

ments of the Philippines, Nicaragua and El Salvador have jointly proposed the inclusion of the item "Question of Tibeth" on the Agenda of the XIXth Session of the U. N. General Assembly.

(b) whether an item shall or shall not be considered by the General Assembly is decided up on the recommendation of the General Committee constituted for the purpose by the General Assembly. The Government of India's attitude to a decision of this item will be decided when the recommendation of the General Committee is considered by the General Assembly. As a general rule, however, the Government of India favour the discussion of items brought up by members before the Assembly.

(c) Broadly speaking, the Government of India's sympathies are with the Tibetan people and the Government of India will support any resolution that calls for restoration of human rights and fundamental freedom to the Tibetan people.

Problem of Indians in Ceylon

*268. { Shri Dharmalingam:
Shri Onkar Lal Berwa:

Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Government have decided to treat the Ceylon Indians problem as a national one;

(b) if so, whether various States in the country have been requested to accommodate the influx of Indians who will be coming from Ceylon due to the recent pact; and

(c) whether the State Governments have agreed to the proposal?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shri Dinesh Singh): (a) to (c). Yes, Sir. The Government of India have decided that the rehabilitation of the persons of Indian origin returning from Ceylon

will be treated as a national problem. The modalities regarding implementation of the Agreement of October, 1964 have not been settled and will be discussed at the ensuing meeting in Ceylon between the officials of the Government of India led by the Commonwealth Secretary and the Ceylonese delegation. The question of consulting the Governments of the various states does not arise at this stage.

सवाई माधोपुर में इश्योर्ड पासलों का लूटा जाना

* 269. { श्री हुकम चन्द कछवाय :
श्री श्रींकार लाल बरवा :
श्री श्रींकार सिंह :

क्या संचार मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि सवाई माधोपुर स्टेशन से नगर तक के रास्ते में 3 नवम्बर, 1964 को कई लाख रुपये के इश्योर्ड पासल डाकुओं ने लूट लिये थे ;

(ख) क्या मामले की जांच कर ली गई है ; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या परिणाम निकले ?

संचार विभाग में उपमंत्री (श्री भगवती) :

(क) जी नहीं। मामला इस प्रकार है कि स्टेट बैंक आफ बीकानेर एण्ड जयपुर की कोटा शाखा के एजेंट ने तारीख 30 अक्टूबर, 1964 को दो बीमा-पासल, जो सौ सौ रुपये के लिए बीमा कराये गए थे लेकिन जिनमें प्रत्येक में पचास-पचास हजार रुपये के करेंसी नोट थे, उक्त बैंक की सवाई माधोपुर शाखा को भेजे थे। कुछ बदमाशों ने, जो कि सवाई माधोपुर आर० एम० एस० और सवाई माधोपुर डाकघर के बीच डाक ले जाने वाले तांगे पर बैठे सफर कर रहे थे, डाक-थैलों को काट कर इन पासलों को उड़ा लिया।

(ख) विभागीय और पुलिस जांच जारी है।

(ग) इस मामले में जिन पांच व्यक्तियों पर शक था उन्हें गिरफ्तार कर लिया गया है और पुलिस ने पूरे एक लाख रुपये की रकम प्राप्त कर ली है।

Demarcation of Berubari

*270. **Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the work relating to demarcation of the Berubari and connected border areas is likely to be delayed; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps proposed to be taken to expedite the same?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shrimati Lakshmi Menon): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Demarcation work had been delayed because of a Civil Revision Case filed in the Calcutta High Court, challenging the decision regarding the division of Berubari Union No. XII.

Embassy Journals

*271. **Dr. Sarojini Mahishi:** Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) in how many countries the Indian Embassies bring out their own Journal in the languages of those countries; and

(b) what other effective means of publicity the Indian Embassies have undertaken for adequate publicity in the countries abroad?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shri Dinesh Singh): (a) Indian Missions located in 39 countries bring out journals in respective local languages.

(b) In addition to (a) above our missions produce and distribute pamphlets on India; show documentaries

and feature films; maintain libraries; supply information sought; organise cultural and social functions; and send out speakers to lecture on India.

Diwakar Committee Report

*272. { **Shri Surendra Pal Singh:**
Shri R. Barua:
Shri Vishram Prasad:
Shri Rameshwar Tanti:
Shri R. S. Pandey:
Shri Prakash Vir Shastri:
Shri Jagdev Singh Siddhanti:
Shri D. D. Mantri:

Will the Minister of Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Diwakar Committee, which was appointed to study the difficulties of the small language newspapers and periodicals in the country has since submitted its report; and

(b) if so, its main recommendations and Government's reaction thereto?

The Minister of Information and Broadcasting (Shrimati Indira Gandhi): (a) No, Sir. The report is awaited.

(b) Does not arise.

पाकिस्तान अधिकृत काश्मीर

*273. { **श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री:**
श्री जगदेव सिंह सिद्धान्ती:
श्री प्र० च० बरुआ:
श्री ज़ेम राज:

क्या वैदेशिक कार्य मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि पाकिस्तान सरकार ने पाकिस्तान अधिकृत काश्मीर की तथा कथित सरकार के झण्डे उतार कर अपने झण्डे लगा दिये हैं तथा वहां पर अपने प्रशासक भी नियुक्त कर दिये हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या सरकार ने पाकिस्तान सरकार तथा संयुक्त राष्ट्र को कोई विरोधपत्र भेजा है; और