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होता है यह किन किन स्थानों में तैयार किया जाता है श्रीर जो गोमांस निर्यात होता है क्या उस के लिये कोई ऐसा कायदा बनाया गया है कि समुक प्रकार की गायों का मांस ही तैयार कर के बाहर भेजा जाय ?

श्री सतीश चन्द्र : मैं ने ग्रर्ज किया कि जो जहाज हिन्दुस्तान के बन्दरगाहों में, जैसे कलकता, बम्बई, मद्रास ग्रादि में ग्राते हैं वे ग्रपने खुराक की बहुत सी चीजें लेते हैं ग्रीर उस में मांस भी लेते हैं। मैं ने जो फिगर दिये हैं उन में गोमांस के फिगर भी शामिल हैं या नहीं यह मैं नहीं कह सकता ग्रीर न मैं गोमांस के फिगर दे रहा हूं। यह तो सारे मांस के फिगर हैं, यह तो वह कुल क्वांटिटी है जोकि बन्दरगाहों पर ग्राने वाले जहाजों को दी जाती है।

डा॰ गोविन्द दास : जब सरकार की यह नीति है कि श्रच्छे जानवरों का वध न किया जाय, तो क्या सरकार इस बात के लिये कोई श्रादेश देगी कि कम से कम बाहर जाने वाले मांम में गोमांम शामिल न किया जाय श्रीर गोमांम बाहर न भेजा जाय ?

श्री सतीका चन्द्र : सरकार की यह नीति है ग्रीर राज्य सरकारों भी इस को मानती हैं । इसलिये राज्य सरकारों को देखना चाहिये ग्रीर वे इस बात का ध्यान रखें कि उन के ग्रपने ग्रपने राज्यों में ग्रच्छे जानवरों का वस न किया जाय ।

श्री रघुनाय सिंह : मेरी प्रार्यना है कि इस सवाल को बन्द कर दिया जाय तो अच्छा हो । इस पर इतने सवाल उठाये जा रहे हैं कि यह बड़ा अनप्लेजेंट सा हो गया है ।

Shri M. B. Thakore: In reply to Unstarred Question No. 2464, on the 28th March 1959 the hon. Minister of Agriculture, Shri A. P. Jain gave the names of countries to which beef was exported. If so, may I know the difficulty experienced by the hon. Deputy

Minister for not giving the names to day?

Shri Satish Chandra: From July 1959 or August the export of all meats has been decontrolled, along with 200 other commodities. Previous to that, some statistics were available, which the Minister of Food and Agriculture gave in March 1959. After that it has been decontrolled and we have no separate figures for each type of meat.

Tea Research and Scientific Station, Tocklai

*1618. Shri Aurobindo Ghosal: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Indian Tea Association has asked the Central Government for financial assistance to Tea Research and Scientific Station at Tocklai; and
- (b) if so, whether Government have considered the proposal?

The Deputy Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Satish Chandra): (a) Yes, Sir

(b) The matter is receiving attention.

Shri Aurobindo Ghosal: What is the type or character of the research work that will be carried on here?

Shri Satish Chandra: The hon. Member is aware that the Indian Tea Association is running the Tocklai Experimental Station which is a famous institution in Assam. It is looking after every aspect of tea agronomy. It has got branches for entomology, plant pathology, mycology and plant breeding and so on. Now, because the institution is becoming more and more costly and the Association is spending more than about Rs. 40 lakes per year they want Government assistance to expand it.

Shri N. R. Ghosh: What is the result of the conference of the Indian Tea Association, the Indian Tea

Planters Association and the South Indian Asociation known as UPASI where the Tocklai Research Institute was proposed to be handed over to the Government of India and two branch institutions, one in the Duars and another in Madras, were proposed to be opened? What is the reaction of the Government to that?

Shri Satish Chandra: The matter is under consideration. Only a few days back Prof. M. S. Thacker, Secretary, Ministry of Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs, held a conference at which the representatives of the various tea associations and of the Tea Board were present. They discussed the matter and the present thinking is that a new organisation may be created to take over this Research Station and the one run by UPASI in the South. It may also open one in the Duars. The matter is under consideration. We have not arrived at any final conclusion so far.

Shri R. Narayanasamy: May I know whether the United Planters Association of Southern India, Coonoor, Nilgiris have applied for pecuniary aid for their needs and, if so, what has been the consideration of Government to their request?

Shri Satish Chandra: The UPASI are running a Tea Research Station in the South and the Government grant is already being given to them.

Shri Tridib Kumar Chaudhuri: Where do the Tea Board come into the picture? Because, one of the functions of the Tea Board is to promote research in regard to tea. May I know whether the Tea Board has also considered this whole scheme and what their suggestions in regard to this are?

Shri Satish Chandra: The whole matter is being considered in consultation with the Tea Board. The Tea Board is fully represented in these discussions and several grants are being given from the Tea Board funds for carrying on research in tea Agronomy.

Shri Aurobindo Ghosal: May I know if Government has any intention of setting up any research centre on tea of their own?

Shri Satish Chandra: No; Government is aiding the institutions, and the present thinking is that some separate organisation should be created which should take over these institutions. But the matter has not yet been finalised.

Shri Tangamani: Recently the UPASI has opened a Centre at Valparai. May I know whether the Research Station there and the Branch being opened at Peermade have anything to do with this, and whether there is any co-ordination in this respect so that there is no overlapping between these Centres?

Shri Satish Chandra: The Sub-Stations in the South have been opened as branches of the main Station, to which I have referred just now, to look after the particular problems in the particular areas, for instance biochemistry and soil chemistry. The soil and climatic conditions differ from place to place, and these two sub-Stations have been opened apart from the main one.

Shri Hem Barua: In view of the fact that the Tocklai Experimental Station in Assam is a sort of a miniature university doing a commendable job in the country may I know whether Government have co-operated with it in the matter of research and finance by way of grants so far?

Shri Satish Chandra: The entire question relates to that. We are considering the matter.

Naga Hostiles

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Shri Amjad Ali:
Shri P. C. Borooab:

Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to state:

(a) whether a column of Assam Rifles raided Naga Hostiles' Camp