

लाघ, कृषि, सामुदायिक विकास तथा सहकारिता मन्त्रालय में राज्य-मंत्री (श्री अन्नासाहिब शिन्डे : (क) तथा (ख) जी हां। सरकारने चौबी योजना के प्रस्तावों में भारतीय कृषि अनुसन्धान संस्था के अर्धीन एक परमाणु प्रयोगशाला स्थापित करने के लिए एक परि-योजना शामिल की है जो कृषि सुधार में नवीनतम तकनीकियों के प्रयोग को बढ़ायेगी। परियोजना के सम्बन्ध में एक संक्षिप्त नोट सभा पटल पर रखा गया है। [पुस्तकालय में रखा गया। बेलिबे संख्या एल डी—1094/67]

12.08 hrs.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES ACT, 1955

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Food, Agriculture, Community Development and Co-operation (Shri Annasahib Shinde): I beg to lay on the Table a copy each of the following Notifications under sub-section (6) of section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955:—

(1) G.S.R. 988 published in Gazette of India dated the 28th June, 1967.

(2) G.S.R. 1030 published in Gazette of India dated the 3rd July, 1967.

(3) G.S.R. 1038 published in Gazette of India dated the 5th July, 1967.

(4) G.S.R. 1041 published in Gazette of India dated the 7th July, 1967.

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12.08½ hrs.

DEMANDS* FOR GRANTS 1967-68—

—Contd.

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS—contd.

Mr. Speaker: Now we take up further discussion on the Demands for

Grants under the control of the Ministry of External Affairs.

We have got about 1 hour and 15 minutes left. It may be extended by 10 or 15 minutes. At about 2.30, the Minister may begin his reply. Is it all right?

The Minister of External Affairs (Shri M. C. Chagla): Yes.

Mr. Speaker: The Minister will reply at 2.30.

Mr. Nath Pai

Shri Nath Pai (Rajapur): This year's debate on the Demands of the Ministry of External Affairs produced a number of remarkably good speeches, and when I say this, I have in mind the speeches not made by the spokesmen of the Opposition who are good speakers and who always contribute substantially, but I have in mind two or three speeches made by the hon. members on the Treasury Benches. The speech, which I have particularly in mind, is that of Shri Manabendra Shah, who showed courage, and showed that at least some members are capable of looking beyond the brief that the Party normally expects of them. Another remarkable speech, where again a healthy tendency is coming to the fore, where the interests of the nation will be kept above the requirements of the Party exigency, was the speech of Mrs. Tarkeshwari Sinha. The speech of Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit shows the skill, the subtlety, which a long experienced diplomat can bring to her task. What she wanted to say was very simple and much-needed saying. But she knows how risky it is, in the current atmosphere prevailing in her Party to say the truth. All that she wanted to say was: let us discard the fearcomplex, let us have on our banners honesty and courage, and let us face realities courageously. But to say this, she had to use the camouflage of so much denunciation and so much

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