

nology and related matters were discussed.

Documentary films on Netaji and I.N.A.

3078. PROF. SAMAR GUHA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether some documentary films on Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose and INA were shown in Indian cinemas in 1946 under guidance of late Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel;

(b) whether these films were withdrawn after the Congress Government came into power;

(c) if so, what happened to these invaluable documentary films;

(d) whether these are missing;

(e) if so, will the Government make a thorough enquiry to find out these missing films; and

(f) if so, facts thereabout?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI L. K. ADVANI): (a) to (f). Attention of the honourable Member is invited to answer given to Unstarred Question No. 2419 on 6th December, 1978. Information collected so far reveals that the film titled "Netaji Subhash" was first certified by Board of Film Censors in 1947 and was re-certified in 1955. The film was in Hindi and 35mm black and white of 10 reels. A firm named M/s. Kinema Exchange

Limited, 3-Maidan Street, Calcutta-13, got the film re-validated in 1955. Further efforts are being made to collect more information about this film.

Electrification of villages and energisation of pump sets

2079 SHRI S. R. DAMANI: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) how many villages have been electrified and pump sets were energised during the period 1st April, 1978 to 31st December, 1978 and the amount spent for the purpose in the country, State-wise; and

(b) whether there is possibility to achieve the targets for the current year in respect of village electrification and pump sets energisation?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI P. RAMACHANDRAN): (a) 3,124 villages were electrified and 1,84,903 pumpsets energised during the period from 1st April to 31st December, 1978. State-wise details are given in the statement enclosed.

The precise expenditure on rural electrification will be known after the financial year 1978-79 is over.

(b) It is early to say whether the targets for electrification of villages and energisation of pumpsets during 1978-79 would be fully achieved.