. It can come up in December and then we will get six months' time.

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI : I think what the Government of India want is that it should be introduced in the coming Budget Session. That is why we should discuss it now.

Mr. Speaker : Even then, I think, it will be difficult to discuss it at the fag end of the Session. Mr. Bhattacharjee wants that it should be taken up later on. Anyhow, it depends on your consideration.

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI : We have been asked to give it, so far I understood, before February or March next so that all the States can concur and then the Government of India will be able to pass it before expiry of six months. That is my idea. If it is passed in February or March, then we will have to give notice and six months will be insufficient.

Mr. Speaker : Somehow the whole Opposition feel and Mr. Bhattacharyya feels like that and perhaps this may have to be discussed later on. If you think so, it may be kept pending.

Shri KAMAKHYA PRASAD TRIPATHI : I have no objection to that. But implication is there. Once there was discussion about it throughout India and in our Assembly also. Therefore, if a new discussion takes place, it will only add something which may give intervention in the passage of the Bill. So, the essential part is not that, but whatever is realised on the authorisation of the Estate Duty in respect of agricultural land is paid to us. From that point of view, no discussion is necessary.

Shri GAURI SANKAR BHATTACHARYA : Sir, in my opinion it is that it requires full discussion. It is a fundamental matter and I am sure I have got reasons to think like that.

Mr. Speaker : I think we should pass over and it should be kept pending for the next Session.

Resolution for approval of an expenditure of Rs. 1,97,000 for the Industries, Department.

Shri BISWADEV SARMA (Minister Industries) : I beg to move a resolution for approval of an expenditure of Rs. 1,97,000 under the head "35—Industries II—Cottage Industries."

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA (Charaibahi) : Sir, we have got no objection about it. But, I would like to know whether the list has already been prepared for sanctioning these things, or this motion is required only for sanctioning further application i.e. application of loan in future ?

Shri BISWADEV SARMA : This is not about any loan. It is actually a reappropriation case.

Mr. Speaker : The question is that an expenditure of Rs. 1,97,000 under the head "35 Industries—II Cottage Industries" be approved.

(The resolution was adopted)

Shri DULAL CHANDRA BARUA : Sir, I am not going to intervene. Simply for my personal clarification, I want to know from the honorable Minister for what purpose this amount is required ?

Shri BISWADEV SARMA :—For the Industrial Fair in Madras.

Mr. Speaker : I have a message from the Governor of Assam.

ORDER

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8th November, 1947.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Clause (2)(a) of Article 174 of the Constitution of India, as amended up to date, I, Vishnu Sahay, Governor of Assam, hereby prorogue the Assam Legislative Assembly at the conclusion of its sitting on the 10th November, 1967."

Sd/—Vishnu Sahay  
GOVERNOR OF ASSAM

PROROGATION

The Assembly then prorogued

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