- (b) About 1400.
- (c) The question of allowing autorickshaw permits in replacement of cycle-rickshaw licences is under consideration.

SETTING UP OF AN EXAMINATION UNIT UNDER THE AEGIS OF ALL-INDIA COUNCIL FOR SECONDARY EDUCATION

- 103. SHRI MAHESWAR NAIK: Will the Minister of Education and Scientific Research be pleased to state:
- (a) what are the aims and objects and the general features of the Examination Unit which the Government of India propose to set up under the aegis of the All-India Council for Secondary Education;
- (b) how soon the Unit is going to be set up; and
- (c) what is the estimated expenditure to be incurred thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (Dr. K. L. SHRIMALI): (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

## STATEMENT

Broad details of the Schemes for the setting up of an Examination Unit as approved by the All India Council for Secondary Education

- (a) 1. Aims and objects.—The aims and objects of the Unit are—
  - (i) To identify and clarify the purposes and gradually improve the effectiveness of teaching the various school subjects;
  - (ii) To suggest adequate learning experiences for the different purposes; and
  - (iii) To improve evaluation tools.
- 2. General features.—In co-operation with the Extension Services

Centres of teacher's training colleges and State Boards of Education the the Unit will organise officers of workshops and seminars of class room teachers and prepare evaluation materials. These will be tried out appropriate along with in classes methods of teaching which will provide suitable learning experiences. The results will be studied and the tests revised and made available both to schools and Boards of Examination.

- (b) The pilot project of the Unit is expected to start functioning early in 1958.
- (c) The pilot unit will be manned by 5 officers. The full Unit which is expected to be developed next year will have 15 officers and a Deputy Director (Examination).

The expenditure on the salary, T.A., etc., of the officers of the pilot project, and on printing and other miscellaneous items for the current financial year is estimated at Rs. 70,000/-.

The estimated cost of the full unit for the next three years is:

	$\mathbf{R}\mathbf{s}$ .
1958-59	3,40,000
1959-60	4,50,000
19 <b>60</b> -61	5,00, <b>000</b>

TOTAL

13,60,000

## नये सिक्कों का चलन

१०४. श्री नवाब सिंह चोहान : क्या वित्त मत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि अब तक कितनी रक्तम के नये सिक्के चलाये जा चुके हैं ?

†[NEW Coins put into circulation

104. Shri NAWAB SINGH CHAU-HAN: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state the value of new coins which have so far been put into circulation?]

†[ ] English translation.