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# THE BIHAR LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY DEBATES.

*Tuesday, the 17th February, 1948.*

Proceedings of the Bihar Legislative Assembly assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1935.

The Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber at Patna on Tuesday, the 17th February, 1948, at 11 A. M., the Hon'ble Mr. Vindhyeshwari Prasada Varma in the Chair.

## SHORT NOTICE QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

HOUSE SEARCHES MADE DISTRICTWISE, WEAPONS RECOVERED AND PLOT TO KILL CONGRESS LEADERS UNEARTHED AS A RESULT OF DECLARATION OF RASHTRIYA SWAYAMSEVAK SANGH AS UNLAWFUL IN THE PROVINCE.

**3. Mr. MAHESH PRASHAD SINHA :** Will the Hon'ble the Prime Minister be pleased to state—

(a) the number of arrests and house searches made districtwise in connection with the declaration of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh as unlawful in the Province ;

(b) the nature of weapons recovered as a result of such house searches ;

(c) whether it is a fact that a plot to kill Congress leaders and Ministers has been unearthed in the Province by the C. I. D. Police ;

(d) whether it is a fact that sweets were distributed by several members of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh and the Hindu Sabha in the Province when the news of Mahatma Ji's death was out ;

(e) the number of members of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh and the Hindu Sabha workers who have since resigned ?

**The Hon'ble Dr. SRI KRISHNA SINHA :** (a) The details of arrests are as follows :—

Patna	..	..	..	..	38
Gaya	..	..	..	..	45
Shahabad	..	..	..	..	44
Muzaffarpur	..	..	..	..	32
Saran	..	..	..	..	49
Darbhanga	..	..	..	..	74
Champaran	..	..	..	..	39

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## FINANCIAL BUSINESS

### PRESENTATION OF THE SECOND SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1947-48.

The Hon'ble DR. ANUGRAH NARAYAN SINHA : Sir, under the provisions of Section 81 of the Government of India Act, 1935, I present a Supplementary Statement showing the estimated amount of expenditure which it is anticipated will be incurred during the financial year 1947-48 over and above the provision in the authenticated schedule of authorised expenditure.

## LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS : OFFICIAL BILLS

THE BIHAR HINDU RELIGIOUS TRUSTS BILL, 1948 (BILL No. 6 of 1948)

The Hon'ble DR. SAIYID MAHMUD : Sir, I beg to move for leave to introduce the Bihar Hindu Religious Trusts Bill, 1948.

The Hon'ble the SPEAKER : The question is : That leave to introduce the Bihar.

Hindu Religious Trusts Bill, 1948, be granted.

The motion was adopted.

The Hon'ble DR. SAIYID MAHMUD : Sir, I beg to introduce the Bihar Hindu Religious Trust Bill, 1948.

The Hon'ble SPEAKER : The Bill is introduced.

The Hon'ble DR. SAIYID MAHMUD : Sir, I beg to move

That the Bihar Hindu Religious Trusts Bill, 1948, be referred to a Select Committee.

ضروریات، ایک زمانہ دراز سے اس صوبہ میں بلکہ تمام ملک میں یہ خیال اور خیال ہی نہیں بلکہ لوگوں کو اس بات کا یقین تھا اور ہے کہ جتنے Religions Trust اور اس قسم کے Endowments اس صوبہ میں ہیں، وہ جن لوگوں کے ہاتھوں میں ہیں یا اب تک رہے ہیں، وہ انکا صحیح استعمال نہیں کرتے رہے ہیں اور جو منشاء ان مذہبی Trusts یا Endowments کا تھا اس پر وہ رقم جو انکے ہاتھ میں آتی ہے، صرف نہیں ہوتی ہے اور نہ ہو رہی ہے۔ یہ خیال بہت حد تک