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ANDHRA PRADESH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Monday, the 2nd February 1975
The House met at Half-Past Eight of the Clock.

(Mr. Speaker in the Chair)

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Murder of Sri Ram Subba Reddy, Ex-M. L. A

31—

*6904 Q-Sri Nallapareddy Sreenivasulureddy (Gudur)—Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state

(a) whether Sri Rama Subba Reddy Ex-Legislator was murdered in Proddutur of Cuddapah district during April 1975,

(b) whether the Police dogs have been used to detect the murderers,

(c) whether the culprits have been caught,

(d) the way in which the murder was committed

(e) whether the reasons for the murder have been investigated,

and

(f) whether the daughter of Sri Ram Subba Reddy who is a student of Medical College was also injured in this connection?

The Chief Minister (Sri J. Vengal Rao) — (a) Yes, Sir,

(b) Yes, Sir

(c) Out of the 19 accused involved in this case, 16 have been apprehended. Vigorous efforts are being made to apprehend the remaining 3 accused

(d) The deceased was stabbed while he was sleeping on the terrace of his house

* An asterisk before the name indicates confirmation by the Member

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(a) Yes, Sir.
(f) Yes, Sir.

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Crime No 30/74 of Kollipara Police Station

6217-(N) Q — Sarvasri Nissankararao Venkataratnam (Guntur) S Papi Reddy, (Kangiri) A Hanumantha Rao (Kovvur) Ch Parusuram Naidu (Parvathipuram) P Janardhan Reddy (Kamalapur) Nallapareddi Sreenivasulu Reddy Syed Hasan (Charminar) C V K Rao (Kakmada) and Smt J Eshwar Bai (Yella Reddy) — Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state

(a) whether Crime No 30/74 of Kollipara Police Station in Guntur district, Tenali taluk relating to the serious complaints made by Smt Arvapalli Poorna Kumari and Allapati Kotaiah is still at the stage of investigation only inspite of assurance of quick action given on 16th and 17th of August 74 on the floor of the Legislature by the Hon’ble Chief Minister,

(b) why the investigation has not yet reached the stage of filing the charge sheet, and

(c) Whether the Government will be pleased to direct higher authorities to look into the matter and speed up filing the charge sheet?

Sri J. Vengal Rao — (a) (b) & (c) This was entrusted to Crime Branch, C. I. D. After due investigation it was referred as undetectable

Yes, Sir.
ORISSA FOREST OFFICIALS IN THE STATE

33—

*6216 (R) Q—Sri Majji Tulasidas (Sompeta) —Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state

(a) whether any of the Forest officials of Orissa are staying in Andhra Pradesh area to perform their duties in Mandasa, Sabakota etc, places in Sompeta taluq,

(b) whether the Government have received any complaints that the Girijans and poor Forest labour in the area are being harassed by the Orissa Forest officials;

(c) whether the Government are in the know of the fact that some Girijans and other poor labour in Mandasa Samithi area dragged into Parlakimidi Court in Orissa by the Orissa Forest employees unlawfully catching hold of the labour in Andhra Pradesh Jurisdiction,

(d) if so, what action has been taken in this connection to remedy the injustice done by the Forest officials to the poor men, and

(e) if not, whether the Government try to know of the incidents and take further action in this regard and prevent the occurrence of such instances in future?

Sri J. Vengal Rao:—(a) Yes, Sir Some forest guards and Foresters of Narayanapuram range of Parlakimidi Forest Division of Orissa State having no villages fit for residence in that area are
temporarily residing in Mandasa, Sabkota and Singupuram villages of Andhra Pradesh. But it is not true that they are performing their duties in Andhra Pradesh jurisdiction.

(b) No, Sir

(c) No, Sir The Orissa Forest officials are booking Forest offence cases in their jurisdiction as and when the villagers of the border have been committing offences in the forest areas of Orissa jurisdiction.

(d) Does not arise

(e) As and when any such incidents are noticed, steps will be taken by this Government to prevent their occurrence.
CLOSING DOWN OF KHANDASARI SUGAR MILLS IN GUNTUR AND KRISHNA DISTRICTS

34—

*6692 Q—Sri M. Nageswara Reddy (Gurajala).—Will the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state

(a) whether the Guntur and Krishna District Khandasari Sugar Mills, Association decided to close down the factories forthwith,

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and the number of factories closed so far, and

(c) the action taken by the Government to put them in working?

The Minister for Agriculture (Sri J. Chokkara Rao) (a) The Government have received no intimation from the Association to this effect. There have however been statements in the Press by the Association to this effect.

(b) The crushing operations of all the 24 miles are reported to have been stopped by the individual Mills in normal course as in the case of previous seasons

(c) Does not arise

Mr Speaker—He will examine.

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Q. 1. (Telugu) — Sir, in your Budget speech, you had mentioned that the Government will provide 50 rupees of subsidy to every small farmer. How much is the total budget allocated for this purpose?

A. (Telugu) — Thank you, Sir. The Government has allocated a total budget of 125 crores for providing 50 rupees of subsidy to every small farmer. This amount is expected to help 40 lakh small farmers. The subsidy will be provided in two phases, with 22 crores allocated in the first phase. The remaining 103 crores will be provided in the second phase.

Q. 2. (Telugu) — Sir, in your Budget speech, you had mentioned that the Government will provide a loan of 15,200 rupees for small farmers. Can you provide more details on this loan?

A. (Telugu) — Thank you, Sir. The Government has allocated 15.20 crores for providing a loan of 15,200 rupees to 10 lakh small farmers. This loan will be available in two phases, with 5.60 crores allocated in the first phase. The remaining 9.60 crores will be provided in the second phase. The loan will be repayable in 10 years with a grace period of 2 years.

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PURCHASE TAX COLLECTED FROM CHITTOOR CO-OPERATIVE SUGAR FACTORY

*6208—(N)Q.—Sri D Venkatesam (Kuppam) —Will the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of purchase tax being collected from the Chittoor Co-operative Sugar Factory for maintenance of Roads and

(b) the allotment of funds for roads maintenance in the Sugar Factory area out of the above funds collected?
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2nd February, 1976.

Sri J. CHOKKARAO—

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KONAM RESERVOIR IN CHODAVARAM TALUQ

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*6502 Q—Dr. B Kalavathi (Madugula)—Will the Minister for Medium Irrigation be pleased to state

(a) whether there is any proposal before the Government for sanction of construction of Konam Reservoir in Chodavaram taluk, Visakhapatnam district, and

(b) if so, the stage of the proposal?

Sri V. Krishnamurthy Naidu (Minister for Medium Irrigation) —(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The detailed investigation of the scheme has been completed and detailed project report is under preparation.

(b) *36) **Sri V. F. Krishnamurthy Naidu—Yes, Sir. The detailed investigation of the scheme has been completed.

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(b) *36) **Sri V. F. Krishnamurthy Naidu—The detailed investigation of the scheme has been completed and detailed project report is under preparation. Depending upon the availability of funds, we will complete it.

GRANT OF LAND ON EK-SAL LEASE TO ERUKALAS IN KORLAKUNTA VILLAGE

37—

*6742 Q—Sri A. Sreeramulu (Eluru).—Will the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that land bearing S No 530 of Korlakunta village of Voyalapad taluk was granted to the Erukulas on Ek-sal lease in the year 1971; and

(b) if so, whether the landless Erukulas were allowed to cultivate the land and if not, the reasons therefor?

Sri P Narsa Reddy (Minister for Revenue) — (a) It is a fact that Ek-sal lease was issued to 35 Erukulas to cultivate the land in S No 530 of Korlakunta village in Voyalapad Taluk for paddy 1381.

(b) In view of numerous stay and counter stay orders, the orders of the Tahsildar, Voyalapad allowing the Erukulas to cultivate the above land could not be implemented.

Sri A. Sreeramulu:—The Minister is admitting that there are numerous stays and counter-stays. I want to know the exact reasons for numerous stays and counter-stays.

Sri P Narsa Reddy:—These Erukulas were not the residents of that village. They are 2½ miles away from the local Harijans and other landless poor. They went on appealing against the orders of the Tahsildar. Ultimately, the Government has now decided to give 50% of the land to Erukulas and 50% of the land to Local Harijans.

Sri A. Sreeramulu:—The Board of Revenue order is very clear. That is like this—"after inspection and enquiry, the Board is satisfied that the land was free from occupation for a period of three years prior to P 1381." Somehow the Government came to conclusion that the land was under occupation of somebody else and under those circumstances, it came to that conclusion.

Sri P Narasa reddy:—I have no order of the Board with me now. When the matter came before the Government that the Erukulas were 35 in number and the Harijans were having equal share of the land, the Government granted 50% of the land to Erukulas and 50% to Harijans. They went to Court and the Court also accepted the Government's contention.
The High Court said "you must abide by the decision of the Government." Now, the Collector reported that he has given possession of the land equally to both of them. Probably, this year, they may cultivate the land.

Sri P. Narasa Reddy:—We have referred the matter to the D R.O. and he will enquire into the matters and he will cancel pattas if necessary.

**GIVING OF MASONARY WORK REGARDING SRIKALAM PROJECT ON CONTRACT ON TENDER BASIS**

38—

*6216-(U)Q—Sarvasri E Ayyapu Reddy (Panyam), Ch. Kassaiah (Palwancha) Kasani Narayana, (Jangaon).—Will the Minister for Power be pleased to state:

(a) whether the masonary work regarding Srisalampet was originally given on contract on tender basis to (1) Rao & Rao Company, (2) Rayalaseema Construction Company, (3) Krishna Rao and (4) Rami Reddy and Company;

(b) the rates at which the masonary work was entrusted to above contractors;

(c) the reasons for the termination of the contractors eventhough they were willing to continue the work;

(d) to whom was the balance of work entrusted and at what rate;

(e) the quantity of work done by the new agency in each of the blocks entrusted to them i.e., Block 6, 7, 9, 11 and 17; and

(f) the loss incurred by the Government in getting the above work done through the new agency?
Statement placed on the Table of the House.

(a) Yes, Sir

The masonry work in various blocks awarded to the contractors on tender basis in the year 1972-73 is as follows.

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(b) The works awarded to the contractors on through rates inclusive of all leads, lifts and delifts, as noted against each:

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<td>Sri G. Rami Reddy</td>
<td>3 SE/73-74</td>
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(a) R.R Masonry inclusive of all leads & lifts

(b) Face stone masonry inclusive of all leads and lifts Rs. 90/-1 cum.
(c) The above contractors could not complete the work allotted within the periods specified in the Agreements. The Government, after considering the circumstances under which they could not complete the work, granted extension from time to time and final extension given up to 15-3-74. While the proposals for granting extension of time were under consideration, the Government made a review with regard to prevailing workable rates for the Dam masonry simultaneously when it was considered that the rates offered by the then existing contractors were high compared to the trend of rates of similar work in other big projects. Reasonable rates were therefore worked out and the contractors were asked to reduce their rates accordingly. But the contractors did not agree for the reduction of rates in their agreed rates. The Government, however, granted extension of time to the above contractors finally up to 15-3-74. The contractors were closed (with effect from 25-4-74) by not granting further extension of time.

(d) The details showing the balance work is appended (APPENDIX—I). The new rates are as follows:

1. R.R Masonry basic rate: Rs. 40/- 1 cum
2. Extra for each lift of 3 metres over initial lift: Rs 2/- 1 cum/lift
3. Extra delifts over initial delift: Rs 1.25/- 1 cum/delift
4. Face stone masonry (inclusive of all leads & lifts): Rs. 90/- cum.

The work was entrusted to M/s A.P State Construction Corporation Limited; M/s Rao & Rao and Sri G. Rami Reddi who came forward to undertake the balance work at the above rates.

(e) The details showing the quantity and value of work done by the new agencies is appended (APPENDIX—II).

(f) Question of loss does not arise. The rates for the unit were reduced. The rate structure was made more rational.
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APPENDIX-II

Quantity of work done by new agencies

(1) with the suggested rates of the Government during the remaining part of working season 1973-74

(a) M/s Rao & Rao, Civil Engineering Works—Blocks 6 & 7

(1) R R Masonry — 5541 cum x 40 Rs. 2,21,640
(2) Face stone masonry 67 73 cum x 90 — „ 6,096
(3) Lifts & delifts „ 19,003

Total Rs 2,46,739

(b) Rami Reddy in Block 17 Agreement No SE/74 75 for Rs 5/- lakhs.

(1) R.R. Masonry—7415 cum at Rs. 40 per cum. Rs. 2,96,600
(2) F S Masonry—22.5 cum at Rs 90 per cum
   (3) Lifts and delifts etc.

Total Rs. 3,21,405
Actual work done

(c) A P. State Construction Corporation Limited in Blocks 13
Agreement No 1 SE/74-75 for Rs 80,000

1. R R. Masonry 1814 cum at Rs 40 per cum.
   Rs 75,560
2. Lifts and Delifts
   2,331

Total Rs. 74,891
Actual work done.

(2) Based on tendered rates after the working season 1973-74

The rates offered are as under:

(1) R R. Masonry — Rs 45/- per cum
(2) Face stone masonry — Rs 125/- per cum
(3) Extra lift. — Rs 2.00 per cum
(4) Extra delift. — Rs 1.25 per cum

(a) M/s. A P State Construction Corporation Limited in blocks
7 & 8 Agreement No. 8 SB/74-75.

Value of work Rs 14.08 lakhs as executed

(b) Block No. 9 & 11—Agt No 12 SB/74-75 for Rs 24/-lakhs
The work is in progress. The rates are as under:

(1) R R. Masonry (Basic rate) Rs. 45/- 1 cum
(2) Face stone masonry (Basic rate) ,, 125/- 1 cum
(3) Extra lifts ,, 2/-cum/Lift
(4) Extra delifts ,, 1.25/- 1 cum Lift.

1. The whole work is being carried on by the A.P. Construction Corporation.
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Dilapidated Condition Of Suryarao Anicut And Canal From The River Dendi to Mellamma Tank

40—

Q—Sri B Rama Sarma (Devarakonda) —Will the Minister for Minor Irrigation be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Suryarao Anicut and Canal from River Dendi to Mellamma tank in Devarakonda taluk of Nalgonda district is in a dilapidated condition,

(b) whether any proposal is under consideration of the Government to get the Suryarao anicut and canal repaired,

(c) whether survey has been conducted in respect of the repair for the anicut and canal, if so, the expenditure to be incurred therefor and

(d) whether the work will be taken up during the financial year 1975-76?

The Minister for Minor Irrigation (Sri A Venkata Reddy) — (a) The Channel from Suryarao anicut to the valley of Kangula cheru Gonebopinapally village is in good condition but in between Gonebopinapally and Medalammacheru the channel is in dilapidated condition.

(b) A scheme is under examination to restore Suryarao anicut A feeder channel to Kangula cheru and also the restoration of Kangula cheru of Gonebopinapally is under examination. The excavation of canal from Suryarao anicut is not feasible as this source has to irrigate 612 acres in Gonebopinapally area.

(c) An estimate amounting to Rs. 74,000/- has been prepared by the Executive Engineer, Tank Restoration Service, I B Division, Hyderabad and is yet to be sanctioned.

(d) The question of taking up these works will be considered after it is administratively sanctioned subject to availability of funds.
NEW ARRACK SHOP AT CHEEPINAPI VILLAGE, RAPUR TALUK

41—

*6382 Q.—Sri N Venkataratnam Naidu (Rapur) —Will the Minister for Excise be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that the Excise Department started a new arrack shop this year at Cheepinapi village of Rapur taluk, Nellore district

(b) whether it is also a fact that petitions have been submitted to the District Collector and other officials by the public of the said village through the local M.L.A. expressing their protest unanimously for opening an arrack shop in their village at the time of starting the said shop in that village;

(c) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon;

(d) whether it is also a fact that the contractors who opened the shop at a religious place illegally, filed police cases against the elders of the village who opposed for the same, and

(e) whether it is the aim of the Government to encourage this type of violence, if not, the action taken by the Government against those contractors?

The Minister for Excise (Sri V. Purushotham Reddy) :—(a) A new shop at Cheepinapi was opened for the excise year 1974-75

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) & (e) Orders have been passed by District Revenue Officer, for shifting the premises of the shop to an unobjectionable site within the limits of Cheepinapi village.

(d) Contractors have made complaints to the police about the alleged loss caused to them.
Sr A. Sreeramulu.—While answering to (b), the Minister admitted that a petition was sent by the villagers opposing the starting of an arrack shop. Why the objection was not looked into? Why the Government took the decision to open the arrack shop near the temple?

Sr V. Purushotham Reddy.—(a) Rs 79,61,206/- as on 30-9-1974
(b) Decrease in demand for Superphosphate due to large availability of high grade complex formulations made by large Fertilizer factories.
(c) Share Capital investment of the Government. : Rs. 13.69 lakh
(d) No, Sir,

Accumulated Losses by Hyderabad Chemical and Fertilisers Ltd.

42—

*6215Q — Sri A. Sreeramulu — Will the Minister for Excise be pleased to state.

(a) the accumulated losses upto date incurred by Hyderabad Chemical and Fertilisers Limited,
(b) the reasons for the losses,
(c) the investment made by the Government in the Company, and the amount of loan, if any, granted, and
(d) whether the Government are getting any return on the investment made and repayment of the loan if any?

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(d) No, Sir,
Sri A. Sreenulu —Sir, the company has accumulated losses to a tune of Rs. 80 lakhs. What are the proposals the Government proposes to take to remedy the position?

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Constitution of Marketing Committee for Gudur Division

43—

*6202-(D)Q — Sri O Venkata Subbiah (Venkatagiri) — Will the Minister for Marketing be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Marketing Committee was constituted for Gudur Division in Nellore district;

(b) if so, the number of taluks tagged on to this Committee;

(c) the names and addresses of the members of that Committee and also the Executive Committee,

(d) whether it is a fact that no representation was given to Venkatagiri taluk, and

(e) if so, the reasons therefor?

(The Minister for Marketing) Sri P. Mahendranath:— (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 4 Taluks

(c) Answer placed on the Table of the House.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not apply.
Answer to Part (C) placed on the Table of the House.

C. 1. Sri Epur Kumaraswamy Reddy, S/o Venku Reddy, Resident of Mallam, Sulurpet Taluk
2. Sri Nedumallu Padmanabha Reddy, S/o Subba Ram Reddy, Resident of Vakudu Village, Gundur Taluk
5. Sri Konkati Yeshaiah, S/o Ramaswami, Resident of Mulappadava Village (Via) Mallam, Sulurpet Taluk.
7. Sri V. Guruva Raju, Resident of Kandra Venkatagir.
10. The President of the Naidupet Co-operative Marketing Society, Naidupet.
11. The Agricultural Extension Officer, Gundur as Departmental representative.
12. Chairman, Gundur Municipality.

The following are Chairman and Vice-Chairman.
1. Chairman:— Sri Peteti Venkatarmanayya, S/o Venkat Reddaiah, Gundur.
2. Vice-Chairman.— Sri Chadalavada Penchalaiah S/o Siddaih, Gundur.

CONSTRUCTION OF HOUSING COLONY TO THE FISHERMEN OF SRIKAKULAM DISTRICT

46622-Q.—Sarvasri B. Hariyappadu (Etcherla) and V. Narsimha Rao (Kothur) :—Will the Minister for Fisheries be pleased to state:
(a) whether the coastal fishermen community is a backward class or not?
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(b) whether the Government have any proposal to construct Housing Colony to the Fishermen of Srikakulam district;
(c) if so, the amount allocated for the year 1975-76, for the Fishermen Housing purpose, and
(d) the funds allocated by the Central Government to the fishermen for the year 1974-75 and the area in which the amount was spent

The Minister for Fisheries (Sri D. Munuswamy).—(a) All fishermen communities are included in the list of backward classes.
(b) No, Sir.
(c) Does not arise.
(d) No, Sir.

Setting up of Meat and Meat Products Corporation

45—

*6934 Q—Sri Nallapareddi Sreenivasul Reddi. Will the Minister for Animal Husbandry be pleased to state
(a) whether there is a proposal to start meat and meat products corporation in Andhra Pradesh,
(b) if so, when will it be started and what will be the capital investment;
(c) whether it is a joint venture of the state and Central Governments, and
(d) whether the proposed Corporation would set up a modern slaughter house in the Twin Cities,

The Minister for Animal Husbandry (Sri S Venkatramana Reddy):—

(a) Yes Sir,
(b) The capital investment is going to be of the order of Rs. 2.25 crores. Attempts are being made to secure institutional finance for the project. No decision is yet taken about when the Corporation will be registered.
(c) It is proposed to make it a joint venture Sir
(d) Yes. Sir.
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(5) యాంత్రికాలు యాంత్రికాలు ప్రత్యేకం ఇది యొక్క కోసం. మరియు విభాగం యొక్క కోసం.

(6) మనం ఇస్తే, మనం ఇస్తే యొక్క కోసం. మరియు విభాగం యొక్క కోసం.
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(UNSTARRED)

Arogyavaram Development Board In Chittoor District.

6—

5248 Q — Sri Vyjayasikhamani .— Will the Chief Minister be
pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any Board viz., Arogyavaram Development
Board in Chittoor district,

(b) if so, when that committee was constituted by the Govern-
ment and the principle adopted for the constitution of the said
Committee,

(c) the amount allotted by the Government to the said Board,
the manner in which the remaining amount will be provided; and

(d) the number of unemployed people who will be provided
employment in it?

6—

(a) There is a Society called Arogyavaram Development Society
registered under Andhra Pradesh Societies' Registration Act,
 functioning from Madanapalle in Chittoor district. It is a legal en-
ty acting as partners in India to E.Z.E of Bonn, West Germany, in
implementing a Community Development Project.

(b) No Committee has been constituted by the Government. A
Governing Body has been constituted by the Society itself as contem-
plated under the Registration of Societies Act XXI of 1860.

(c) The original estimated outlay of the project was Rs. 8.49 Mi-
llions. As an amount of Rs 6.096 Millions was to be provided by
the Donor Agency viz, the Central Evangelical Agency, Bonn, West
Germany. The rest shall be local participation by way of Government
Programmes, Zilla Parishad Programmes etc. The Government have
permitted the Collector, Chittoor to be a member of the Governing
Body and also to associate himself with the project implementation
Committee. Since the project envisages welfare and developmental
activities implemented by the State Government through various pro-
grammes such as Community Development Programme, D.P.A.P.,
Six Point Formula Schemes etc, basically there will be no difficulty in
taking credit for the local participation in the project cost by linking
up the State Programmes in the project area. As such the question
of allocation of funds to the said Society by Government does not arise.

(d) So far 38 people have been directly employed by the Society.
It is expected more employment opportunities will be created by the
Programmes taken up by the Arogyavaram Development Society.

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3-Wheeler Minicar Factory in Renigunta.

17—

5713 Q.—Sri Nallapareddi Sreenivasul Reddi;— Will the Minister for Industries be pleased to state:

(a) whether a 3-wheeler minicar factory has been started in Renigunta near Tirupathi (Chittoor district) in October, 1974,

(b) what will be its annual production and the cost of each car;

(c) who are the partners; and

(d) how many persons are employed in the factory?

A—

(a) The Scooter-car Private Limited, a Company for the manufacture of minicars started on 14th December, 1971 and went into commercial production in October, 1974.

(b) The rated capacity of the factory is 750 vehicles per annum. The cost per vehicle varies from Rs. 13,500 to Rs. 14,000 depending upon the area, local taxes, etc.

(c) As it is a Limited Company, there are no partners.

(d) The Company has an employment potential of about 131 persons (including managerial, supervisory staff, etc).

Construction of Bus-Stands by the R.T.C. on modern lines.

18—

5461 Q.—Sri G. Bhupathy:—Will the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) the number of bus-stands which are being constructed by Road Transport Corporation on modern lines in Andhra Pradesh and the number of them under construction at present, and

(b) whether there is any proposal to construct some more Bus-stands on similar lines, if so, the places where they will be constructed?

A.—

(a) The number of Bus Stations which are being constructed by Road Transport Corporation on modern lines is 15 out of which 9 bus stations are under construction.

(b) The list of Bus Stations proposed to be constructed is placed on the Table of the House.

(See Pages 229 to 234 for the list)

Allotment of Sugar to the Cane Suppliers in Chodavaram Sugar Factory.

19—

5817 Q.—Sri V. Palavelli.—Will the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state.
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(a) whether it is a fact that nearly 600 bags of Sugar has been allotted to those cane suppliers who supply 85% of the contract to Chodavaram Sugar Factory during 1973-74,

(b) whether it is also a fact that nearly 940 bags of Sugar has been drawn from the godowns and there are many complaints from the cane growers that most of them have not received the allotted sugar.

(c) if so, the reasons for the excess drawn and non-supply to some of the members and the officer responsible for the same and also the action taken against him, and

(d) who is the Special Officer during the above period?

A.—(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) It is reported that due to faulty issue of identification slips by the field staff, who were authorised to issue such slips for drawal of sugar, excess sugar was drawn and distributed. The punishment inflicted includes stoppage of increment with cumulative effect in respect of 11 fieldmen and warning to 9 fieldmen on the basis of enquiry report and legal advice.

(d) Sri K. V S. Gurunadha Rao, Joint Registrar.

Properties of Sri Anjaneyaswamy Temple, Gollaladoddi Village

5061Q.— Sri D. Venkatesam:— Will the Minister for Endowments be pleased to state:

(a) the properties vested in the name of the deity Sree Anjaneyaswamy Temple, Gollaladoddi village, Adoni taluk, Kurnool district;

(b) when the said properties were donated to the temple and by whom and what are the conditions;

(c) the present condition of the temple and the name of the Pujari and the persons who are enjoying the wet land properties of the temple now;

(d) whether it is a fact that a person other than the Pujari is enjoying at the cost of the temple now; and

(e) if so, the action taken to evict such person and to protect the interest of the temple?

A.—(a) An extent of Ac. 17.78 cts. in the village Hisara Murvani, hamlet of Gollaladoddi village is vested in the name the deity Sri Anjaneyaswamy Temple, Gollaladoddi village, Adoni taluk.

(b) It is not known when these lands were gifted and by whom they were endowed. But they are originally mam lands. According to the I.F.R. the landed property in question was Devadayam granted
for support of the subject temple whose existence can be traced as early as in Fasli 1216

(c) The temple is in a dilapidated condition. There are no regular poojas in the temple. Sri Pujari Laksmipathi is the Archaka of the temple. When the lands of the temple were brought for sale for recovery of arrear Land Revenue the Archaka has given away the land measuring an extent of Ac. 10.79 cts of land situated at Murvani village in lease to Sri M Ramana of Yemmiganur for a period of 30 years commencing from 1965, on annual rent of Rs. 500; and Rs. 200 towards bettlement levy. The remaining land is in the possession of the Archaka.

(d) No Sir, Sri M Ramana of Yemmiganur is in possession of the land measuring Ac. 10 79 cents only as a lessee.

(e) This temple was neither published and registered under Sections 6 and 38 of the Act nor it was assessed previously. The lease given by the Archaka is an unauthorised one, as it is without prior sanction of the Commissioner, Endowments under Section 29 of the Repealed Act, 1951. No trustees were appointed to this temple previously. The Pujari has submitted the required application under section 38 of the Act for registration of the temple. Necessary action is being taken by the Assistant Commissioner, Endowments, Kurnool to get the subject temple registered under the Andhra Pradesh Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1966 and to take possession of the properties.

Transfer of Irrigation Sources of Inam villages in Nellore District to the Public Works Department

21—

5659 Q.—Sri Nallapareddi Sreenivasulu Reddy:—Will the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state:

(a) the number of irrigation sources in the Inam villages and ex-zamindari villages of Kota, Gudur, Sullurpet Panchayat Samithis in Nellore district which have to be transferred either to the Public Works Department or to the Panchayat Raj Department by the Revenue Department for fixing up standards and for further maintenance; and

(b) the reasons for the delay in this regard?

A.— (a) and (b) The following tanks of Kota, Gudur and Sullurpet Panchayat Samithis are situated in the Inam villages shown against them.

1. Kondavallipadu tank (Kondavallipadu village).
2. Ponnavolu tank (Ponnavolu village)
3. Mathakamudi tank (Mathakamudi village).

Pending Legislation to amend the Inams Abolition Act to vest, among other, tanks, tank beds and other irrigation sources in inam villages, in the Government, no action could be taken to take over the tanks for maintenance by the Government. A Bill for amending the Inams Abolition Act is pending before the Legislature.

Setting up of Ground Water Board

22—

1466 Q.—Sarvasri M. Nagi Reddy, Nallapareddi Sreenivasul Reddi and Ch Parasuram Naidu:—Will the Minister for Panchayati Raj be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government have decided to set up a Ground Water Board as a single agency to deal with the Rural Water Supply Scheme.

(b) whether the State Government have prepared a design for a 3 year phased programme of water supply to about 12,000 villages and submitted to the Union Government; and

(c) if so the estimated expenditure involved?

A.—(a) No, Sir.

(b) A project to provide drinking water to 16,149 villages and hamlets within a period of 3 years was prepared and submitted to the Government of India for financial assistance during 1972-73. But the Government of India have declined to extend the required assistance.

(c) The estimated cost of the project was Rs 2,189,00 lakhs

Bore-well at Varagani of Prathipadu Samithi.

23—

2315 Q.—Sri Peter Paul Chukka: Will the Minister for Panchayati Raj be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have sanctioned any amount for digging a bore-well at Varagani of Prathipadu Samithi, Guntur district for drinking water.

(b) whether it is a fact that the expenditure for the same work was also sanctioned from the drought relief fund;

(c) the total amount of money sanctioned for the work and spent;

(d) the name of the Geologist who examined the place and what was his report; and
(e) whether it is a fact that whatever little quantity of water available in that well is salty?

A.—(a) No, Sir But the Panchayat Samithi Pratipadu has sanctioned Rs. 10,000 from its general funds for sinking of bore-wells and providing casing pipes.

(b) The Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur has sanctioned Rs. 18,000 under drought relief funds for purchase of 12.5 H.P. Electric Motor with pump set for the same work.

(c) Totally a sum of Rs. 28,000 was sanctioned for the above work out of which Rs. 27,189.30 has been spent on the work.

(d) Sri D. Anjaneyulu, Assistant Geologist, Andhra Pradesh State Agro-Industries Corporation examined the place and has reported that since brackish water was tapped in Pratipadu and other villages in the block, the proposed bore at Varagani village may also meet with similar water conditions, which is unsuitable for drinking water purpose.

(e) The water available in the well was slightly brackish and was used by the people for drinking purposes in the absence of better water.

AMOUNTS DRAWN BY SRI B.V. KRISHNA RAO, B.D.O., NANDIGAMA TOWARDS TRAVELLING ALLOWANCES.

24—

4800-O Q.—Sarvasri M. Nagireddy and Vanka Satyanarayana:- Will the Minister for Panchayati Raj be pleased to state:

(a) the year-wise total amounts drawn by Sri B. V. Krishna Rao, Block Development Officer, Nandigama Panchayat Samithi, Krishna district towards his travelling allowances for the years 1972-73, 1973-74 and 1974-75 respectively;

(b) whether there is any ceiling fixed by the Government for travelling allowance to the Block Development Officer in general;

(c) whether the said Block Development Officer has exceeded the ceiling of travelling allowance, and

(d) if so, the action taken in the matter?

A.—(a)

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(b) No ceiling was fixed by the Government.
(e) Does not arise.
(d) Does not arise.

CINEMA THEATRE IN KAKINADA MUNICIPAL
OFFICE COMPOUND.

25—

4691 Q — Sri C. V K. Rao:— Will the Minister for Municipal Administration be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is not a fact that Government have issued G.O. Ms No. 76, Municipal Administration dated 7th February, 1968 prohibiting Kakinada Municipality from permitting construction of cinema theatre in the Municipal Office Compound,

(b) whether it is not a fact that the District Collector, East Godavari in contravention of the said Government Order has ordered Municipal Special Officer to construct a drama theatre in the same compound by private funds for free use of so called cultural organisation of the town,

(c) whether it is also not a fact that Kakinada public is much agitated over the attempt to misuse Municipal Office Compound alienating the site for entertainment purpose; and

(d) if so, the action taken thereon ?

A.—(a) Yes, Sir. In G. O. Ms. No. 76, Municipal administration, dated 7th February, 1968 the Government rejected the proposal of the Kakinada Municipality for leasing the land measuring 3,716 sq. metres in T S No. 1496 in Block No 30 of Ward 2 in Kakinada town in favour of a private party for a period of forty years for construction of a cinema hall.

(b) Yes, Sir. On the request of the Cultural Federation, Kakinada of which the then Collector, East Godavari was the President, a proposal was mooted to construct an open air theatre in a site measuring 7,403 sq. yards in T S No 1496, Block No. 30, Ward No 2 in Kakinada town. The site allotted for the construction of the theatre is only 7,403 sq yards leaving a space of 3,477 sq yards which will be useful for all purposes for which it is serving now. Further the site allotted for the open air theatre will also be useful for public purposes when the theatre is not in use. The Municipal Council, Kakinada in its Resolution No 682, dated 21st March, 1972 accepted the proposal for construction of an open air theatre on the site subject to certain conditions. The open air theatre and the site attached to it will be the property of the Municipality for all purposes. It will be useful not only for Cultural activities but also for the public at large. So, there
will not be any inconvenience to the public of the Kakinada town due to the construction of the open air theatre in the site in question.

(c) The site in question has not been alienated in favour of anybody. The theatre and the site attached to it would be the property of the Municipality for all purposes.

(d) Does not arise.

PERSONS WHO HAVE PASSED THE PHYSICAL EDUCATION TRAINING COURSES ON THE ROLL OF EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE IN SRIKAKULAM DISTRICT

26—

5020 Q—Sarasvati P Sree Rama Murthy and Nallapareddy Sreenivasulu Reddy—Will the Minister for Education and Cultural Affairs be pleased to state,

(a) the number of persons in Srikakulam district on the roll of Employment Exchange who have passed the Physical Education Training Course and are qualified to be appointed as Physical Education Teacher;

(b) the reasons for not including these people in the scheme of half-a-million jobs for employment of unemployed teachers, and

(c) whether the Government now recommend for such relief in any future scheme of Central Government?

A—(a) 1 Physical Education Training Certificate holders

   Men. 120

   2 Physical Education Training Certificate holders. Women

   4

   3. Degree holders, Men.

   Nil

   4. Degree holders, Women

   Nil

(b) The scheme as approved by Government of India did not envisage taking in Physical Education Teachers.

(c) Since the scheme ceased to be in force, this does not arise.

Houses Constructed under Harijan Co-operative Housing Scheme in Karimnagar District.

27—

1668 Q—Sri G. Bhoopathy—Will the Minister for Social Welfare and Technical Education be pleased to state,
(a) the number of houses constructed under Harijan Co-operative Housing Scheme in Karimnagar district and the number of houses collapsed completely from among them, and

(b) the steps taken to reconstruct the collapsed houses?

A.—(a) 4,253 houses were taken up for construction. Out of these, 155 houses and 404 houses were damaged during the rainy season in the years 1972 and 1973 respectively. No houses have collapsed.

(b) The Collector sanctioned an amount of Rs. 53,210 from the natural calamities fund for repairing the damaged houses. All the houses have been repaired.

Girijan Families in Devarakonda Taluk.

28—

5159 Q.—Sri B Rama Sarma—Will the Minister for Social Welfare and Technical Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has been brought to the notice of the Government that there are 500 Girijan (Chenchu) families in Devarakonda taluk, Nalgonda district,

(b) if so, the steps taken for the benefit of those Girijans under Girijan Welfare Scheme,

(c) whether the Government will allot lands to them and provide irrigation facilities to earn to their livelihood,

(d) whether the Government will provide an opportunity to the said Girijans to get forest products such as honey, tamarind free of cost,

(e) whether the Government will take steps to provide them housing accommodation, and

(f) whether any amount has previously been spent through the Girijan Corporation?

A.—(a) There are 126 Girijan families in Devarakonda taluk, Nalgonda district,

(b) One Ashram School and 19 Hostels are maintained for the benefit of students belonging to Scheduled Tribes and Denotified Tribes. The Director of Tribal Welfare released also the following amounts in 1974-75.

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2. Supply of bullocks, cycle rickshaws, carts etc., on 50% subsidy basis to Girmans 2,000

3. Sanction of assistance to set up trades for the Girmans 2,800

(c) The Collector of Nalgonda is competent to allot lands to the landless Girmans. As regards irrigation facilities, two irrigation wells at Kambalapalli at a cost of Rs 6,000 were already sanctioned.

(d) The Girmjan Co-operative Corporation, Visakhapatnam has not established its Primary Societies in Nalgonda district and possibilities in this regard have to be explored by the Girmjan Co-operative Corporation after conducting a survey.

(e) Ninety-one houses were already allotted to Devarakonda Panchayat Samithi and more houses are expected to be allotted to the Scheduled Tribes.

(f) No, Sir.

Treating of Irrigation Sources as the Sources of P W.D.

5438 Q.—Sri Nallapareddi Sreenivasul Reddi —Will the Minister for Minor Irrigation be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the irrigation sources which are having an ayacut are treated as the sources of Public Works Department in Telangana region, and

(b) whether it is also a fact that in Andhra region the Public Works Department source should have an ayacut of more than 200 acres?

A. —(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

Milk Chilling Centres in Nellore District.

6338 Q.—Sri Pellakuru Ramachandra Reddy.—Will the Minister for Animal Husbandry be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Milk Chilling Centres in Nellore district and their capacity, and

(b) whether these centres are going to be increased?

A.—(a) At present only one Dairy with an installed capacity of 12,500 liters per day is functioning at Nellore.

(b) There is no move to start any more Chilling Centres at present except a Milk Cooling Centre sanctioned under Six Point Formula funds at Kavali.
**LIST OF THE BUS STATIONS PROPOSED TO BE CONSTRUCTED (Vide U.S.Q No 18-5461)**

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12. Kandukur | -do- |
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ANNOUNCEMENT BY HON’BLE THE SPEAKER
Re: EXPUNCTION OF CERTAIN EXPRESSIONS FROM THE OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS

Mr. Speaker—I am to announce to the House under Rule 345 of the Rule of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly that I ordered the expunction of the following undignified expression from the official report of the proceedings of the Assembly and all consequential alterations in such report

On 29th July, 1975, the Hon’ble Member from Yellareddy Constituency (Smt. J Eshwari Bai) speaking on the Supplementary Demands for Grants for further Expenditure in the year 1975-76 moved by the Finance Minister remarked—

“Taking matters relating to Health—
I can say he (the Minister for Health) is one of the useless Ministers”

Hon’ble Member from Amalapuram Constituency (Sri Kudipudi Prabhakara Rao) objected to the use of the expression “useless Minister” as unparliamentary

I then stated that I will examine if that word is unparliamentary or not and if it was unparliamentary I would expunge

Erskine May in his Parliamentary Practice (eighteenth edition) has given (page 434) a list of certain expressions which have caused the Chair to intervene from time to time. It was however, stated that the list was not exhaustive and that much depended on the context in which particular expression was used. That list does not contain the expression “useless Minister.”

During the discussion on the Indian Tariff (Fourth Amendment Bill) in the Parliament of India on 11th December, 1950, Hon’ble Deputy Speaker referred to the following remarks made by a Member against a Minister

“The conclusion is that you are ignorant, that you do not know your job”, and held that it was improper to say in the House that the Minister is useless or that he did not know his job.

Lok Sabha Secretariat published a list of unparliamentary expressions in 1962 and relying on the above direction of the Deputy Speaker, this expression has been included in the list of unparliamentary expressions

Good temper and moderation are characteristics of Parliamentary Language. Parliamentary language is never more desirable than when a member is canvassing the opinion and conduct of his opponent in debate.
Rule 345 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business, in the Andhra pradesh Legislative Assembly lays down that words or words which are defamatory or indecent, or unparliamentary or the undignified could be expunged. On the basis of the Rule, not only unparliamentary but indignified words can also be expunged.

I hold that expression ‘useless’ referred to a Minister or Hon’ble Member is both unparliamentary and undignified and direct that the words be expunged.

I have also to announce the expunction of the following undignified remarks from the official report of the proceedings.

The following expressions made by Smt. J. Eswari Bai, while putting supplementary to question no 347 on 14-3-1975.

The following remarks made by Sri V. Srikrishna while participating in the Debate on Government’s Motion regarding suspension of certain Rules of Procedure on 28-7-1975.

The following remarks made by Sri P. Janardhan Reddy while participating in the discussion on the Resolution seeking Ratification to the Amendment to the Constitution (Fourth Amendment) Bill, 1975 on 9-8-1975.
ANNOUNCEMENT

re: Nomination of Members to the Panel of Chairman

I have to announce to the House that I have nominated the following Members to the Panel of Chairmen:

1. Smt. T S. Ananda Bai
2. Sri Gamago
3. Sri Y. Venkata Rao
4. Sri N Venkataratnam

MATTER UNDER RULE 341

re: Location of Super Thermal Station at Ramagundam.
238 2nd February, 1976. Matter under Rule 341 re: Location of Super Thermal Station at Ramagundam.

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9.30 a.m

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re Location of Super Thermal Station at Ramagundam.

‘Sri Janardhana Reddy — Sir, may I know from the hon Minister whether it is a fact that the Committee appointed for the purpose has recommended specifically Ramagundam and Kothagudem in Andhra Pradesh to locate the super thermal stations for the Southern region? If so, why has the Ministry not taken a decision about the location of a thermal station in the Southern region.

Sri K C Pant,— Well, the Committee recommended Neyveli as well as Ramagundam and the Government had prepared the project report of Neyveli. The second project is also under discussion. On that basis, the project was put to the World Bank. At the same time the State Government of Andhra Pradesh also sent the project for Ramagundam. That also we sent to the World Bank. Both of these are being scrutinised and they have asked for further information they are going to send an appraisal team. It is, I think, arriving today. Discussions are going to be held. It is only after these discussions one can take a final view.”

Sri Janardhan reddy — Is it a fact that the lignite produced in Neyveli cannot be stored and the cost of production of electricity out of it will be costlier than the electricity that is going to be produced out of coal and is it also a fact that Rs 50 crores can be saved if it is going to be located in Ramagundam or Kothagudem in Andhra Pradesh instead of locating it in Neyveli.

Sri K C Pant — I am sure all relevant factors will be taken into consideration while coming to a conclusion. Sisodi, the names are Singrauli in the Northern Region, korbo in the Western Region and Farakka in the Eastern Region. Dhabe May I know whether the hon Minister is considering a proposal from the Maharashtra Government.

Sri K.C. Pant.— As I said just now, these four super thermal stations in four regions are under consideration and have not been finalised so far. So to go ahead with fifth or sixth. I think, would not be very fruitful.”
2nd February, 1976,  
Matter under Rule 341:  
re : Location of Super Thermal Station at Ramagundam.

"Sri G Laksmanan :—Sir, it was announced recently that a super thermal station will be started at Neyveli. My friend from Andhra Pradesh said that it would be costlier and that it would not be profitable. The State Government of Tamil Nadu has already announced that whatever the cost of electricity, the electricity that is produced at Neyveli will be completely purchased by the Government of Tamil Nadu. In view of this — and also in view of the fact that it was announced earlier that a super thermal station will be started at Neyveli— has any decision been taken by the Government to have a super thermal there— of course, in South India ?

Sri K. C Pant :-Sir, as I have already said, this decision can be taken only after the whole matter has been gone into more thoroughly. But I must make one point clear, that these thermal stations are for regions and not for particular States "

It shows, Sir, that no final decision has been taken in respect of southern zone or southern region. Therefore, I feel that there is no cause for alarm at this stage. The Government of Andhra Pradesh is very keen and we have furnished all the necessary data and information. We are impressing upon the Government of India as to how much advantageous it would be if it is located in Andhra Pradesh, particularly at Ramagundam, Sir.

Sri G. Laksmanan :—Sir, the point that I want to bring to your notice is that there is no final decision taken in respect of the southern zone or southern region. Therefore, it is not proper to say that there is no cause for alarm at this stage. The Government of Andhra Pradesh is very keen and we have furnished all the necessary data and information. We are impressing upon the Government of India as to how much advantageous it would be if it is located in Andhra Pradesh, particularly at Ramagundam, Sir.

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A P. Occupants of Homesteads (Conferment of Ownership) Rules, 75

The Chief Minister (Sri J. Vengal Rao) —I beg to lay on the Table a Copy of the Andhra Pradesh Occupants of Homesteads (Conferment of Ownership) Rules, 1975 issued with G O Ms No. 1256 Revenue dated 15th September 1975 and published at pages 1-4 of the Rules Supplement to part II Extraordinary of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated 18th September, 1975, as required under Section 15(3) of the Andhra Pradesh Occupants of Homesteads (Conferment of Ownership) Ordinance, 1975.

Mr. Speaker.—Paper laid

Annual Accounts and Audit Report of the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University for the year 1971-72

The Minister for Agriculture (Sri J. Chokka Rao) —I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the Annual Accounts and Audit Report of the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University for the year 1971-72 as required under sub-section (2) of section 37 of the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University Act, 1963.

Mr Speaker.—Paper laid

Amendment to the Andhra Pradesh Excise (Lease of Right to Sell liquor in retail) Rules, 1969

The Minister for Excise (Sri V. Purushotham Reddy) —I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Excise (Lease of Right to Sell liquor in retail) Rules, 1969 issued in Government memo No. 2235/T1-4-13, Revenue, dated 9-5-75, and published at pages 1-2 of the Rules Supplement to part II, Extraordinary of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette issue No 18, dated 19-5-75, as required under sub-section (4) of the section 72 of the Andhra Pradesh Excise Act, 1968.

Mr Speaker.—Paper laid

Annual Report on the Working and Affairs the Mining Corporation Ltd. for the Year ended 31-3-1975

Sri V. Purushotham Reddy:—I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the Annual Report on the Working and Affairs of the Andhra Pradesh Mining Corporation Limited for the year ended 31-3 1975 in compliance with Section 619A (3) of the Companies Act, 1956.

Mr. Speaker.—Paper laid,
GOVERNMENT BILLS

The Andhra Pradesh (Telangana area) Ijara and Kowli Land Cancellation of Irregular Pattas and Abolition of Concessional Assessment (Amendment) Bill, 1976

The Minister for Revenue (Sri P Narasa Reddy) — I beg to move for leave to introduce the Andhra Pradesh (Telangana Area) Ijara and Kowli Land Cancellation of Irregular Pattas and Abolition of Concessional Assessment (Amendment) Bill, 1976

Mr Speaker — Motion Moved

The question is

"That leave be granted to introduce the Andhra Pradesh (Telangana Area) Ijara and Kowli Land Cancellation of Irregular Pattas and Abolition of Concessional Assessment (Amendment) Bill, 1976"

The Motion was adopted and the Bill was introduced

The Andhra Pradesh Gram Panchayats (Amendment) Bill, 1976—Introduction of

The Minister for Panchayat Raj (Sri L Lakshman Das) — I beg to move for leave to introduce the Andhra Pradesh Gram Panchayats (Amendment) Bill, 1976

Mr Speaker — Motion moved

The question is

"That leave be granted to introduce the Andhra Pradesh Gram Panchayats (Amendment) Bill, 1976."

The motion was adopted and the Bill was introduced.

The Andhra Pradesh Gram Panchayats and Panchayat Samithis and Zilla Parishads (Amendment) Bill, 1976—Introduction of

Sri L Lakshmana Das — I beg to move for leave to introduce the Andhra Pradesh Gram Panchayats and Panchayat Samithis and Zilla Parishads (Amendment) Bill, 1976

Mr Speaker — Motion moved

The question is

"That leave be granted to introduce the Andhra Pradesh Gram Panchayats and Panchayat Samithis and Zilla Parishads (Amendment) Bill, 1976."

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The Motion was adopted and the Bill was introduced

The Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Samithis and Zilla Parishads (Amendment) Bill, 1976—

Sri L. Lakshman Das—I beg to move for leave to introduce the Andhra Pradesh Panchayat, Samithis and Zilla Parishads (Amendment) Bill, 1976.

Mr. Speaker:—Motion moved.

The question is—

“That leave be granted to introduce the Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Samithis and Zilla Parishads (Amendment) Bill 1976.”

The Motion was adopted and the Bill was introduced.

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Chivvada Raghavendra Rao, M.C. M.P., in the House of the Assembly, on the Address presented by the Governor.

Mr. Speaker, Sir,

I wish to move this Motion of thanks on the Address presented to me by Your Excellency, the Governor of this State, on the 2nd February, 1976.

I take this opportunity to express my deep appreciation of the expression of satisfaction and confidence in my leadership by Your Excellency, the Governor of the State, and by the members of the Assembly who have given me the mandate to lead this State.

I believe that the future of our State is dependent on the unity of our people and the co-operation of all sections of society. I am confident that with the support and co-operation of all our people, we can achieve our goals and objectives.

I assure you that I will continue to work for the benefit of all the people of our State and will strive to ensure that the principles enshrined in the Constitution are faithfully implemented.

I thank you, Mr. Speaker, and I move this Motion of thanks on the Address presented by your Excellency, the Governor, on my election as the Chief Minister of this State.

[Speaker's response]

Mr. Speaker, Sir,

I thank the Hon. Member for moving this Motion of thanks and for the excellent speech he has delivered.

I would like to express my gratitude to the people of the State for their support and to the members of the Assembly for their trust in me.

I assure you that I will continue to work for the benefit of all the people of the State and will strive to ensure that the principles enshrined in the Constitution are faithfully implemented.

I thank you, Mr. Speaker, and I welcome this Motion of thanks on the Address presented by your Excellency, the Governor, on my election as the Chief Minister of this State.

[End of speech]
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Motion of thanks on the Address by the Governor.

The Governor (Mr. G. V. R. Rao) paid his compliments to the House and thanked them for the Address. He said that the Address was a fitting tribute to the work of the Government and the people of the State. He also expressed his gratitude to the members of the House for their cooperation.

10.00 a.m.

Mr. N. V. Ramana:—He expressed his appreciation of the Address and said that it was a fitting tribute to the work of the Government and the people of the State. He also expressed his gratitude to the members of the House for their cooperation.

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The popular support to the Government is maximum today.
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Dr. Fathimunnisa Begum (Peddakunapadu) —Speaker Sir, The Governor of Andhra Pradesh, in his Address, has mentioned about the emergency which is prevailing today in our State. Therefore, I have to state that during the Emergency we are experiencing stability, discipline, order and peace at the State level as well as in the public with the able administration, dynamism and political courage of our Chief Minister.

Before going to the 20 Point Formula as it is, I will first mention my thanks for the establishment of Urdu Academy Sir, our Chief Minister has been kind enough to fulfil our longstanding desire of this Urdu Academy. We, the community, as a whole and particularly the muslims of Guntur are very grateful to him. This Urdu Academy has come to us to the Urdu-Speaking and Urdu-studying
students as a life saving measure when Urdu language was deteriorating so badly that the Urdu schools had to be closed in a decade or so. The reasons for this being that Urdu Text-books are not available in the District High Schools starting from 5th class up to 10th class. Moreover, reference books are not available to the teachers. When a teacher has to teach in Urdu in the 9th class or 10th class, he has to study the Telugu Text-book with the help of his colleague and then go on teaching in Urdu so much so, the standard of Urdu has gone so badly that the strength of the students in one particular High School in Guntur has dropped from 500 in 1959 to 50 in 1975-76. Therefore I request the Chief Minister that the grants he has sanctioned to the present Urdu Academy are too meagre—this Rs. 1 lakh for the present year up to March and Rs. 5 lakhs from the next financial year are too meagre an amount. I request him, on behalf of the Urdu Academy to give a free Government building for the Urdu Academy and to help in the following programme:

All the Telugu Text-books have to be translated into Urdu and immediately sent to all the High Schools in the district level before June 1976 so that they can be available for the next year.

Reference books like Journals must be available in all the District Libraries. Apart from this, the Education Minister and the Chief Minister have to take some interest in starting the basic training in Urdu both for higher, Secondary Training Schools and B.Ed. courses.

Coming to another reference made in the Governor's Address about Guntur University, the University Grants Commission have reasonably, recommended to upgrade the Guntur Post-Graduate centre into Nagarjuna University. I am very happy about it. Here I have a suggestion to make to the State Government and that is to introduce a Department of Oriental Languages in Guntur University teaching Arabic, Urdu and Persian as it is in the Sri Venkateswara University at present.

Then Coming to the reference made to the Medical Specialties in the Governor's address, I am very happy to know that they proposed to introduce different specialities in the capital from the Central Government funds of the U.D.A. Here also I have got a remark to make. This coming Institute of superspeciality must include all the specialities and should not be entrusted only with a few super-specialities because they are interdependent. The Cardio Thorasic Surgeon when he has to do modern surgery he cannot do without a modern radiologist and modern pathologist. I request the Health Minister and the Chief Minister to see that this coming University will be a full-fledged University containing all the superspecialities in the pattern of Jeehog.Institute of Bombay or the All India Institute of Medical Sciences.
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Let them not concentrate on a few specialities. The Institute is supposed to cater to the needs of Andhra Pradesh. We know that the people of Andhra Pradesh can afford to undergo modern treatment and they are already going to the neighbouring states for modern surgery and modern treatment. Therefore, this Institute must be Andhra Pradesh Medical Research Institute and also as a Post-Graduate Institute with all the students of Medicine and Surgery. Before doing this we should not forget, for a moment, that we have to develop the Post-Graduate institutions which are present today. Out of the 3 institutions in Andhra Pradesh only Osmania Medical College and the Osmania General Hospital are getting all the super-specialities and the rest of the seven institutions are not getting any speciality for the past few years and much worse is the condition in the rural areas, in the district and taluk levels where there is no provision of either medical or any other facilities.

In the recruitment of Andhra Pradesh Service Commission which is going to take place in near future, I urge upon the Government to give some reservations in public services to Muslim men and women district wise. As the Opposition Leader has already pointed out that the Muslims are educationally backward and at least the Muslims who are occupationally and educationally backward, who are working as scavengers, barbers and dhobis may be given education and employment facilities.

Coming to the S F.D.A Programme in Governor's address, it is mentioned that they have got proposal to maintain this agency. I urge upon the Government to introduce this S F.D.A Agency Programme in the backward taluks of Guntur District, viz., Sathenapalli for improving their agricultural and subsidiary guidance.

The Government intends to accelerate, execute and complete the Major Irrigation and Power Projects. But, the Major Irrigation Project like Nagarjuna Sagar is there where the ryots are not getting water from it. They have been representing the State Government several times. The problem is as follows:

The Nagarjuna Sagar project Unit is not prepared to give water to these villages from Nagarjuna Sagar catchment for Lift Irrigation Schemes, etc. Therefore, during this emergency, under 20 Point Formula, when we are supposed to increase the additional irrigation area in that programme, we have to take many steps in that regard. We have given a list of Lift Irrigation Schemes to the District Collector and asked him to refer the matter to the Irrigation Department. Just at that time, the Irrigation Development Corporation has come to their rescue and prepared to take up the investigation and execution of minor irrigation schemes if N.S.P deletes...
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those areas from the ayacut. P W.D. Irrigation people and the Corporation both are refusing to take up the schemes unless those villages are deleted by N.S.P. So I request the Chief Minister and the Irrigation Minister to take a policy decision that either the N.S.P has to delete those areas from their ayacut or should give permission to take up the Irrigation Schemes in the ayacut areas. Unless a policy decision is taken and suitable instructions are given to the Irrigation Development Corporation, they are not prepared to undertake those schemes. Hence, I request the Chief Minister to give instructions to the Irrigation Development Corporation to take up the Schemes on a priority basis, as and when they are recommended by the Collector.

As a Member of the 20 Point Formula Review Committee, I have got to say that the Socio-Economic Programme of our Prime Minister is being sincerely and effectively implemented at our district level with the co-operation of the officials and public. We meet regularly to take stock of the progress made in various fields of development. Purchase of paddy is going on. We have appointed consumers council recently to see that the essential commodities are distributed properly and we have met some representatives from the ryots. At this juncture, I want to bring to the notice of the Chief Minister that in some taluks like Sattenapalli, due to heavy rain, crops have been damaged. They represented to the Collector to give permission for remission of levy or to levy tax in proportion to their yield and also to postpone reduction of loans at least for one year. For this also, the Chief Minister and the Revenue Minister have to take a sympathetic view and order have to be issued to the District Collector to that effect.

The number of declarations under Land acquisitions in Guntur are 2,365 of which 2,287 have been decided by all the three Tribunals and in which 22,43 acres (Dry) are surplus lands. As regards House site allotments, it is going on speedily. I feel that the Government should have provision of House-site at every district in order to distribute those house-sites to landless poor and weaker sections.

Recently, our Chief Minister has given permission for Fishermen to have site by granting 25% of allocation for Scheduled Castes. I complement the Chief Minister for the gesture.

In regard to rural electrification, three cluster schemes have been taken up and number of villages have already been electrified. Some 3 cluster schemes and Mini-cluster schemes are under operation. There were 108 self employment schemes taken up and 18 Apprenticeship schemes are there which have successfully been operating in Guntur District.

I thank you very much, Sir.
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Mr. Speaker:—The Amendments given by the Members to the Motion of Thanks to the Governor’s address are here and I request the Members to move their Amendments.

Sri V. Srikrishna—Sir, I beg to move:

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Mr. Speaker —Amendments moved.

Sri A Sreeramulu —Sir, I beg to move:

Add the following at the end—

“Regret to note that the address failed to refer to the problem of unemployment which has reached alarming proportions.”

Mr Speaker —Amendment moved.

Sri C V.K.Rao —Sir, I beg to move.

Add the following at the end—

It is regretted that the address did not mention any effective measures to put down anti-social activities like hoarding black money, black marketing, matka cotton market etc. gambling, corruption and other vices in the State.

Add the following at the end—

It is unfortunate that the Governor did not assure the people, protection of civil liberties in the State.

Add the following at the end—

The large scale unemployment of the able-bodied in the State, the grinding poverty of the masses are matters of serious consequence to the happiness of the people of the State which the Governor’s Address glaringly ignored to tackle.

Mr. Speaker —Amendment moved.

Sri A Sreeramulu —Mr. Speaker Sir, at a critical juncture in 10-50 a.m. the political history of this country we are discussing the Governor’s Address to this House. The concept of democracy as we cherished, developed and established survived several stresses and strains over a period of several decades. I am afraid it is getting very violently disturbed. Personal liberty is the very essence of a democratic system and not to think of other civil liberties under that system. A person must be free to move throughout the country. A person must be protected against unwarranted attacks by the executive and today under new dispensation, anybody can be arrested any time and he need not even be told. To-day thousands and thousands of citizens of this country are behind jails, including the Members of Legislature, MPs. They are groaning behind the bars of our jails. In our State two members of this House have been arrested, detained without showing them the grounds on which they have been arrested. Several Members of the other House are also behind the bars. I don’t know
what exactly is the new concept of democracy we have declaring here. Leaving these arrests and detentions, the deliberations of this House where we express the opinions that we have collected from the electors of our Constituencies and our proceedings are subject to the scrutiny of a bureaucrat called the Director of Information. Unless the Director of Information okays nothing is going to appear in the press. I am appealing to you Sir, and also to this House to consider very seriously as to whether this type of democracy and democratic system is going to survive. If it survives what is the end product that it is going to produce. Coming to our own state, no democratic institution is functioning. Panchayat elections have been postponed, co-operative elections have been postponed, municipal elections have been postponed. It means practically there is not going to be any elections at all. If there is no election, the only process is by selection or nomination. If nomination or selection should be the essence of democracy, it is perversion of democracy, it is distortion of democracy. This is almost burying democracy hundred fathoms deep. Let us not think of using the word 'democracy'. Let us use some other word. I don't blame the Chief Minister. This extraordinary power that has been vested in the State Government I must say he has not abused it. When I compare to the way as to how this extraordinary power has been exercised by other Chief Ministers of other States, I would say that this has been abused. I feel it has not been properly used, because the conditions in Andhra are altogether different from the conditions elsewhere. He is simply obeying the directive that is coming from Delhi. I would request him to exercise some discretion. After all you are the Chief Minister of a State and the State has got some autonomy. The mandate that comes from Delhi need not be obeyed. It has to be translated into action depending upon the local circumstances. You are the best judge of the local circumstances. Review all those cases and let not our Legislators and other innocent persons-lecturers and professors-let them not continue behind the bars any longer. This would be my appeal to the Chief Minister, because the conditions in Andhra are quite happy and favourable. There is absolutely no danger, there is no Law and order problem. When such is the comfortable and happy situation that we have in the State, it is unnecessary to continue those gentlemen behind bars. This is my appeal to the Chief Minister. We are told that emergency has become necessary to fight the reactionary forces. Unfortunately, my experience of six months has been that the reactionary forces against whom we wanted to fight in the name of emergency are the biggest beneficiaries of emergency. The Textile Industry has been able to get a subsidy of Rs. 45 crores. Big Industrialists are enjoying at the expense of the Nation. This emergency is intended to control the forces
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of reaction within the country and also outside. What is it that you are able to do? We have announced a scheme called voluntary disclosure scheme. According to a Committee headed by Justice Wanchoo which has been set up by the Government of India in regard to tax structure and tax evasion, has made a categorical recommendation that voluntary disclosures should not be permitted, because, already on previous occasions voluntary disclosure was announced and black money holders have developed a sort of habit and they are quite free. The Government of India would come down and announce another voluntary disclosure scheme. Black money has become a sort of premium being put on dishonesty. That is the reason why the Wanchoo Committee came to the conclusion that further voluntary disclosures should not be allowed, but during emergency another voluntary disclosure was announced and our Union Finance Minister is putting himself on back that Rs 1500 crores has been disclosed. That is a significant percentage. Today I am sure that figure of 15000 crores which was worked out on the basis of 68-69 must have come to 25,000 crores. This would not have been 6% of the undisclosed wealth and undisclosed income of the people of this country. That is a concession that we have given to the reactionary forces, monopolist and big business, industrial tycoons and on the other hand the working people who magnificently responded to the call of the Prime Minister, the people who abstained strikes, people who did not think of demonstrations that working class has been subjected to lot of suffering and hardship. Their wages is cut down and they have been silenced and they have layoffs. Nearly 3 to 4000 people (workers) were laid off and there was also a lock-out. While on the one hand you are demanding sacrifices from the ordinary people of this country, you are extending benefits in the name of emergency to the exploiters, to the anti-social elements, tycoons who have held the Nation at ransom for well over three decades. That is why I say this is not correct. If at all you have to fight these forces of reaction, it is these working-class people who have to be mobilised in to action, if their activities are to be watched and if their opinions were to be shut down, I am sure this will lead to an explosive situation. Even to fight the forces of reaction, unless the people are mobilised nothing is going to happen, otherwise we have to repent very much later on stating that we have committed mistake.

Coming to our State, the Governor’s address has painted a rosy picture. I don’t say that it should not be done, but it is incorrect when one who is not conversant with the affairs of our State comes to the conclusion that milk and honey are flowing through the streets of Andhra Pradesh. Unfortunately the situation is not so. While claiming credit for achievements, at least admit that there are
stupendous problems to be solved. Let there be awareness on the Government that there are stupendous problems which have to be solved. To what extent we have been able to solve them. You also put it in the form of achievement. That would be a proper appraisal, a proper assessment and by simply saying that everything is nice is not going to solve the problem. Let me talk about some 2 or 3 important problems on which our Government is happy, and feeling complacent. For example there is the question of Irrigation. Every time we are told that these Irrigation projects would be completed shortly. Irrigation projects should have been completed much earlier and Government of India has to be blamed, because such big projects cannot be handled by the State Governments. State Governments have been reduced to the position of bigger municipalities. Their resources are limited, their powers are extremely circumscribed. When that is the position, it is too much on the part of any State Government to embark upon gigantic projects like Nagarjunasagar or the Srisailam Projects. Today we are told that very soon these projects are going to be completed. I am requesting the Chief Minister and the Ministry to exercise some pressure to see that these projects will not get further delayed, because there will be escalation of costs. The word 'pressure' is a relative term. Pressure from our side is different from pressure from your side. So far we have invested Rs 330 crores on these major and medium irrigation projects and only 31% of the area sown is under irrigation. A few days ago our Chief Minister said that 'very soon we shall be able to increase this area to 77%'. I think this is an impracticable thing, because you will have to double up. It is not so easy. It is a question of money, but one thing is possible. If our Chief Minister takes up water management instead of trying to complete new reservoirs and adopt better water management techniques it would go a long way in increasing the area of irrigation considerably. At least you can go to 50 to 55%. That is possible and feasible. Mr M S Srivaram recently made a statement that with the 1/3rd of the water that is now being used, it is possible to increase the yield and successfully irrigate our land. So, it is necessary that the Government should devote some attention to water management at the same time trying to complete the projects which are incomplete. We have made fruitless investment.

Coming to power, this again presents a sorry spectacle. Rs 455 crores were spent so far. In our State 16,567 villages are yet to be electrified. The per capita consumption of power in Andhra is 61 K. Watts. As against 115 in Kerala, 121 in Karnataka. We have laid our eggs in too many baskets. We started all the projects at a time and not knowing how and when we shall be able to complete them. We should have taken priorities and started one after the other in stead of keeping our eggs in too many baskets like Lower and Upper
Sileru, Srsailam and so on and so forth. About Super Thermal Station: morning alone a very convincing statement was made by our Power Minister. I am asking as to what happened about Ibrahimpatnam. Our Prime Minister had laid the foundation stone one year ago. We don’t know what has happened. I am only asking the Government to tell us as to what has happened because the Governor’s Address does not contain anything about it. I shall quote a few examples. We cannot solve all problems at a time. It is not possible for anybody, but at least some of the important basic issues concerning the people will have to be solved.

For example, drinking water is not provided in some of the villages. It does not matter if you don’t provide food, cloth and you need not give house-sites and you need not establish socialism, at least water might be provided to the people in the villages. Out of 21,742 villages in our State, 14,086 do not have water, 6,156 Harijanawadas don’t have water. How the Government is not bestowing attention to the important question of providing water to the villages is a matter which I am not able to understand. In the Fifth Five Year Plan, a document, a chapter has been written on Rural Water supply, and suddenly we don’t find the mention in the Governor’s Address as to what the Government propose to do about this important and delicate problem of providing drinking water.

Similarly, we are starting two new Universities. That is very fine. I am not opposed to Universities. I am only saying that primary education is more important than University Education. We start the Universities, we train the graduates postgraduates and ask them to join the army of unemployed persons. The unemployment figures in University to-day is simply staggering. It is 6 1/2 lakhs and the total placements who have been able to provide during last year comes to only 25,000. It means, our capacity to employ persons is limited to 25,000 per annum while we are adding to the army of unemployed persons 6 1/2 lakhs people. They are there on the streets. Let me warn the Government. Unemployed persons provided a sort of fertile ground for fascist tendencies, neo fascist tendencies. It is simply amusing that the Governor’s Address does not take into account this stupendous problem of unemployment. What steps the Government propose to take not only in the interest of the unemployed persons, in the interest of the State, in the interest of the stability, in the interest of the future democracy, in the interest of the future of the Nation. It is an important problem which should not brook any delay.

The Land Reforms Act has been neutralised. I am proposing a subject for discussion as to how and what executive instruction by
the very Land Ceiling Act has been neutralised to a great extent. From 10 lakhs we have come to 4,000 and ultimately there is nothing at all. That is a separate subject and we shall discuss later on. This has been due to bureaucratic procedure that has been prescribed. The declaration form is a cumbersome, highly confusing, and it is impossible for anybody to complete the 200 declarations per month. The procedure should have been simplified. Unfortunately it is in the hands of bureaucrats. They are adopting bureaucratic procedures and that is delaying the sources of verification and ultimately what would be outcome, nobody would say. I will say one word about the implementation Committees at the district level. The Superintendent of the Police is a Member of this Committee. I am really surprised to know as to why a police officer should be associated with the Implementation of the programme. I don't know what exactly are the guidelines given by the Congress party. I have not studied them. But if the Congress Party feels that S.P. should a member of the Implementation Committee, don't know what we are doing. A Committee should consist of persons who are committed to a particular programme. People who have a socialist bent of mind, people who are prepared to pursue a particular programme or policy should be there. The S.P. by his very nature is a policeman. I am sure a police man does not find a place there. About the Committees, I don't think that they are workin effectively, because they are only Advisory Bodies. They should have been Executive bodies, a sort of power must have been vested in the Implementation Committee if at all we are serious about pushing through this particular programme.

About premature retirement, I would say a few words. I have studied the entire set-up in this country. Madhya Pradesh is the first and Andhra Pradesh is the second in regard to the maximum number of employees prematurely retired. In Madhya Pradesh it is 4 1/2 thousand and in Andhra Pradesh it is 63,800. Our state has got credit, stands second as far as premature retirement is concerned. I am not opposing this policy of premature retirement, because we don't want corrupt and inefficient people. The Government is not a charitable institution to go on feeding these people who are useless, at the same time what is the criteria that it is adopted in this matter. My friend Mr. Srikrishna argued that there must be some guidelines. Guidelines have not been given. This extraordinary power of sending out Government servants at the age 50 has been entrusted to small persons at the district level. The Dy. Commissioner of Excise, Guntur had retired several of his subordinates. Later the Government retired this Dy. Commissioner. How could we rely upon the judgement of these persons whose character was not free from doubt, who were themselves under a shadow and who has later prematurely retired by the Government and all the retirements ordered by this man should be reviewed.
otherwise there will be absolutely no rationale Similarly, the Director of Fire Services Mr M E Reddy ordered retirement of many of his subordinates and he was retired by the Government. I was only quoting these examples as to how some of the subordinate officers who are not completely free and whose character is not clear and who are dishonest and such persons are given they power and they compulsorily and prematurely retired the people All these cases will have to be reviewed. Let me tell this to the Chief Minister, because in Punjab the Chief Minister of Punjab has started reviewing these cases Mr Chenna Reddy, Governor of Utter Pradesh when he was fully incharge of that Government had reviewed some cases and reinstated them. I am appealing to the Chief Minister, because he does not know how things have happened In this vast machinery so may people are exercising this power It is not possible for any individual as such to keep a watch I would request him to call for all these cases and personally review them and the employee should be satisfied that a review has been made at the Chief Minister’s level That much of satisfaction has to given, because it has not gone in a proper direction That direction can be given after the review.

In regard to employees D.A a mention has been made, I am very happy that the present ministry is showing some awareness, They are not considering D.A as a matter of charity They are considering it as a matter of their responsibility to provide D.A because there is a misunderstanding in the House that the D.A. is a big gift given to the employees It is only a compensation to enable them to have a real value of the rupee, when the rupee has lost its value, to that extent you will have to provide compensation. I am glad our ministry has shown that awareness that D.A has to be given automatically since the employees cannot be penalised for not fault of there. Our Government stands only second in regard to D.A Kerala is the first State since they have given full amount of D.A and our Government stands second. Even then I congratulate our Chief Minister for showing that awareness, because his handling the problems of the employees is really commendable. I appreciate that particular way. I would suggest one
more I am very sorry to say that the Cabinet is not functioning like a Cabinet. I will only quote few amusing statements of the Ministers. The Education Minister makes an announcement stating that Education to girls up to Intermediate will be made free. It does not find place in the Governor's address. I don't know whether it is a policy of the Government. I cannot say. Similarly, the same Education Minister made an announcement stating that the UGC scales will be given. Later, the Chief Minister gave another clarification. The Municipal Administration said that Octroi will be reintroduced. This Octroi, if you look at the policy of Congress, it was dead against this. That was the promise made earlier. Again, reintroduction of Octroi is very bad. Without a policy decision announcement was made and later it was reversed. The Municipal Administration Minister speaking in a meeting said that plan would be about 300 crores. There are all policy matters. Each Minister cannot go on making a statement just because no other statement appeared in the press and he can go on filling up the columns in the daily newspaper by somehow making a statement. The Chief Minister will have to take all the responsibility for all the misdeeds of his colleagues, the Ministers. The Health Minister made a statement stating that teachers with two months training can be put on this work of doctors. The Cooperation Minister said that a Central depot to cater all the needs of the Super Bazaars would be established. It is no doubt very good, but it is a policy of question. Whether the Government as a whole has taken a particular decision and if such a decision is taken it is a welcome decision. Such matters should not be given in the Press unless there is a policy decision becking such statements. With these few words, I close my speech. I thank you very much for the indulgence you have shown me.
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To the House of the People of the State of Andhra Pradesh:

The Governor, in the Name of the Governor of the State of Andhra Pradesh, presents to the House the Address of Thanks on the Address presented to Her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain by Her Prime Minister, Sir Robert Peel, on 2nd February, 1976.

The Governor expresses his appreciation of the Address and the sentiments expressed therein.

Rajiv Gandhi
Chief Minister

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Seasonal conditions, despite local aberrations, were generally satisfactory and the up-thrust in agricultural production which had started during the previous year was well-maintained.
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Sri C. V. K. Rao—On a point of order, Sir. This House consists of 26 Ministers. There is not a single Cabinet Minister in his seat. Is it not the height of irresponsibility on the part of the Minister. Not a single Cabinet Minister is here when an important Address of the Governor is being discussed here.

Mr. Speaker—This question has been raised very many times and answered. The Minister is here.
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To the Address of the Governor.

Mr. Chairman, Members of the House,

It is with great pleasure that I present the Address of the Governor and extend my sincere thanks to the Governor for his address.

The Governor has expressed his appreciation of the development work carried out by the Government. He has highlighted the importance of education and has urged the Government to continue its efforts in this field.

The Governor has also stressed the need for the Government to work closely with the people in order to achieve the goals set by the Government.

I would like to express my deep appreciation to the Governor for his address and his willingness to work with us to achieve the common goal of developing our region.

Thank you.
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Sri Kudipudi Prabhakara Rao:—The Minister is there

Sri C.V.K. Rao:—He is the State Minister.

Mr Speaker:—Cabinet Ministers are not there That is a statement of fact.
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Sri Kudupudi Prabhakara Rao (Amalapuram):—It is below the dignity and decorum of this House to say that all Legislators are of that type. May be there are one or two but he cannot say like that. It should be expunged from the Proceedings.

Mr Speaker:—The only freedom I have got is before you. Sit here only. If that freedom is curtailed by you I have no freedom.

Mr Speaker:—Don't get so much excited, I am unable to follow you because you are so close to the mike. If you want that I should also follow, don't get excited.

Mr Speaker:—Kindly give enough time to me to express myself.

Mr Speaker:—I will give you only two minutes.

Sri C V K. Rao.—If so how can you follow what I say in such a short time of two minutes. You should be a little liberal—that is all my request. I have already said this is the only place where I have a liberty. If even that liberty goes I am in Jail. I am used to it, of course.
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12 30 p.m. (S) I addressed the House, and then the Order was read from the Governor. The Governor then read the Address from the Governor, and the Address was accepted. Then the motion of thanks was moved by the Speaker. The motion was seconded by the Chief Minister. The motion was discussed, and the House adjourned. The adjournment of the House is at 30 minutes after one. The House will resume at 10 minutes after two. The adjournment of the House is at 30 minutes after one. The House will resume at 10 minutes after two.
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12.40 p.m. Sir, I have the honour to move the thanks of the House to the Government for the Address delivered by His Excellency, the Governor of this State, on the occasion of his visit, and to add my words of appreciation for his valuable advice and guidance in the public deliberations of the House. I am confident that the wisdom and experience which His Excellency has brought to bear upon the deliberations of the House will be a great asset to the people of this State. The address was received with acclamation.

In support of the motion, I would like to say a few words about some of the important issues that were discussed during the deliberations of the House. The Governor's address was a clarion call for the people to work together for the betterment of the State. He stressed the need for unity and harmony among the people of the State, and for the support of the elected representatives in the House to the Governor's vision for the State.

The Governor's address was well received by all sections of the House. The members of the House expressed their appreciation of the Governor's address and the guidance that he provided. The House also expressed its gratitude to the Governor for his valuable advice and guidance.

I would like to conclude by expressing my appreciation for the Governor's address and the guidance that he provided. I am confident that the people of the State will work together for the betterment of the State, and that the wisdom and experience that the Governor has brought to bear upon the deliberations of the House will be a great asset to the people of the State.
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The motion moved that the Address be now printed and read a second time.

The motion was seconded by the Chief Minister and put to the House.

Mr. Speaker: 80 [laughter] The Minister for Finance, Mr. K. C. Reddy, has the honour to move the motion, and Mr. N. R. Rao to second.

Mr. Reddy: [speech]

Mr. Rao: [speech]

The motion was carried.

Mr. Speaker: Themotion was carried by a majority of 80 to 40.

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In the name of the Governor, distinguished guests, 

2. The Governor, in his address, expressed his gratitude for the warm welcome and kind words of the people of this country. He highlighted the progress made in various sectors and thanked the citizens for their support and cooperation. The Governor emphasized the importance of education and stressed the need for continued development in the field of education. He also spoke about the role of the government in providing opportunities for the youth to pursue their dreams. The Governor concluded his speech by expressing his best wishes for the future of the country.
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The motion was adopted by acclamation.

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Mr. Deputy Speaker:— The House now stands adjourned to meet again at 8-30 a.m. to-morrow (3-2-1976)

The House then adjourned to meet again at Half Past Eight again on Tuesday the 3rd February, 1976.