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SHRI NISITH PRAMANIK (COOCHBEHAR): I am thankful to Hon'ble Speaker for providing me the opportunity to submit in the House on one of the important concerns for the people of Coochbehar, that is Jute industry and its production. Basically for the people of Coochbehar their common livelihood is jute fibre production for textile industry and various small scale industries. Climatic conditions favour the production of jute crops in these areas. Low cost investment, availability of labour at low cost make this crop production feasible in the area. But as we are aware, the life of jute farmers has become miserable. If things can be revived positively and keeping in mind about the development of the small farmers then Jute production can flourish in Coochbehar, West bengal.

As per the budget provisions, small textile cluster has been under National Textile Mission, so I would demand and request the Government to open one Jute textile cluster in Coochbehar. Through this, thousands of people will get job.