

(b) As and when total prohibition is enforced in the country, the Armed Force personnel will fall in line with other citizens of the country.

**March by Civilian Employees to Defence Secretary's Office on 16-1-1979**

73. SHRI M. N. GOVINDAN NAIR: Will the DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that thousands of civilian employees of the Air Force Headquarters and inter-service organisations marched to Defence Secretary's office on 16th January, 1979;

(b) if so, their demands; and

(c) steps taken/being taken to redress their grievances?

THE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI JAGJIVAN RAM): (a) to (c). No, Sir. Although such a mass deputation was notified, it was not actually undertaken. Representatives of the concerned Staff Organisations were invited by the Defence Secretary for a meeting, prior to the date in question, and the problems they had in mind were discussed.

The main grievances related to such matters as delay in drawing up promotion panels, finalising recruitment rules, and supply of winter uniforms to Class IV employees; erosion in the availability of promotion avenues, etc.

These are being sympathetically looked into.

**Talk on Bank Dispute Broadcast in 'Spotlight' Programme of A.I.R.**

74. SHRI M. KALYANASUNDARAM: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the AIR in its programme—Spotlight—broadcast a talk

on Bank dispute on 15th January, 1979;

(b) whether in this connection he has received any complaint from any Member of Parliament;

(c) will the Minister please lay on the table a copy of the script of that talk; and

(d) who gave this talk and basis on which he was selected for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING (SHRI L. K. ADVANI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) A copy of the script is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-3264/79].

(d) The Talk was given by Shri S. Kumar Dev, Chief of Bureau, 'Commerce' Weekly of Bombay. The selection was made on the basis of the Correspondent's experience as broadcaster and his knowledge of the subject.

**Production and Import of Crude**

75. SHRI G. NARASIMHA REDDY: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total quantity of crude imported and crude produced in our country and what is the total quantity actually utilised during the last three financial years;

(b) what is the estimated total requirement of crude for the year 1978-79 and how much is imported and how much is produced in our country; and

(c) what is the total quantity of crude already utilised and how much more required?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI H. N. BAHUGUNA): (a) The