(c) The total amount spent by Government for 'A' and 'B' category of officers mentioned above separately?

The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru): (a) and (b). Statistics of Central Government Employees are being collected on the basis of 'basic pay' which excludes dearness pay and allowances. The basic pay ranges adopted and the number of employees in each range as on 30th June, 1959 These figures are are given below. inclusive of employment in Railways. Posts & Telegraphs and Defence (Civilians only) but exclude employees of public undertakings and autonomous corporations:

Basic pay ranges	No. of Employees
Rs. 51 and over but below Rs.	
101	5, <b>34,24</b> I
Rs. 101 and over but below Rs. 201 f	2,54,622
Rs. 201 and over but below Rs. 501	73,178
Rs. 501 and over but below Rs. 1001	10,580
Rs. 1001 and over but below Rs. 2001 .	2,729
Rs. 2001 and over but below Rs.	
3001	379
Rs. 3001 and above	84
TOTAL	8,75,813

(c) Information in regard to the total amount spent by Government (i.e. pay, dearness pay and allowances) is not available. However, the annual expenditure on basic pay in respect of the above staff is estimated as under:---

Estimated Total annual basic pay
Rs.
nousands)
1,17,16,24
1504,49

#### Unemployed in Bihar

1210. Shri S. C. Godsora: Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:

(a) the number of registered unemployed till December, 1959 in the State of Bihar;

(b) the number of unemployed graduates, intermediates and matriculates registered during this year so far;

(c) the figures of registered unemployed given jobs in different firms; and

(d) the facilities available for training in technical and vocational subjects?

The Deputy Minister of Labour (Shri Abid Ali): (a) 84,377 as on 31st December, 1959.

(b): Category	No. regis- tered during Jan-June, 1960
I	2
Graduates .	1,461
Intermediates .	2,205
Matriculates .	12,098
TOTAL	15,764

(c) The number of applicants placed in employment during January-June, 1960, is given below:

Sector			No. placed during JanJune 1960
I			2
Central Government			714
State Government .	•		994
Quasi Government and		local	
bodies	٠	•	2,035
Private sector .	·	•	735
TOTAL .	•		4,478

There are 15 Industrial Instituties with total seating capacity of 3744 plus 300 seats for Educated Unemployed Scheme under D.G.R. & E. Schemes.

# **Exporters** of Tobacco

1211. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have formulated any scheme to help the exporters of tobacco; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

The Deputy Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Satish Chandra):

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The scheme provides for registration of Tobacco exporters by the Tobacco Export Promotion Council, Madras and for allotment of indigenous materials such as Galvanised wire, hoop iron, other hardware materials, Coal for flu-curing and re-drying, and grant of import licences for Garrard wire, Steel hogshead hoops, Pest Control Equipment, Equipment for handling leaf and leaf packages, parts required for replacement or modernisation of re-drving and Cold storage plants etc. There is also a provision for programmed movement by rail of tobacco, meant for export, to the Ports under priority D of the Preferential Traffic Schedule.

# Khadi Hundis

1212. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount of Khadi 'Hundis' sold during 1960 so far; and

(b) the position as compared to the last year?

The Minister of Industry (Shri Manubhai Shah): (a) Khadi Hundis are sold only for six weeks during October and November. As such, no nundi has been sold so far.

(b) According to the reports available so far, Khadi Hundis worth Rs. 42,28,477 were sold during 1959.

### Shops in Azad Market, New Delhi

1213. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Rehabilitation and Minority Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the number of shops constructed in Azad Market, New Delhi;

(b) whether the shops have been provided with electric fittings;

(c) the number of shops lying vacant; and

(d) the reasons for the same?

The Minister of Rehabilitation and Minority Affairs (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna): (a) 475.

(b) Yes.

(c) Nil.

(d) Does not arise.

Stoppage of doles to camp refugees

1214. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Rehabilitation and Minority Affairs be pleased to state the number of cases in which doles have been stopped to the camp refugees of West Bengal in the year 1960?

The Minister of Rehabilitation and Minority Affairs (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna): The information is being collected from the Government of West Bengal and will be placed on the Table of the Sabha in due course.

# Non-Payment of Dues by Displaced Persons

1215. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Rehabilitation and Minority Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons who have been arrested for non-payment of their dues under Section 30(2) of the Displaced Persons (Compensation and Rehabilitation) Act, 1954, during 1960 so far; and