

Bio –data
Jagat Narain Lal (1894 – 1966)

Congressman, Freedom fighter, Member of Constituent Assembly and Academician

Born on 21 July 1894 at Akhgaon, Distt Arrah, Bihar; edu., schooling in Gorakhpur, 1910, Graduation, Irwin Christian College, Post-Graduation, Allahabad University, 1918; career, General Secretary, Bihar Provincial Seva Samiti, 1918-26, law practice in Patna High Court in the august company of Ali Iman, Syed Hasan Imam, Sachidanand Sinha, Sir Baidyanath Singh and Dr. Rajendra Prasad; participated in Champaran Satyagraha, imprisoned during the Non-Cooperative Movement, Civil Disobedience Movement, and the Quit India Movement; Assistant Secretary, Provincial Congress Committee, General Secretary and President Patna District Congress Committee, 1921-23, Assistant Secretary, Bihar Pradesh Congress Committee, 1923-27, President, Bihar Provincial Hindu Sabha, 1924-26; General Secretary and President, Bihar Provincial Hindu Sabha, 1925-35, Professor of Economics at Bihar Vidyapith, Editor of *Mahavir*- Journal (till 1928), Parliamentary Secretary, Bihar Government, 1937-39, Minister for Law, Co-operative and Animal Husbandry Department, Bihar, 1959, Member, Constituent Assembly (as a representative from Bihar), Dar Commission, 1948 (a three - member Commission) and Legislative Assembly Danapur Constituency; and the Deputy Speaker (during the Government of Krishna Sinha) of the Bihar State Assembly 1957-59. Died in 1966.

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		<u>Birla</u>		
1	To	Undated	2	Copy Incomplete Hindi
		<u>Nanda, G.L.</u>		
2	To	3 July 1966	2	Copy Typed English
		<u>Rameshwardas</u>		
3	From	9 October 1958	1	Telegram English

II (A) Speeches/Writings/Articles by Him

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1	Notebooks containing auto-biographical notes	1922-65	1203	13 Notebooks Hindi
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3	Extracts from 'The Meditations, Voice of Silence' i.e. in Hazaribagh Central Jail	1932	77	English
4	Notes on books studied in Jail	January 1941	41	English and Sanskrit
5	Notes on Physics and Chemistry	1941	65	English
6	Notes on his daily activities in Hazaribagh Central Prison	1941	189	Hindi
7	Notebook containing accounts and rough notes prepared in Hazaribagh Central Jail	1943	28	English and Hindi
8	Notes on books of Hindi literature, poetry and grammar	1944	20	Hindi

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9	Miscellaneous notes from various books written while in Hazaribagh Jail	Undated	48	English and Hindi
10	Notes written in Hazaribagh Central Jail on various topics like as – Ends and Means; Goals, roads and contemporary starting point, the Planned Society, etc.	Undated	27	English
11	Poems, couplets from 'Pratap' – written while in Hazaribagh Central Prison	Undated	12	Hindi
12	'Vicharkan' and other notes written while in Hazaribagh Central Prison	Undated	48	Hindi
13	Notebook containing 'Facts and Figures' about population written from Hazaribagh Central Prison	Undated	43	English
14	Notebook containing poems, chaupais, etc.	Undated	15	Hindi
15	'Roop-Chintan' and other poems written by Jagat Narain Lal	Undated	24	Hindi
16	Miscellaneous notes and meanings of some Shlokas from <i>Gita</i> , etc.	Undated	39	Hindi
17	Notes on Pakistan - includes some chapters and material collected from various books	Undated	554	Handwritten 14 Notebooks English
18	Extracts from <i>Geeta Rahasya</i>	Undated	33	Hindi

II(B) Diaries

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19	Jail Diary	[1928]	107	Hindi
20	Daily diary	1957	98	Hindi
21	Daily diary	1959-63	58	Hindi
22	Daily diary	1963	67	Hindi
23	Daily diary	1966	61	Hindi
24	Jail Diary	Undated	46	Hindi

III Speeches/Writings/Articles by Others

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1	Jawaharlal Nehru's message to the Mayor of Himeji City, Tokyo	7 October 1957	1	Photocopy English
2	A note on laying the foundation stone of Kobe Shanti Stupa	10 October 1957	1	Photocopy English

IV Printed Material

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1	'Religious Banditry - Missionary Conversion of Aboriginal Hindus'	1953	112	Booklet Published by All India Arya Dharma Seva Sangha English
2	'Report of the Christian Missionary Activities Inquiry Committee, Madhya Pradesh'	1954-55	76	Booklet Published by All India Arya Dharma Seva Sangha English and Hindi
3	'Missionary Conversion Bill to regulate Conversion (Extracts from the Lok Sabha Debates)'	1955	32	Booklet Published by All India Arya Dharma Seva Sangha English and Hindi
4	Report of the Christian Missionary Activities Enquiry Committee, Madhya Pradesh	1956	88	Booklet Published by All India Arya Dharma Seva Sangha Hindi

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5	Samvid Sarkar Mein Bihar Kahan Ja Raha Tha (Bihar under the coalition on government) by Kanaldev Narayan Sinha	1967	26	Booklet Published by Bihar Pradesh Congress Committee Hindi