

[पंडित ज्वा० प्र० ज्योतिषी]

मैं समझता हूँ कि इस में कोई बुराई की बात नहीं होगी, यह देश के लिए एक मुफीद चीज़ होगी।

इन शब्दों के साथ जो प्रस्ताव मेरे माननीय मित्र श्री दी० च० शर्मा जी ने रखा है, उसका मैं समर्थन करता हूँ।

The Minister of Education (Dr. K. L. Shrimall): Sir, first of all, I should like to thank my hon. friend Shri D. C. Sharma for having brought this resolution before the House. It is a subject of very great importance and has been before the Government for the last three years. The idea was first mooted by the Prime Minister in one of his letters which he wrote to the Chief Ministers. This was written in 1958. He said:

"I have been thinking that it would be very good for our people to have a period of compulsory service for all young men and young women between certain age limits, say 19 to 22. In most countries of the Western world there is conscription for military service. This is not considered to be an infringement of their liberties or freedom. We do not want any such thing for military purposes, but some kind of compulsory period of training and ser-

sive for every person appears to me to be very necessary. That period should be one year and for, say, six months in the year everyone should live in camps under some kind of military discipline. This will give them discipline, physical health and capacity for manual work and to work together for productive schemes. The next six months might well depend on the capacity and training of the individual. Another advantage of this will be to bring together everyone at the same level, whether he is rich or poor, and make him do exactly the same type of work, part of which will be manual."

Now, Sir,...

Mr. Deputy-Speaker: He might continue next time.

18 hrs.

BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

SIXTY-NINTH REPORT

Shri Rane (Buldana): I beg to present the Sixty-ninth Report of the Business Advisory Committee.

18.01 hrs.

The Lok Sabha then adjourned till Eleven of the Clock on Monday, March 19, 1962/Phalguna 28, 1883 (Saka).