12.19 hrs.

RE: CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

Shri H. N. Mukerjee (Calcutta Central): Could I have a moment's indulgence? We had sent a calling attention notice and I am told the Minister is going away today. If the Minister of Rehabilitation goes away, question on a very urgent matter would be kept hanging. Sir, we had tabled a calling attention notice . . .

Mr. Speaker: I will just find out and see if it is of such an urgency that this should be replied . . .

Shri H. N. Mukerjee: If I may say so, the West Bengal Chief Minister has said that . . .

Mr. Speaker: I have seen that and I am assuring him that I will just see if it is such an urgent matter.

Shri H. N. Mukerjee: You can decide that here and now, because today is the last day of this week, and the hon. Minister is going away . .

Mr Speaker: I have already taken note of it. I have got that notice and I have seen it.

Shri H. N. Mukerjee: You please make sure that the hon. Minister will be here to give answer to it today.

12.21 hrs.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

STATEMENT ON FOOD SITUATION

.The Minister of Food and Agriculture (Shri Swaran Singh): I beg to lay on the Table a statement regarding the food situation in the country. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-2422 **/64**].

ANNUAL REPORT OF HINDUSTAN CABLES LIMITED, AND REVIEW BY GOVERNMENT ON WORKING THEREOF

The Minister of International Trade (Shri Manubhai Shah): On behalf of Shri Kanungo, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each of the following papers: -

- (i) Annual Report of the Hindustan Cables Limited, District Burdwan, for the year 1962-63 along with the Audited Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor-General thereon, under subsection (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956.
- (ii) Review by the Government on the working of the above Company.

[Placed in Library, See No. LT-2423/

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S PROTEST NOTE TO THE EMBASSY OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

The Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shrimati Lakshmi Menon): I beg to lay on the Table a copy of Government of India's protest note dated the 26th February, 1964, to the Embassy of the People's Republic of China, New Delhi. [Placed in Library, See No. LT-2424/64].

डा० राम मनोहर लोहिया (फरुखाबाद) : ग्रध्यक्ष महोदय, मैं बोलं ?

ग्रध्यक्ष महोदय: नहीं, मेरा खयाल है इस वक्त नहीं ।

डा० राम मनोहर लोहियाः ग्रध्यक्ष महोदय, मैंने एक नुक्ता उठाया था मंत्री-परिषद् की सामूहिक जिम्मेदारी के बारे में भौर मुझे इत्तिला मिली है कि मैं उसको उठा नहीं सकता। मैं श्राप से श्रर्ज करना चाहता हूं कि यह बड़ा ग्रहम सवाल है ग्रीर इसका नतीजा यह होगा कि गड़ के मामले का एक ग्रापाधी भाग जाएगा ....

**प्रध्यक्ष महोदय: ब**हुत श्र<del>ण्</del>छा जी, मने सून लिया है।