

M. L. C., Rao Bahadur T. A. Ramalingam Chettiar, M. L. C., Mr. Vellingiri Goundar, M. L. C., Rao Saheb C. S. Ratnasabhpathi Mudaliar, Rao Saheb A. Vittal Das Sait of Tirupur attended on behalf of the ryots. Mr. C. V. Venkataramanyangar spoke at length on the position of the ryot as regards the date of enforcement and urged its permanent change from August 1st to September 15th or at least to September 1st. There was much discussion and the Honourable Minister after taking note of the salient points promised to give the question his careful attention.

## ESTATE NEWS.

*Officers' Club.*—On the 2nd Instant the Officers' Club organised a tea in honour of Mr. P. Susainathan who left to join his appointment as Assistant Entomologist, Agricultural Department, Basrah.

On the 10th Instant there was a gathering at the Club to bid goodbye to Mr. B. Ramiah on his transfer to Guntur as officiating Dy. Director. On the 9th Instant the Agricultural Section was "at Home" to Mr. B. Ramiah.

On the 7th Instant Rev. H. A. Popley gave a very interesting conversation at the club on the "Excellences of Tiru-Kural", the well-known ancient Tamil classic.

*Visitors.* Mr. C. V. Sane, Director of Agriculture, Baroda, visited the Farm, College and the Research Institute.

Mr. Aitchison visited the Estate in connection with the Serum simultaneous inoculation of cattle on the Farm.

The Hon' Rajah Vasudeva Rajah of Kollengode paid a hurried private visit to the College and Farm.

M. Petiot of French Indo China visited the College and Research Institute in connection with an enquiry regarding the cultivation of cotton in South India.

Mr. C. B. Francis, Supt. of Plantations, Messrs Parry & Co. Nellikuppam visited the College and Research Institute and the Chettipalayam Cane Breeding Station.

On the 23rd, at 6-30 p. m. the officers' club was "At Home" to the Hon' the Minister for Development. Messers F. Noyce and R. D. Anstead and C. V. Venkataramanyangar were present. This is the second time a Minister has graced the Club with his presence—the first time being in 1921 when Sir K. V. Reddi visited the College as Minister.