displaced persons employed under Hindustan Steel Limited?

The Minister of Steel and Heavy Industries (Shri C. Subramaniam): (a) and (b). Most of the displaced persons who are in the employ of Hindustan Steel Limited have been provided with accommodation in the resettlement colonies set up by the State Governments in the neighbourhood of steel townships. Preference to displaced persons is given in the matter of employment and after their employment, the allotment of company's quarters is governed by the Rules applicable to all Hindustan Steel Limited employees.

Central Secretariat Clerical Service Scheme

2862, **Shri S. M. Banerjee:** Will the Minister of **Home Affairs** be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Lower Division and Upper Division Clerks, separately class-wise, at the time of formation of Central Secretariat Clerical Service Scheme;

(b) their total number as on 1st May 1962; and

(c) how many of Lower Division Clerks have been promoted as Upper Division Clerks and how many of Upper Division Clerks have been promoted as Assistants on the basis of departmental promotion since the formation of Central Secretariat Clerical Service Scheme?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar):

 (a) The number of posts of Upper Di- vision Clerks. 	1500 (approximate)
The number of posts of Lower Division Clerks	6100 (approximate)
(b) The number of posts of Upper Divi- vision Clerks.	2900 (approximate)
The number of posts of Lower Division Clerks	9500 (approximate)

(c) All the vacancies in the Upper Divison grade which became available from time to time have been filled by promotion from the grade of Lower Division Clerk and of the 4390 permanent clerks eligible for promotion on the basis of seniority, 2814 were promoted as Upper Division Clerks. The remaining were holding either higher posts or had been appointed to other ex-cadre posts and were not available for appointment as Upper Division Clerks.

As regards promotions from Upper Division Clerks to the grade of Assistants, the position was explained in the statement laid on the Table of the House on 20th March, 1962, in reply to 'unstarred' Question No. 179 by Shri P. C. Borooah. Since then, orders regarding the promotion of a further batch of 50 permanent Upper Division Clerks as Assistants have also issued.

Central Secretariat Service

2863, Shri S. M. Banerjee: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state the total number of persons recruited for appointment in Grade IV of the Central Secretariat Service (R. & R.) Scheme through the agencies of the Transfer Burcau and the Employment Exchange?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar): The information is not available.

Recruitment of Assistants.

2864. Shri S. M. Banerjee: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of open competitive examinations held by the Union Public Service Commission for the recruitment of Grade IV (Assistants) of the Central Secretariat Service (R&R) Scheme since the enforcement of Central Secretaiat Service (R&R) Scheme;

(b) the number of Assistants recruited in each examination, examination-wise;