

RAJYA SABHA

Monday, the 27th February, 1961/the 8th
Phalguna, 1882 (Safca)

The House met at eleven of the •clock,
MR. CHAIRMAN in the Chair.

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

ARREST OF ANGAMI NAGAS

♦172. SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH: "Will the
PRIME MINISTER be pleased "to state:

(a) how many Angami Nagas have been
arrested during the last four Tmonths; and

(b) how many of them are related ■to Mr.
Phizo?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER or EX-
TERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI LAK-BHMI
MENON): (a) Fifty-six.

(b) Two.

SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH: May I 3tnow,
Sir, what their position in the organisation of
Naga hostiles is and ■whether they are staying
in that -area?

SHRIMATI LAKSHMI MENON: Sir, I do
not know what position they liold there,
except that two of them are Phizo's relatives
and six of them have been detained under the
Preventive Detention Act. The other people
will be brought under trial accord ng to our
normal law.

SHRI SATYACHARAN: May I know, Sir,
what charges were framed against those who
had been detained?

SHRIMATI LAKSHMI MENON: Yes, Sir;
the charges were: Waging a campaign of
violence and lawlessness with the object of
establishing a sovereign Naga State,
publicising false allegations to bring into
disrepute the Government and the security
forces, and carrying on mischievous and
dangerous propaganda against innocent
villagers.

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•173. [The questioners (Shri Ram Sahai
and Shri J. H. Joshi) were absent. For
answers, vide cols. 1170—72 infra.]

♦174. [Transjerred to the 1th March,
1961.]

REVIVAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL COM- MISSION FOR SUPERVISION AND CONTROL IN LAOS

TSHRI FARIDUL HAQ | ANSARI:*

•175. I SHRI M. S. GURUPADA
SWAMY: _SHRI MAHESWAR NAIK:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to
state:

(a) whether Government have contacted
the powers concerned for the revival of the
three-member International Commission for
Supervision and Control in Laos; and

(b) if so, how far Government have
succeeded in its efforts?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OP EXTERNAL
AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI LAKSHMI MENON): (a)
The Government of India, as Chairman of the
International Commission for Supervision and
Control in Laos, addressed the Co-Chairmen
of the Geneva Conference on December 14,
1960 inviting their attention to the recent
developments in Laos and suggesting that the
Commission may be reactivated at the earliest
possible opportunity.

(b) The matter is still under negotiation
and it is not possible at this stage to indicate
the outcome of these negotiations.

SHRI FARIDUL HAQ ANSARI: May I
know, Sir, whether the other two members of
this Commission have agreed to revival of the
Com-mission?

±The question was actually asked on the
floor of the • House by Shr: Faridul Haq
Ansari.