

(b) The production during the year 1966-67 was Rs. 1.43 crores as against the estimated production of Rs. 1.77 crores. The shortfall in production was mainly due to sit down/tool down strike by the workers for 25 days in the month of January, 1967, and subsequently slowing down the production.

#### Ways and Means Position of Orissa

**3293. Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:**  
**Shri Ramachandra Ulaka:**  
**Shri K. Pradhani:**  
**Shri Heerji Bhai:**

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have given any loan to the Government of Orissa for the improvement of their ways and means position during 1966-67; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**The Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai):** (a) and (b). Ways and means assistance aggregating Rs. 12.70 crores was sanctioned to the Government of Orissa last year. Of this a sum of Rs. 3.15 crores advanced in June, 1966 was recovered during 1966-67 itself. The balance of Rs. 9.55 crores sanctioned on the 31st March, 1967 will be recovered partly this year and partly next year.

**प्रतिरक्षा लेखा महानियंत्रक के कार्यालय में**  
**असैनिक कर्मचारी**

**3294. श्री हुकम चन्द कछवाय :**  
**श्री जगन्नाथ राव जोशी :**  
**श्री राम सिंह अय्यरवाल :**  
**श्री यशवन्त सिंह कुशवाह :**

क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) प्रतिरक्षा लेखा महानियंत्रक के कार्यालय में दक्षिण, पश्चिम, पूर्व तथा मध्य

कमानों के कार्यालयों के कितने असैनिक क्लर्क काम करते हैं;

(ख) दिसम्बर, 1965 से कितने व्यक्ति भर्ती किये गये हैं; और

(ग) उनमें अनुसूचित जातियों तथा अनुसूचित आदिम जातियों के लोगों की संख्या कितनी है ?

**उप-प्रधान मंत्री तथा वित्त मंत्री (श्री मोरारजी देसाई) :** (क) प्रश्न में उल्लिखित कमान कार्यालयों के अतिरिक्त, रक्षा लेखा महानियंत्रक के अधीन अन्य रक्षा-रेखा-नियंत्रक भी हैं जो नौसेना, वायु सेना, कारखाने, पेंशन आदि का काम करते हैं। इन सभी कार्यालयों में काम करने वाले असैनिक क्लर्कों की 1 अप्रैल, 1967 को कुल संख्या 19,161 थी।

(ख) 1,987; तथा

(ग) अनुसूचित जातियां 276  
 अनुसूचित आदिम जातियां 25

#### Import Duty on Tractors

**3295. Shri A. B. Vajpayee:**  
**Shri Bal Raj Madhok:**  
**Shri Shrichand Goel:**  
**Shri Yajna Datt Sharma:**  
**Shri Jagannath Rao Joshi:**  
**Shri R. S. Vidyarthi:**  
**Shri Hardayal Devgun:**

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Chief Minister of Punjab had requested him to exempt tractors from import duty, if these are gifted to their relations by the Punjabis working in foreign countries; and

(b) whether the Punjab Government have also requested the Centre to allow import of such tractors on the State Government level?

**The Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji**

**Desal:** (a) and (b). No such request has been received in this Ministry. It may, however, be mentioned that tractors solely for agricultural purposes are exempt from import duty.

**National Park near Rajghat, New Delhi**

**3296. Shri A. B. Vajpayee:**  
**Shri Bal Raj Madhok:**  
**Shri Srichand Goel:**  
**Shri Yajna Datt Sharma:**  
**Shri Jagannath Rao Joshi:**  
**Shri R. S. Vidyarthi:**  
**Shri Hardayal Devgun:**

Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Supply be pleased to state:

(a) whether a plan costing rupees one crore for the development of a National Park near Rajghat has been drawn up by his Ministry;

(b) if so, the reasons for having such a costly non-plan expenditure when there is a great need for all-round economy; and

(c) whether Government propose to review or to scrap this costly plan?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Works, Housing and Supply (Shri Iqbal Singh):** (a) No.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

**P.R.R.M. Coffee House, New Delhi**

**3297. Shri A. B. Vajpayee:**  
**Shri Bal Raj Madhok:**  
**Shri Srichand Goel:**  
**Shri Yajna Datt Sharma:**  
**Shri Jagannath Rao Joshi:**  
**Shri E. S. Vidyarthi:**  
**Shri Hardayal Devgun:**

Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Supply be pleased to state:

(a) whether coffee workers of P.R.R.M., Connaught Place, New Delhi have represented to Government to expedite the construction of an umbrella type structure for the coffee house;

(b) whether the society has also proposed to share the expenditure; and

(c) if so, the reasons for the delay in the execution of the project?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Works, Housing and Supply (Shri Iqbal Singh):** (a) to (c), Yes. It was earlier decided to construct a temporary structure in Connaught Place and make it available on rent to the Indian Coffee Workers Cooperative Society Ltd. for running the P.R.R.M. Coffee House. The proposal has been dropped because of objections of the New Delhi Municipal Committee to the plan. The Society have been advised to proceed with their plans in consultation with the Municipal Committee.

**Spurious and Fake Contraceptives**

**3298. Shri S. K. Tapuriah:**  
**Shri K. P. Singh Deo:**  
**Shri N. K. Somani:**

Will the Minister of Health and Family Planning be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the large-scale dumping of spurious and fake contraceptives in the country particularly in the Bombay market; and

(b) if so, the action taken by Government in the matter?

**The Minister of Health and Family Planning (Dr. S. Chandrasekhar):** (a) and (b). No. A few cases that are reported are being dealt with according to the provisions of the Drugs Act.

**Cultivation of Frozen Land in Delhi**

**3299. Shri Yashpal Singh:**  
**Shri Ram Gopal Shalwale:**  
**Shri Liladhar Kotaki:**

Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Supply be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Delhi Administration was requested the Central Government to allow the use of frozen lands for cultivation purposes; and