

की जवाहरलाल नेहरू : पाकिस्तान की तरफ जो कुछ लोग रहते हैं, या हिन्दुस्तान की तरफ राजस्थान में रहते हैं, राजपूत बगैरह, उनमें किसी एक तरफ डकैती की मानोपत्ती नहीं है—यह दोतरफा कोशिश होती है।

Shri Harish Chandra Mathur: Is it not a fact that the Rajasthan Government has been asking for assistance for the last 5 years to enable them to strengthen their border police arrangements and no assistance has so far been given?

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: We get these requests for assistance of various kinds from every State regularly. I cannot precisely say for how long the Rajasthan Government has been doing this. But, I have, no doubt they must have been doing it. To some extent, it has been agreed to and the other matter will be continued to be considered as to what can be done.

Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose

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Shri Ghosal:
Shri T. K. Chaudhuri:
Shri B. Das Gupta:
Shri Thevar:

S.N.Q. No. 25.

Will the Prime Minister be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to reports appearing in newspapers in Calcutta and Assam to the effect that Sri Maw-U alleged to be a lieutenant of Shri Phizo the leader of Naga hostiles, has recently been apprehended by our police at Nam Chhara in Assam and has made a statement to the police that Netaji Bose is still alive and that Netaji Bose and Shri Phizo held high level consultations somewhere on the Indo-Tibetan border; and

(b) whether the report as to Shri Maw-U having made any such statement is correct?

The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru): (a) Some such reports have appeared in newspapers. It is correct

that Maw Angami and another Naga were arrested recently at Silchar in Assam. On interrogation, they stated that they had visited Burma, Chittagong, Dacca, Calcutta and other places. Maw Angami further said that he had been in correspondence with some persons in foreign countries.

(b) We have no report about Maw Angami having made a statement about the existence of Netaji Bose, nor does this occur in some of the reports appearing about him in the papers.

Shri B. Das Gupta: In the papers, e.g. the *Hindustan Standard*, a report appeared which I may just read.....

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: I am aware of that. The whole question is based on that report.

Shri B. Das Gupta: I will just.....

Mr. Speaker: The hon. Members have put this question on the strength of this report and wanted an answer from the Government. The hon. Prime Minister has categorically answered that there is no reference.

Shri Jawaharlal Nehru: I did not say that, Sir. I said that in the fuller reports that we have got of Maw Angami's statement, this does not occur. The *Hindustan Standard*, of course, gives that. I have, therefore, said that some other newspapers which have reported this statement also did not say so. But, it does appear in the *Hindustan Standard*. Their correspondent has said so. The matter ends there. I cannot say anything except that those people who say this suffer under a hallucination.

श्री भक्त वरुन : जब कि नेताजी के सम्बन्ध में गवर्नमेंट ने शाहनवाज बग्गेरी को बिठा कर अन्तिम रूप में यह निर्णय कर दिया कि नेताजी जिवित नहीं हैं, तो फिर इस तरह की अमपूर्ण खबरें क्यों फैलाई जाती हैं और गवर्नमेंट उनका पूरी तरह से निराकरण क्यों नहीं करती है ?

श्री जवाहरलाल नेहरू : गवर्नमेंट जिम्मा नहीं लेती कि सारे हिन्दुस्तान में सब लोग भ्रमलमन्द हैं।