(b) the number of persons employed in this Organisation?

THE PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU): (a) The figures of actual expenditure are not yet available. The final grant of the Recovery Organisation for the year 1956-57 is Rs. 8,19,900.

(b) The strength of the staff as on September 1, 1957, was as under:—

| Police— Officers— Inspectors, Single Assistar | ub-Ins | specto | rs, | | 3 |
|---|--------|--------|-----|---|-----|
| pectors . Head Constables | | | | | 15 |
| constables | | | | | 90 |
| Clerical staff | | | | | 8 |
| Class IV staff | • | • | | _ | 4 |
| 5 | [otal | | | _ | 120 |
| Other Staff | • | • | | | 3 |
| Social workers | and | clerio | al | | |
| staff . | | | | | 49 |
| Lady Doctors a | nd | Nurs | es | | 5 |
| Camp-in-Charge | s etc. | | | | 10 |
| Class IV staff | • | • | • | | 32 |
| - | Γοτal | | | | 99 |
| GRAND | Γοταί | | | | 219 |
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882. [Postponed to the 11th September 1957.]

EXPENDITURE INCURRED BY THE INDIAN HIGH COMMISSION IN U.K. ON RELIEF AND REPATRIATION OF DESTITUTE INDIANS

883. Shri M. VALIULLA: Will the Prime Minister be pleased to state the expenditure incurred by the Office of the Indian High Commissioner in the United Kingdom on the relief and repatriation of destitute Indians during the years 1955-56 and 1956-57?

THE PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU): The requisite information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House in due course.

INDIANS IN U.S.S.R.

884. Shri M. VALIULLA: Will the Prime Minister be pleased to state the number of Indians in the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics?

THE PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU): According to our information there were 165 Indians in the U.S.S.R. in November, 1956.

Up-to-date figures are being obtained from our Embassy in Moscow and would be laid on the Table of the House on receipt.

Area under Tea and Coffee Cultivation

885. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state the total area brought under tea and coffee cultivation in India at the end of 1955-56 and 1956-57?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI MORARJI R. DESAI): Area under Tea and Coffee cultivation in India at the end of 1955-56 was as follows:—

Tea . 791,202.06 acres (Provisional)

Coffee 254,449.00 acres (Provisional)

Information in respect of the year 1956-57 is not available.

TEXTILE MILLS EQUIPPED WITH AUTO-MATIC LOOMS

- 886. Shri M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:
- (a) how many textile mills in the country have been completely equipped with automatic looms; and
- (b) how the production of cloth and yarn from these mills compares with the production of those mills which have no automatic looms?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI MORARJI R. DESAI): (a) 9 (nine) mills are equipped completely with automatic looms.