

# THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR

OF

## BIHAR AND ORISSA.

*Thursday, the 7th March 1929.*

The Council met in the Council Chamber at Patna at 11 A.M.  
the Hon'ble the President in the Chair.

### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

#### SUPPLY OF ELECTRICITY TO THE TOWN OF GAYA.

214. Mr. RAJKISHORE LAL NANDKEOLYAR : Will Government be pleased to make a statement respecting the present position of the scheme regarding the supply of electricity to the town of Gaya and whether it will be possible for the people of Gaya to get electric currents in this summer ?

Mr. H. A. GUBBAY : It is reported that provided no hitch occurs a partial supply will be available in July 1929.

Mr. RAJKISHORE LAL NANDKEOLYAR : Will Government be pleased to state whether the machinery has arrived or not ?

Mr. H. A. GUBBAY : The answer is in the negative.

Mr. RAJKISHORE LAL NANDKEOLYAR : By what time they expect the machinery to arrive at Gaya ?

Mr. H. A. GUBBAY : The arrival of the machinery has been delayed owing to an industrial strike in Germany.

[B. Gur Sahay Lal]

**Babu BALDEVA SAHAY :** Was there any re-examination or scrutiny of the auditor's note made in this case by any other officer of Government ?

**Mr. E. C. ANSORGE :** As I have already said, the matter was examined by the Registrar, Co-operative Societies.

**Babu BALDEVA SAHAY :** Did the Registrar find the audit notes correct ?

**Mr. E. C. ANSORGE :** It has already been stated to be incorrect.

**Babu BALDEVA SAHAY :** Is this auditor a kinsman of the auditor who audited the Gaya accounts ? (Laughter).

**Mr. E. C. ANSORGE :** I must ask for notice. (Laughter).

**Babu GIRINDRA MOHAN MISRA :** Do Government propose to advise or direct the Registrar to introduce any rules for the examination of auditors' reports ?

(No answer.)

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**NAMES OF OFFICERS BELONGING TO EACH CLASS OF PUBLIC SERVICE UNDER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT, WHO WERE DISMISSED, DISCHARGED, OR ASKED TO RESIGN FOR ACCEPTING ILLEGAL GRATIFICATIONS.**

**216. Maulavi SAIYID MUBARAK ALI Sahib\* :** Will Government be pleased to state the number of each class of public servants dismissed, discharged or asked to tender resignation for accepting illegal gratifications during the past five years, with the names of these persons and the posts which they held ?

**Mr. H. K. BRISCOE :** The collection of the information would entail a vast amount of work and correspondence which Government are not disposed to undertake unless good reasons of a public nature can be shown.

In any case, on principle, names could not be given.

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\*In the absence of the questioner the answer was given at the request of Rai Brij Raj Krishna.