ment charges to particular newspapers or periodicals.

Tes Gardens

- 2933. Shri Bhagavati: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:
- (a) whether the Tea Board has been asked to undertake a study of economically weak gardens through a suitable agency, as was announced by Government by accepting certain recommendations of the Plantation Inquiry Commission on the tea industry:
- (b) if so, the number of gardens making request for such study (Statewise);
 - (c) the result of the study:
- (d) whether the Tea Board has undertaken the study of the circumstances in which Indian-owned companies have been wound up from time to time; and
- (e) if so, what is the result of such study (State-wise)?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) None, so far.
- (c) Does not arise.
- (d) and (e). The Tea Board has undertaken but not yet completed its study of cases of Indian owned companies which have been wound up.

Village Housing Projects in Andhra Pradesh

3636. Shri M. V. Krishna Rao: Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Supply be pleased to state the number of the village housing projects allotted to the Andhra Pradesh for 1958-59?

The Deputy Minister of Works, Housing and Supply (Shri Anii K. Chanda): 135 villages (including 45 allotted for the year 1957-58) are proposed to be allocated to Andhra Pradesh for the year 1958-59.

Central Training Institute of Instructors. Kenl

Shri B. C. Samanta: Shri Bhaki Darehan: Shri Subodh Hansda:

Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:

- (a) how far the capacity of the Central Training Institute of Instructors at Koni-Bilaspur has increased up-to-date; and
- (b) whether the increased number of Instructors to be trained for the Second Five Year Plan can be accommodated there?

The Deputy Minister of Labour (Shri Abid Ali): (a) There has been no increase so far.

(b) No. A Second Central Training Institute with a capacity to 144 Instructors has already been opened at Aundh with effect from 1-11-57. It will ultimately be shifted to Bombay when the building is constructed and the capacity raised to 212.

Indian Delegations to U.N. General Assembly

2936, Shri Shree Narayan Das: Will the Prime Minister be pleased to lay a statement on the Table giving a brief resume of the work done and activities of the Indian delegations in the U.N. last General Assembly and various Committees including important resolutions sponsored by such delegations?

The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs (Shri Jawaharlai Nehru): A report is under preparation. It will be laid on the Table of the House as soon as it is ready.

Export of Silk and Rayon Goods

- 2937. Shri Rameshwar Tantia: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:
- (a) which are the main countries from which we are facing competition