

intruder was shot dead and two were captured. The person who was killed in the ambush was Ali Shah, a notorious saboteur from Pakistan-occupied Kashmir.

#### Export of Salt to Japan

**920. Shri Chintamani Panigrahi:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 27 on the 16th November, 1959 and state:

(a) whether any long term arrangements have been made by now with the Japanese buyer for the export of salt; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**The Deputy Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Satish Chandra):** (a) and (b). The State Trading Corporation has entered into an arrangement with the Japanese buyers for the supply of 4,50,000 tons of Salt for the period ending 31st March, 1961. The buyers desire to watch the progress in the first year before entering into negotiations for a long term agreement.

#### Chilka Land Reclamation Scheme

**921. Shri Chintamani Panigrahi:** Will the Minister of Rehabilitation and Minority Affairs be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 333 on the 11th August, 1959 and state whether the 3,222 acres of land reclaimed near Chilka Lake in Orissa for resettlement of displaced persons have been fully allotted by now?

**The Minister of Rehabilitation and Minority Affairs (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna):** Out of the total reclaimed area of 3,222 acres, the land already allotted measures 2,687 acres. The Orissa Government have prepared a plan for the utilisation of the remaining 535 acres which will be allotted to settlers in the near future.

#### National Economy

**922. Shri P. C. Borooah:** Will the Minister of Planning be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Planning Commission have prepared any annual and perspective plans to maintain balance in the national economy as described in the first chapter of the Second Five Year Plan; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**The Deputy Minister of Planning (Shri S. N. Mishra):** (a) and (b). Annual plans are prepared both for the Central Ministries and the States and form part of the annual budgets of the Central and State Governments. Studies regarding perspective plans are also being undertaken.

#### Export of Tea

**923. Shri P. C. Borooah:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Working Group of the Planning Commission has made certain suggestions to retrieve the lost ground of Indian tea in the world market; and

(b) if so, the broad details thereof?

**The Deputy Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Satish Chandra):** (a) and (b). At the instance of the Planning Commission, a Working Group on Tea has been constituted for fixing production and development targets for tea for the Third Five Year Plan. The working group has also been asked to make an appraisal of the present and future outlook for tea industry in internal and export markets. The working group has not yet concluded its deliberations.

#### Washing Soda

**924. Shri Subbiah Ambalam:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) whether representations from the Madras State Washermen Association have been received for the supply