is mentioned here also in the telegram. We have no additional information. If you so like, I can read out its contents.

Mr. Speaker: Yes.

Shri Lai Bahadur Shastri: arrived Tundla 01 with RMS compart-Govment locked from both sides. doctor ernment Railway Police and called for. Compartment opened and two RMS employees-Bhagwan Singh, Mail Guard and Shivsaran Lal, Porter found stabbed and dead. RMS van detached. Case made over to Government Railway Police for investigation. Details of losses not available at present."

Shri Braj Raj Singh: When did it My information is that it happened on the night of 11th March. It is three days and the hon. Minister has not got information. Tundla is only 100 miles from here.

Mr. Speaker: The point is that it should be information from a reliable quarter. The official source says that this was done only at the Tundla Station. Till then it had been locked. It will be a proper thing for inquiry whether the R.M.S. van was locked at the previous station, because at each place the parcels have to be handed over. If that had been locked they would have noticed there. These are all matters which will be certainly gone into. The hon, Minister is not in a position to say anything else. He has read out the official information. All possible steps will be taken because some passengers are affected. Mail sorters and others have to go. There special care will be taken in regard to the investigation and this matter may be communicated to the House as and when further details come. Most effective measures must be taken. With these remarks.....

Shri Braj Raj Singh: It may be held over till the other day.

Mr. Speaker: How long?

the Table Shri Braj Raj Singh: For the 17th.

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Mr. Speaker: No. no. With these remarks that with respect to this matter which occurred recently, the hon. Minister will communicate to the House from time to time such information as may be available.

Shri Raghunath Singh: My Short Notice Question is there. It may be answered after three days.

Mr. Speaker: I shall see. If within three days any more information is available, the hon. Minister will tell us. If not, I will bring it up a week hence. I am not called upon to give my consent. There is no good pursuing this matter or giving consent to the adjournment motion.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE INDIAN RARE EARTHS (PRIVATE) LTD.

The Deputy Minister of External Affairs (Shrimati Lakshmi Menon): Sir, on behalf of the Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs and Finance and also in charge of the Department of Atomic Energy. Shri Jawaharlal Nehru, I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (1) of section 639 of the Companies Act, 1956, a copy of the Annual Report of the Indian Rare Earths (Private) Limited, along with the Audited Accounts for the year 1956-57.

[Placed in Library. See No. Lt-594/

STATEMENTS SHOWING ACTION TAKEN BY GOVERNMENT ON ASSURANCES

The Minister of **Parliamentary** Affairs (Shri Satya Narayan Sinha): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy of each of the following statements showing the action taken by the Government on various assurances, promises and undertakings given by Ministers during the various sessions of Second Lok Sabha shown against each:-

(1) First Statement Fourth Session, 1958