

(Part II—Proceedings other than Questions and Answers)

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LOK SABHA

Monday, 23rd August, 1954.

The Lok Sabha met at a Quarter Past Eight of the Clock.

[MR. SPEAKER SHRI G. V. MAVALANKAR in the Chair.]

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

(See Part I)

9 A.M.

DEATH OF SHRI SURESH
CHANDRA MAJUMDAR

Mr. Speaker: I regret to inform the House of the passing away at the age of sixty-six of Shri Suresh Chandra Majumdar who was a Member of the Provisional Parliament. He was a great fighter in our struggle for independence and suffered imprisonment a number of times. He was a journalist of repute and was the founder of the *Anand Bazar Patrika*, a Bengali daily and the *Hindustan Standard*, an English daily. His demise is a loss to us all. We mourn it and I am sure the House will join me in conveying our condolences to his family. The House may stand in silence for a minute to express its sorrow.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

BILLS PASSED DURING SIXTH SESSION

Secretary: Sir, I lay on the Table a statement showing the Bills passed by the Houses of Parliament during the Sixth Session, 1954, and assented to by the President.

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STATEMENT

1. The Abducted Persons (Recovery and Restoration) Amendment Bill, 1954.
2. The Appropriation Bill, 1954.
3. The Appropriation (Railways) Bill, 1954.
4. The Government of Part C States (Amendment) Bill, 1953.
5. The Appropriation (Vote on Account) Bill, 1954.
6. The Control of Shipping (Amendment) Bill, 1954.
7. The Air Corporations (Amendment) Bill, 1954.
8. The Appropriation (Railways) No. 2 Bill, 1954.
9. The Displaced Persons (Claims) Supplementary Bill, 1953.
10. The Press (Objectionable Matter) Amendment Bill, 1953.
11. The Barsi Light Railway (Transferred Liabilities) Bill, 1954.
12. The Transfer of Evacuee Deposits Bill, 1954.
13. The Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 1954.
14. The Finance Bill, 1954.
15. The Lushai Hills District (Change of Name) Bill, 1954.
16. The Prevention of Disqualification (Parliament and Part C States Legislatures) Amendment Bill, 1954.
17. The Absorbed Areas (Laws) Bill, 1953.
18. The Drugs and Magic Remedies (Objectionable Advertisements) Bill, 1953.
19. The Indian Railways (Second Amendment) Bill, 1953.