

# LOK SABHA DEBATES

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Monday, March 15, 1982/Phalgunā 24,  
1903 (Saka)

The Lok Sabha met at Eleven of  
the Clock

MR. SPEAKER in the Chair.

## OBITUARY REFERENCE

MR. SPEAKER: Honourable Members, I have to inform the House of the sad demise of one of our former colleagues, Shri Nawal Kishore Sinha, who was a Member of the Fifth Lok Sabha during 1971—77 from Muzaffarpur Constituency of Bihar. Earlier, he had been a Member of Bihar Legislative Assembly from 1952—68. He was a Minister in Bihar Government during 1961—67.

An active social worker, he founded High Schools and Colleges in backward areas and engaged himself in rural welfare, working specially among farmers and artisans and participated in Bhoodan Movement.

He took special interest in promoting cooperative movement.

He was associated with several social and cultural organisations including Bharat Sewak Samaj.

He passed away on 11 March, 1982 at the age of 60 years.

We deeply mourn the loss of this friend and I am sure the House will join me in conveying our condolences to the bereaved family.

The House may stand in silence for a short while to express its sorrow.

(The Members then stood in silence for a short while)

11.05 hrs.

## WELCOME TO YUGOSLAV PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION

MR. SPEAKER: Hon'ble Members—  
At the outset I have to make an announcement.

On my own and on behalf of the Hon'ble Members of the House, I have great pleasure in welcoming His Excellency Mr. Dragoolav Markovic, President of the Federal Assembly of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia and the Hon'ble Members of the Yugoslav Parliamentary Delegation who are on a visit to India as our honoured guests. The other Hon'ble Members of the Delegation are:—

1. Mr. Predrag Gligoric, M. P.
2. Mr. Luka Knezevic, M. P.
3. Mr. Moric Romano, M. P.
4. Mr. Dragutin Sebrek, M. P.

The Delegation arrived here this morning and will be in India for about a week. They are now seated in the Special Box. We wish them a very happy and fruitful stay in our country. Through them we convey our greetings and best wishes to the Federal Assembly, Government and the friendly people of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.