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Wednesday, April 18, 1962/
Chaitra 28, 1884 (Saka)

The Lok Sabha met at Twenty-five minutes past Ten of the Clock

[MR. SPEAKER in the Chair]

MEMBERS SWORN

Mr. Speaker: Hon. Members who have not taken the oath or made the affirmation may do so now.

Shri Deorao Shioram Patil (Yeotmal).

Shri D. Ering (North East Frontier Tract).

Shri Chubatoshi Jamir (Naga Hills Tuensang Area)

Shri Birendra Chandra Dutta (Tripura West)

10.26 hrs.

Re MOTIONS FOR ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Speaker: I have received notices of several adjournment motions. There is one thing that I want to make clear and I require the approval of the House in that. I desire that a convention might be established henceforward that no adjournment motion might be moved today when we hear the Address of the President. I will consider these adjournment motions tomorrow and take them up. They would not suffer on account of any delay or notice having not been given at the earliest opportunity. I will waive that. We will take them up tomorrow, because, ordinarily, we only transact formal business today, laying of papers and

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others and do not enter into any controversial matters. We attach importance to the Address by the President. I think Members would agree to that.

Hon. Members: Yes.

Shri Tridib Kumar Chaudhuri (Berhampur): May I point out one thing, while I bow down to your decision in laying down this convention? I am one of those who have tabled adjournment motions today. It was done in pursuance of a previous convention. Last time, I think it was in 1957, over some issue—I forget the issue—the Speaker allowed an adjournment motion being moved that day. So, there was no intention on our part to disturb the convention.

Mr. Speaker: That is exactly because it was said that it was allowed on some previous occasion that I wanted the approval of the House and I got that.

10.29 hrs.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Secretary: Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the President's Address to both Houses of Parliament assembled together on the 18th April, 1962.

Presidents' Address

संसद् के सदस्यगण,

अपने गणराज्य के तीसरे संसद्-अभि-
वेदन के उद्घाटन के अवसर पर, संसद् के
सदस्यों के रूप में आपका स्वागत करते हुए
मुझे बहुत खुशी हो रही है। आप में से बहुत
से ऐसे हैं जो गत वर्षों में भी संसद् के सदस्य रहे
हैं और जिन्हें एक बार फिर उनके निर्वाचकों