

### Integral Coach Factory, Perambur

91. Shri S. V. Ramaswami: Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) the number of coaches constructed so far in the Integral Coach Factory, Perambur;

(b) whether the production is up to schedule; and

(c) the number of trainees and employees respectively as at present?

The Deputy Minister of Railways (Shri Shah Nawaz Khan): (a) 213 unfurnished shells to end of October, 1957.

(b) The production has exceeded the schedule.

(c) Trainees 766

Employees: 3364.

### Loans to Agriculturists

92. Shri Ajit Singh Sarhadi: Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state the total amount given by the Centre to the Punjab State for advancing loans to

the cultivators during the First Five Year Plan and the Second Plan Period so far?

The Minister of Food and Agriculture (Shri A. P. Jain): Broadly, loans are given to the cultivators under the following schemes:

(i) Sinking of new wells and repairs to old wells.

(ii) Installation of Persian wheels and Rahats.

(iii) Supply of pump sets.

(iv) G.M.F. Tubewells (small).

(v) Land Development Schemes and land reclamation.

(vi) Distribution of fertilizers, manures and improved seeds.

Of the loans given by the Centre, the total amount actually utilized by the State Governments of Punjab and Pepsu in respect of the above schemes during the First Five Year Plan and the amount of loans authorized for payment during the first two years of the Second Plan are given below:

First Five Year Plan:		Rs. in Lakhs	
		Long term loan	Short term loan
Punjab.		169 46	246 34
PEPSU		191 08	16 76
Second Five Year Plan			
1956-1957		1957-1958	
Long term loan	Short term loan	Long term loan	Short term loan
Punjab. 18 28	96 18	*29 88	*105 00
PEPSU. 21 18	13 42		

\*Includes figures for Pepsu.

### Retrenchment of Tungabhadra Project Workers

93. Shri Warior: Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 1037 on the 29th August, 1957 and state:

(a) whether Government had ascertained the reasons for the retrenchment of 24 workers from the irriga-

tion branch of Tungabhadra Project; and

(b) if so, what they are?

The Minister of Irrigation and Power (Shri S. K. Patil): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The retrenchment became necessary as some works had been completed.