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Tuesday, July 23, 1985 *Sravana 1, 1907*  
(Saka)

*The Lok Sabha met at Eleven of the Clock.*

[MR. SPEAKER *in the Chair*]

### MEMBER SWORN

Shri Sukh Ram (Mandi-Himachal Pradesh)

### OBITUARY REFERENCES

[*English*]

MR. SPEAKER: Hon. Members, as we meet today after an interval of two months, I have to inform the House of the sad demise of two sitting and ten of our former colleagues namely Sarvashri Mohar Singh Rathore, Jamilur Rahman, Somchandbhai Manubhai Solanki, P.S. Kharparde, Chowdhry Pratap Singh Daulta, Haji Lutfal Haque, Shri Khagendranath Dasgupta, Prof. Yashwant Rai, Sarvashri Gangacharan Dixit, Laxmi Das, Vinodbhai Sheth and Sanjibhai Rupjibhai Delkar.

Shri Mohar Singh Rathore was a sitting Member of the House representing Churu constituency of Rajasthan. Earlier he had been a Member of the Rajasthan Legislative Assembly during 1962-72. He served on the House Committee and Public Accounts Committee in the State Assembly.

A well known social worker, he worked for the eradication of untouchability, spread of education, Bhoodan movement and rural development. He was associated with several cooperative banks and educational institutions in different capacities.

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Shri Mohar Singh Rathore passed away on 22nd June, 1985, at New Delhi at the age of 59 years.

Shri Jamilur Rahman was a sitting Member of the House representing Kishanganj constituency of Bihar. Earlier he had been a Member of the Fifth and Seventh Lok Sabha during 1971-77 and 1980-84 respectively representing the same constituency.

He was a vigilant Member and never lost an opportunity to raise matters concerning upliftment of the down-trodden and weaker sections of society. He served on various parliamentary and Consultative Committees.

An advocate and agriculturist by profession, he was associated with several cultural, educational and social organisation besides being connected with the Bar Association of Purnea in various capacities. A staunch advocate of Bhoodan Movement, he donated land for scheduled castes and landless people and worked for national integration. A widely travelled person, he was a member of the delegation of South East Asian Friendship Society to Moscow and East Germany in 1972.

Shri Rahman was injured in a road accident in Bihar in December last and never recovered fully. He passed away at London where he had gone for treatment, on 2nd July, 1985, at the age of 55 years.

Shri Somchandbhai Manubhai Solanki was a Member of the Fourth and Fifth Lok Sabha during 1967-77 representing Gandhinagar constituency of Gujarat.

A well known social worker, Shri Solanki took keen interest in organising cooperatives and educational institutions and worked for prohibition and removal of social evils. He was associated with several social organisations.

Shri Solanki passed away on 22nd May,