

[Shri Bhogendra Jha]

July The Deputy-Speaker of the Bihar Assembly organised these murders My valued colleagues have been killed

MR SPEAKER You cannot bring in the Deputy-Speaker or the Speaker off-hand It is for the State Assembly to take note of it

SHRI JYOTIRMOY BOSU Every man in the country is supposed to be equal

MR SPEAKER When you make such allegations, you must give notice.

SHRI SHYAMNANDAN MISHRA (Begusarai) The case is in the court It is *sub judice*

SHRI BHOGENDRAS JHA Will you allow a calling attention on this? Then I will not press it now

MR SPEAKER If it is a *sub-judice* matter, how can I allow it? (Interruptions) If you get excited, it is very difficult then

SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA (Alipore) I would request you to go into the matter in your chamber and satisfy yourself The matter is very urgent

MR SPEAKER It is urgent

SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA You satisfy yourself whether a Calling Attention Notice can be admitted

MR SPEAKER I will satisfy myself first If it is not *sub-judice* I will allow it

SHRI JYOTIRMOY BOSU Sir, I gave a notice that 200 and odd Harijan families of Madhwani village in Jhajhar district of Haryana are living in terror Their lands have been taken away We know what they have done in Monghyr The DSP led a raiding party there which had gone to the extent of raping Harijan women In Madhubans, in Bihar,

the same thing happened. What is happening in our country? The Home Minister is here He should tell us what he is doing to prevent atrocities against Harijans

I also gave a notice about the release of Pakistani prisoners of war Are they going to be kept perpetually at our cost and at the cost of our reputation before the whole world? Let the Government make a statement on it

MR SPEAKER Mr Samar Guha, I have not got any notice from you

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RE HUNGER-STRIKE BY EMPLOYEES OF FOOD CORPORATION OF INDIA

SHRI SAMAR GUHA (Contd.) With your kind permission, on 28th July, under Rule 377 I raised an issue about the hunger-strike of the Food Corporation employees I also raised the matter in the meeting of the Opposition leaders with the Prime Minister After that, the Minister of Agriculture Shri Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed, told me to see him I met him and I gave him a long memorandum and also to the Prime Minister The hon Minister agreed that he would look into the matter personally He also agreed that this week he will meet the representatives of the Food Corporation employees But on the very night a large number of employees had been arrested Every day, the arrests are continuing under the DIR The food situation is very delicate and is very complicated These employees who are prepared to implement the policies of the Prime Minister and of the Government are being victimised The hon Minister agreed that he will meet their representatives These arrests should not continue Something should be done Otherwise, it will precipitate into another crisis

SOME HON MEMBERS rose—

MR SPEAKER I allowed those  
who sent notices. (*Interruptions*).

श्री अटल बिहारी वाजपेयी (ग्वालियर)  
मध्यक्ष महोदय, आप को दाद होया कि जब  
हरिजनो का मामला उठा था तो आपने  
कहा था कि गृह मंत्री महोदय नयान देगे ।  
मैं जानता चाहता हू कि नयान देने के लिये  
उन्हे कितने दिन चाहिये ।

MR SPEAKER. I will look into  
the proceedings

SHRI RANABAHADUR SINGH

RE DROUGHT CONDITIONS IN  
SIDHI (MADHYA PRADESH)

SHRI RANABAHADUR SINGH  
(Sidhi) Mr. Speaker, Sir, last week  
I had raised a matter under rule 377,  
I brought to the notice of the House  
the drought conditions prevailing in  
my constituency We belong to the  
north-eastern portion of Madhya Pra-  
desh Unfortunately the clouds do  
not go by the State boundary There  
have been reports that Madhya Pra-  
desh has been having good rains  
But, unfortunately, the area border-  
ing Mirzapur has not had rains I  
brought this matter to the notice of  
the House last week and I wrote to  
you another letter about three days  
ago. I have requested you to ask the  
Minister of Agriculture to make a  
statement on this. Yesterday too ...

MR. SPEAKER: I will look into  
it.

SHRI RANABAHADUR SINGH I  
have pointed out again that there  
have been no rains There are no  
foodgrains People are out of jobs.  
I would request you, Sir, to prevail  
upon the Minister to make a state-  
ment on this.

RE BOMBINGS IN CAMBODIA

SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA (Ah-  
pore) Several members have  
written to you emphasizing the desi-  
rability of the Government coming  
forward with a statement regarding  
the repeated bombings which are tak-  
ing place in Cambodia on the plea  
that they are accidental bombings  
Thousands of civilians are being mas-  
sacred every day Every day the  
excuse is brought out that it was an  
accidental bombing This way we  
may also be accidentally bombed  
Sir, you will please impress on the  
Government that they should express  
the sentiments of the country by  
making a statement on this question  
(*Interruptions*)

SHRI S M BANERJEE (Kanpur)  
Why should Government not make a  
statement on this? They should  
come out with a statement Sir, are  
you admitting a call-attention on  
this?

MR SPEAKER I cannot say that  
in the House (*Interruptions*) I am  
going to call one of the members to  
decide which call-attention is to be  
taken up because the number goes  
upto 50 I think, after the Session  
we will keep sitting to dispose of  
these things (*Interruptions*)

इतना टाइम तो इधर उधर की बातो मे  
लग गया ।

We have already lost two days We  
are very much behind the schedule  
I request you to properly utilise the  
time that we have saved by not hav-  
ing call-attention today—because of  
the discussion we are having on the  
Report on the accident to Indian  
Airlines' Boeing in the afternoon, I  
did not place any Call-Attention this  
morning—just to dispose of this  
business