

[Shri P. Rajagopal Naidu]

when the arrivals of jaggery blocks were 7,42,844 and the wagons supplied at present are only 380 for 17,29,131 blocks. These blocks require at least 800 wagons. Only half of them were supplied.

Non-supply of wagons in the season is not new. It is happening every year. Therefore, the producers are suffering everywhere. Even in Chittoor and Pakala at times when the jaggery arrivals are the highest, wagons will not be available.

The railway authorities must make it a point to look into these things and arrange necessary wagons so as to avoid glut in the markets.

This year there will be a bumper crop in Andhra Pradesh. Chittoor district is one of the districts in India which is known for its mango gardens. This year the lorry transport will not be easily available due to the scarcity of diesel oil and due to increased cost of transport. It is quite necessary to assess the crop and the arrival of mangoes in Chittoor and Damal Cheruvu stations and supply the wagons necessary for the transport of mangoes. Crores of rupees worth of mangoes have to be transported from these stations and it is not possible to preserve mangoes longer. Hence, it is quite necessary to take necessary precautions now itself and arrange the supply of wagons in time.

(iv) INDISCRIMINATE HUNTING OF THE GREAT INDIAN BUSTARD

श्री मनमूल सिंह चौधरी (बोकारनेर) : श्री गोडावड (Great Indian Bustard) की संख्या में निरन्तर कमी होती जा रही है। यह जंसलमेर, जोधपुर और समीपवर्ती क्षेत्र में पाया जाता है। प्रकृति की इस दुर्लभ धरोहर को तेज़ूर पक्षी भी कहते हैं। भ्रवैष शिकार के कारण यह निराला पक्षी शीघ्र ही लुप्त हो जायेगा। राजस्थान ही नहीं, परन्तु सारे भारत के वन्य पशु-पक्षी प्रेमी इस विषय को ले कर काफी चिन्तित हैं। इस के बारे में भारत की पर्यटन और वन्य जीवन सोसायटी

ने प्रधान मंत्री जी को एक शायन भी दिया है। इस पक्षी की निश्चित संख्या मालूम कर इसे बिनाश से बचाने के लिए केन्द्रीय कृषि मंत्रालय को तुरन्त प्रभावशाली कदम उठाना चाहिए। वन-अधिकारियों की उपेक्षापूर्ण नीति के कारण संपूर्ण राजस्थान में प्राकृतिक वातावरण भ्रसंतुलित हो रहा है और वन्य जीव-जन्तुओं के लिए खतरा पैदा हो गया है। मैं अनुरोध करता हूँ कि पर्यटकों, जीव-जन्तु प्रेमियों और प्राकृतिक सौन्दर्य के समर्थकों को इस मांग की ओर सरकार शीघ्र ध्यान देगी।

13.29 hrs.

BUDGET ( MAHARASHTRA )  
1980-81—GENERAL DISCUSSION,  
DEMANDS\*FOR GRANTS ON AC-  
COUNT (MAHARASHTRA), 1980-81  
AND SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS\*  
FOR GRANTS (MAHARASHTRA),  
1979-80.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER: The House will now take up Items 10, 11 and 12 relating to Maharashtra Budget for which 2½ hours have been allotted. Hon. Members desiring to move their cut motions which have been circulated, may send slips to the Table within 15 minutes.

Motions moved:

"That the respective sums not exceeding the amounts on Revenue Account and Capital Account shown in the third column of the Order Paper, be granted to the President out of the Consolidated Fund of the State of Maharashtra, on account, for or towards defraying the charges during the year ending on the 31st day of March, 1981 in respect of the heads of demands, entered in the second column thereof against Demands Nos. 2, 3, 6 to 16, 18 to 38, 40 to 42, 45 to 58, 60, 63 to 70, 73, 75 to 82, 85 to 95, 97 to 100, 102 to 110, 113, 115, 118 to 128, 130 to 146, 148 to 161, 163 to 166, 168 to 181, 183, 184, 186 to 190, 192, 193, 195 to 198, 200 to 216."

That the respective Supplementary sums not exceeding the amounts on Revenue Account and Capital