जना शक्ति वे मोग शकेला रेयन स्लैक में बेंच कर छ: महीने में बसूल करने वाने हैं।

मैं यह जानना चाहता हुं कि को चंद स्रोग हैं, जिन के बारे में हाई कोर्ट में कहा गया कि उन के डाउटफ्क एनटिसिडेंट्स हैं भीर उन की बिजनेस प्रैक्टिस ज खराब हैं, धगर बड़ी-बड़ी कम्पनियां इस तरह से उन के हाथ मे दे दी जायेगी, तो इस देश में क्या रहेगा।

भन्त मे मैं कहना चाहता हं कि वित्त मन्त्री यह बिल्कुल ही रही, थर्ड क्लास विश्रेयक ले कर बाये हैं। ब्रमल मे उन को जो काम करना चाहिए, वह करने की उन में हिम्मत इच्छा ग्रीर दिशा नही है। इस लिए में इस विधेयक का बोर विरोध करता हुं भीर चाहता हुं कि इस में से एक धेला और एक कोडी भी सरकार को नहीं देनी चाहिए ।

15.44 hrs.

ARREST OF MEMBERS

MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER: Before I call the next speaker, I want to make an announcement. This is a little irregular but I do not want information about the arrest of Members of Parliament should be withheld to the House unnecessarily. I have to inform the House that the Speaker has received the following telegram, dated the 12th August, 1974, from the Superintendent of Police, Bhopal: --

"Sarvashri Narendra Singh, Hukam Chand Kachwai, Chowhan, R. V. Bade and Dr Laxminarayan Pandeya, Members, Lok Sabha, arrested at Bhopal on the 12th August, 1974 at 16.30 hours, U/S 188, Indian Penal Code and 32, Police Act, for demonstrating before Madhya Pradesh Vidhan Sabha in contravention of regulatory orders passed by the Superintendent of Police, Bhopal."

FINANCE (NO. 2) BILL, 1974-Contd.

SHRI VASANT SATHE (Akola): Sir. I would like to congratulate the Finance Minister for bringing forward this measure which under the circumstances was the least of the fiscal measures that could be taken. While stating that controlling inflation is today the single-most important task facing the country, while spelling out the measures, he has said, "the measures we have recently adopted are steps in the right direction. Let me be clear, by themselves they cannot stabilise prices". Then he goes on to say that the object of these measures is to contain the budgetary deficit which is threatening to push up. There are various factors spelt out as to why it is necessary to impose these taxaadditional tions to meet penditure-increase in food subsidy, plan expenditure, defence expenditure, etc. Of course, Mr. Limaye cited some valid examples of how black money loot is going on in this country. In fact, he took credit that some of his suggestions were accepted by the Government. I don't grudge him the credit, but he should at least partially to that extent give credit to the Finance Minister for doing so. But unfortunately, with all his good points, ultimately he spoils his whole case by imputing a political motive to the Government

The most important thing to remember is, in his efforts to raise additional resources, the Finance Minister has tried to tax only the luxury sector and not the essential goods sector. My friend would not say that cigarettes are a necessity and so are rubber products like latex

SHRI PILOO MODY: That is a necessity for you.