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Chairmanship of the President Cesare MERZAGORA,
then the Vice President Giacinto BOSCO
and the Vice President Stanislao CESCHI

Discussion of the bill: «Estimates of expenditure of the Ministry of Defence for the financial year from July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960» (571) (Approved by the Chamber of Deputies).

PRESIDENT. Next item in agenda is the discussion of the bill: « Estimates of expenditure of the Ministry of Defence for the financial year from July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960», already approved by the Chamber of Deputies.

I declare the general discussion opened.

Senator Zelioli Lanzini is admitted to talk.

ENNIO ZELIOLI LANZINI. Mr President, Mr Minister, fellow Members, the investigations on the tragedy that on June 26 from the sky of Olgiate Olona has impacted with the same crash in the heart of the Italians and of all nations are continuing.

The results will be those that the experts will be able to hardly deduct from the poor remains and from official reports. The dismay remains and moves to commotion in the memory of many brothers and sisters called in the vicissitudes of their pilgrimage by the mysterious plan of God and by the fate, to pay the cruel tribute required by the modern techniques and the progress of civilization.

The **69 victims**, honored by the mercy of the people of Busto Arsizio, on behalf of the Homeland and of all the Countries, are testifying in the sorrowful and glorious book of the Aviation, which is not tamed and rises again in a ideal hug of continents, seas and peoples.
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