Business of the House

[Dr. P. Subbarayan]

man, Calcutta Port Commissioners, the River Surveyors' Association decided to call off the strike and all the Assistant River Surveyors on strike returned to duty on the morning of the 4th March, 1960. I am glad to say that during the period of the strike shipping movements in and out of the Calcutta port remained unaffected.

12.14 hrs.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

ORDER OF DISCUSSION ON DEMANDS FOR GRANTS IN RESPECT OF THE GENERAL BUDGET.

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs (Shri Satya Narayan Sinha): With your permission, Sir, I should like to announce the order of discussion and voting of Demads for Grants for the various Ministries in respect of the General Budget. Any changes in this schedule necessitated by unforeseen circumstances will be duly intimated to the House. The order is:

Law Education External Affairs Information and Broadcasting Food and Agriculture Transport and Communications Home Affairs Scientific Research and Cultural Affairs Community Development and Cooperation Commerce and Industry Health Steel, Mines and Fuel Defence Labour and Employment Rehabilitation Irrigation and Power

Works, Housing and Supply

Finance.

Appropriation

(Railways) No. 2

Bill., 1960

Mr. Speaker: The other day when we were sitting in the Business Advisory Committee, this list or schedule was prepared, and we allotted time. It came up yesterday also, but we did not allot any time for the Atomic Energy Department and for Law. Two hours were provided provisionally for Atomic Energy and three hours for law. The hon. Minister said that Law might be given five hours and that the Atomic Energy Department might not come up for discussion this year. We wanted to know the reaction of the hon. Prime Minister, whether time was to be allotted for it. The Business Advisory Committee was in favour of not having it and allotting that time for Law.

Shri Satya Narayan Sinha: As desired by you, Sir, I consulted the Prime Minister and he said he was not particular about it, and therefore the two hours allotted for Atomic Energy we have added to Law.

12.16 hrs.

APPROPRIATION (RAILWAYS) NO 2 BILL, 1960

The Minister of Railways (Shri Jagjivan Ram): I beg to move*:

"That the Bill to authorise payment and appropriation of certain further sums from and out of the Consolidated Fund of India for the service of the financial year 1959-60 for the purposes of Railways, be taken into consideration."

Mr. Speaker: The question is:

"That the Bill to authorise payment and appropriation of

^{*}Moved with the recommendation of the President.