

(b) and (c). Authentic information regarding cost of production is not available.

MIGRATION OF DISPLACED PERSONS FROM EAST PAKISTAN

101. Shri G. P. Sinha: Will the Minister of **Rehabilitation** be pleased to state the estimated total number of refugees from East Pakistan who have been rehabilitated in India so far?

The Minister of Rehabilitation (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna): About 36-67 lakh refugees have come from East Pakistan to India of whom approximately 4-82 lakh families comprising 21-50 lakh persons have received rehabilitation benefits.

HEAVY AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY

102. Shri G. P. Sinha: Will the Minister of **Commerce and Industry** be pleased to state the number of units at present engaged in manufacturing heavy agricultural machinery such as tractors, etc.?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry and Iron and Steel (Shri T. T. Krishnamachari): None at present. There are, however, a few firms which are assembling tractors with imported components.

INDIANS IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

103. Chaudhuri Muhammed Shafiq: Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Indians in Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Denmark, Normay and Sweden; and

(b) occupations they follow?

The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru): (a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha in due course.

DISPLACED PERSONS FROM EAST BENGAL

104. Shri S. M. Ghose: Will the Minister of **Rehabilitation** be pleased to state the steps Government have taken or are taking to explore the possibilities of rehabilitating displaced persons from East Bengal in Tripura State?

The Minister of Rehabilitation (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna): Apart from the normal rehabilitation schemes, such as allotment of lands, small urban loans and the setting up of industries and opening of vocational training centres, the Central Tractor Organisation have recently been asked to undertake the survey of land in Raima-Serma Valley in the Tripura State. According to the report of the Central Tractor Organisation there is a likelihood of about 80,000 acres of land being reclaimed. As the area is inaccessible and under dense forests, the reclamation work is likely to take time.

RECOVERY OF ABDUCTED WOMEN

**105. { Shri Krishnacharya Joshi:
Shri D. C. Sharma:**

Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of abducted women recovered during 1955 in India and Pakistan; and

(b) the total number of such women restored to each country during the same period?

The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru): (a) The number of abducted persons recovered during 1955 in India and Pakistan was 1,168 and 315 respectively.

(b) The number of such persons restored to each country during the same period was 600 and 267 respectively.

BORDER INCIDENTS (PUNJAB, KASHMIR AND RAJASTHAN)

106. Sardar Iqbal Singh: Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to refer to