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Tuesday, the 29th May, 1962/Jyaistha
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The Lok Sabha met at Eleven of the
Clock.

[MR. SPEAKER in the Chair]

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Phizo in Pakistan

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Shri S. M. Banerjee:
Shri Warior:
Shri Daji:
Shri E. Madhusudan Rao:
Shri P. K. Deo:
Shri Rameshwar Tantia:
Shri P. R. Chakraverti:
Shri A. V. Raghavan:
Shri Pottekkati:
Shri P. C. Borooah:

Will the Prime Minister be pleased
to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Mr.
Phizo, rebel Naga leader, is already
in Pakistan;

(b) whether the attention of Gov-
ernment has been drawn to his state-
ment on the eve of his departure
from London, as reported in the
Hindustan Times dated the 20th
May, 1962; and

(c) if so, what is the reaction of
Government to this incident as also
to Mr. Phizo's statement?

**The Parliamentary Secretary to the
Minister of External Affairs (Shri
S. C. Jamir):** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

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(c) Phizo is making wild and base-
less allegations to gain publicity for
himself and to boost his claim to
leadership which has been repudiated
by an overwhelming majority of the
Nagas. Government are determined
to take all measures necessary to see
that there is no interference from
Phizo or any other anti-social ele-
ments with the peaceful development
of the State of Nagaland.

Shri Hem Barua: May I know
whether the attention of the Gov-
ernment is drawn to the fact that
Shri Phizo has sent a cable just on
the eve of leaving London to the
Chief Executive Officer of Nagaland
which reads as follows:

"My dear friends, it will not
do to let others kill our people;
let us not plan to oppose each
other but to discuss and come to
a mutual understanding. We must
settle our case early."

If so, may I know whether Govern-
ment propose to invite the hostiles
and to allow them to be represented
in the interim Government in Naga-
land?

**The Prime Minister and Minister of
External Affairs and Minister of At-
omic Energy (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru):**
I saw something like that telegram;
not identically the same thing. A re-
port of it came to us. At the pre-
sent moment there is the provisional
Government in Nagaland functioning
and there is no question of inviting
anybody to discuss with them. Soon,
I hope in this session, a formal Bill
for Nagaland will come up to give
them full powers of a State.

Shri Hem Barua: May I know whe-
ther Government are aware of the
rumours that are floating in Naga-

land at present to the effect that a parallel Naga Government is going to be established by Shri Phizo in Pakistan as also the fact that Shri Phizo has launched an appeal to the United Nations? If so, what steps have the Government taken to counteract this propaganda so that it may not step up the dying embers of the rebellion again?

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: I do not know whether any rumours are circulating. But something of that nature reached me from London. I think, a few days back I stated that the Pakistan Government was embarrassed by these rumours and said that they did not intend to give any facility. I feel the more so because President Ayub Khan has stated again that they will not offer any such facility to Shri Phizo.

Shri S. M. Banerjee: May I know whether it is a fact that Shri Phizo, after reaching Karachi, disappeared from Karachi and reappeared in Chittagong and whether he is trying to enter Nagaland and if so what steps are being taken by the Government to check his entry into Nagaland?

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: It should be known to the House that Shri Phizo is an absconder from justice and if by any chance he enters the Indian territory he is likely to be arrested and tried. I can hardly tell the hon. Member what steps we are taking to prevent his entry or to detain him or what we shall try to do. It is not certain—an odd person can enter; cross our vast territory and enter India.

Shri Warrior: Does the Government know the Press report that Shri Phizo is consulting all the rebels who had fled to Pakistan in order to form a sort of a provisional Government there? If so, what is the reaction of the Government?

Mr. Speaker: He is there and if so he may have consultations.

Shri Warrior: I want to know whether the Government of India has got any information from its Embassy.

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: Government of India do not know exactly where Shri Phizo is except that he is in East Pakistan moving about. Whether he is meeting the group of Naga hostiles who went there, I do not know. It is quite possible he might have done so. There are many explanations of why that group went there, some not very creditable to them and some idea of forming a base there but as I said the Pakistan Government has clearly stated that they will not permit them to carry on any rebel activity there.

Shri Daji: As is now known, the Naga hostiles who escaped were actually delegates to a convention and Mr. Phizo has gone to that convention. These are the reports. If it is so, may I know whether the Government of India have protested to the Government of Pakistan for allowing the convention to be held and for Mr. Phizo to enter Pakistan and attend this convention?

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: I am sorry my knowledge does not go thus far: whether he went to attend a convention. I do not know what convention it is, where it is going to be held, who has sponsored it. I know nothing about it.

Shri Tyagi: The Prime Minister was just heard to say that it is the intention of the Government to bring forward a Bill, giving full State powers to Nagaland. I want to know whether the same precedent will be followed in the case of other hill tribes although they have not started any struggle about it.

Mr. Speaker: It is a different question.

Shri Brajeshwar Prasad: Is there any information in the possession of the Government to support the view that the British Government is supporting Mr. Phizo both politically and normally?

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: We have no such information. It must be remembered that Mr. Phizo is now a British citizen; he is not a citizen of India or of any other country. He is a British citizen. That also presumably makes it rather difficult for him to function in any part of India except as British citizen. To our knowledge, no help has been given to him morally, except the fact that he is a British citizen; I do not know. The individuals in England have, I believe, been giving him moral and other support.

Shri P. C. Borooah: May I know whether any arrangement exists between the Governments of Pakistan and India for extradition of criminals? If not, may I know whether the question of coming into some such arrangement with Pakistan is under contemplation of the Government?

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: No, Sir; not at present. In the last Parliament a general Extradition Bill was introduced and was referred to a Joint Committee of the two Houses, and the Joint Committee reported, and the Parliament ceased to be. So, it will have to be introduced afresh in this Parliament.

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*१११६. श्री प्रकाश वीर शास्त्री : क्या भ्रम और रोजगार संबंधी यह बातों की क्या करेंगे कि

(क) क्या हिन्दी टाइपराइटिंग ट्रेनिंग योजना के अन्तर्गत उन्हीं व्यक्तियों को टाइपिस्टों को हिन्दी टाइपिंग सिखाने के लिये जाना संभवित है जहाँ पत्र-व्यवहार आदि का काम हिन्दी में ही होता हो।

(ख) जिन कार्यालयों में सारा पत्र-व्यवहार अंग्रेजी में होता है अथवा जहाँ केवल एक दो कर्मचारी ही हिन्दी टाइपिंग जानते हैं, क्या उन कार्यालयों के अन्य कर्मचारियों को हिन्दी टाइपिंग का प्रशिक्षण दिये जाने पर कोई रोक लगा दी गई है ? और

(ग) यदि उपरोक्त भाग (ख) का उत्तर सकारात्मक है, तो बम्बई गोदा कामगार बोर्ड, केन्द्रीय प्रोविडेंट फण्ड कमिश्नर, नई दिल्ली आदि के कार्यालयों के वर्तमान कर्मचारियों को हिन्दी टाइपराइटिंग की ट्रेनिंग के लिये नहीं भेजे जाने के क्या कारण हैं ?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Labour and Employment and for Planning (Shri C. R. Pattabhi Raman): (a) No.

(b) No.

(c) As these offices are not handling correspondence in Hindi, they did not depute any employee for training in Hindi type-writing. These offices, however, propose to depute their employees for training in future.

श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री : क्या मैं जान सकता हूँ कि जो व्यक्ति हिन्दी टाइपराइटिंग की ट्रेनिंग लेते हैं, क्या उनको ट्रेनिंग को और आगे बढ़ाने के लिये उन्हें ग्राम्याम का मौका दिया जाता है ?

Shri C. R. Pattabhi Raman: There are various departments, wherein there are sections of Hindi typists. There is no question of promotion for them. There is provision and they are being considered as and when they are eligible for appointment.

श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री : क्या मैं जान सकता हूँ कि जिन व्यक्तियों ने अब तक हिन्दी टाइपराइटिंग की ट्रेनिंग ली है, कुन मिला कर उनको संख्या क्या है ?