

**Shri Narendra Singh Mahida:** May I know whether the President of Pakistan has reduced the sentence on Col. Bhattacharjee?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** Yes.

**श्री कक्षावाय :** कर्नल भट्टाचार्य को पाकिस्तान में कब पकड़ा गया था और तब से अब तक हमारी सरकार ने उन्हें दूढ़ने में क्या क्या किया है ?

**अध्यक्ष महोदय :** अब तो हम बहुत आगे जा चुके हैं ।

**Shri S. M. Banerjee:** During a speech the hon. Law Minister stated that it will not be long before Col. Bhattacharjee was with us. I want to know what action the Government of India had taken, whether they have taken up his case with the Foreign Minister of Pakistan or whether it is going to be discussed in Calcutta.

**Mr. Speaker:** He has answered that.

**Shri S. M. Banerjee:** My question should be answered.... (Interruptions).

**The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs and Minister of Atomic Energy (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru):** It has been taken up.

**Shri S. M. Banerjee:** My submission is that all these matters are connected with Indo-Pakistan dispute and they are being discussed.

**Mr. Speaker:** So far as this particular meeting is concerned, the answer was given that it is only on specific issues that talks were taking place. What else does he want?

**Shri S. M. Banerjee:** The talks cover all issues. It is not only about the border dispute.

**Mr. Speaker:** The answer has been given that these talks are going on only on specific issues.

**Shri S. M. Banerjee:** Should I take it that it will not be taken up?

**Mr. Speaker:** Not during these discussions.

**Shri Shivaji Rao S. Deshmukh:** Has the Government considered the desirability of taking up this issue to the International Court of Justice?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** The question does not arise at this stage.

#### Training Centres for Emergency Commissioned Officers

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\*234. { **Shri Hem Raj:**  
**Shri E. Madhusudan Rao:**

**Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:**

(a) whether Government propose to open more schools for the training of officers for entry to the emergency commission;

(b) if so, their number and location of each; and

(c) how many such schools have been opened in the previous year and places of their location and the intake of each of them?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Defence (Shri D. R. Chavan):**

(a) to (c). Two Officers' Training Schools, one at Poona and the other at Madras, have already been opened during January 1963. For the present, there is no proposal for opening any more Officers' training schools.

**Shri Hem Raj:** May I know the number of officers who require to be trained for these emergency commissions?

**Shri D. R. Chavan:** Our plan is to turn out about 3500 officers by January 1964.

**Shri Hem Raj:** May I know whether these two schools will be sufficient for that purpose and whether some such school will be opened in areas where training in mountain warfare could be given?

**Shri D. R. Chavan:** I have already stated that there is at present no pro-

posal to open another school in addition to the two schools already established.

**श्री भक्त दर्शन :** श्रीमान्, क्या यह विचार किया जा रहा है कि पूना और मद्रास में जो ये अफसरों के लिए विद्यालय खोले गए हैं, उनमें अधिक छात्रों के रहने की व्यवस्था की जाए ताकि एक साथ ज्यादा अफसरों को ट्रेनिंग दी जा सके ?

**The Minister of Defence (Shri Y. B. Chavan):** I think they can be trained for all the services.

**Mr. Speaker:** He refers to the number.

**Shri Y. B. Chavan:** At the present moment the number is about 450 and in course of time, in about two months, it would be 900.

**Shri Sham Lal Saraf:** What is the duration of this course of training?

**Shri Y. B. Chavan:** 22 weeks.

**Shri Hem Barua:** In view of the fact that one of the reasons of our reverses in NEFA was given out to be the lack of knowledge on the part of our jawans for mountain warfare, may I know if steps are taken to train all our people in mountain warfare?

**Shri Y. B. Chavan:** I can only say that necessary steps are being taken to train our officers and jawans in that particular type of warfare.

**श्री यशपाल सिंह :** क्या यह सही है कि आज हमारे कंडांडेन्स को इस लिये रिजेक्ट किया जाता है कि वे सुन्दर अंग्रेजी नहीं बोल सकते हैं ?

**अध्यक्ष महोदय :** नैकस्ट क्वेश्चन ।

**श्री यशपाल सिंह :** श्रीमान् मेरे सवाल का जवाब नहीं मिला है ।

**अध्यक्ष महोदय :** यह सवाल तो बहुत बार हो चुका है और आप इसको जानते हैं ।

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### Unemployment in Goa

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\*235. { **Shri D. C. Sharma;**  
**Shri Indrajit Gupta;**  
**Shri Bibhuti Mishra:**

Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that unemployment in Goa is assuming alarming proportions;

(b) whether this is due to any specific social and economic factors peculiar to Goa; and

(c) Government's reaction to the problem?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shri Dinesh Singh):** (a) and (b). No Sir. There is, however, a certain degree of unemployment, principally due to the disappearance of various Portuguese institutions. A certain amount of unemployment is also due to the recession in the world ore markets.

(c) The Government have taken steps to provide employment in Government Departments as well as in various development schemes.

**Shri D. C. Sharma:** May I know what are these Portuguese institutions that have disappeared, and what institutions are taking their place, on our part, to fill up the gap?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** Some institutions like the Portuguese Air Transport Service, the Board of External Trade and the Banco Nacional Ultramarino have been wound up. We are extending the facilities of our banks and some people will be employed in these.

**Shri D. C. Sharma:** What steps are being taken to increase the employment potential there in the last few months?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** A lot of people are being employed in the new schools which are being opened and also in the new development projects that are coming up.