assistance i_S sought from the World Bank; and

(b) the details of the discussion held with World Bank for this purpose and the results thereof?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE AND REVENUE AND BANKING (SHRI H. M. PATEL): (a) and (b). An agricultural development project with an outlay of US \$ 30 million has been negotiated with the World Bank. The principal features of this project are area development by planting new high-yielding varieties of coconut and pepper, rehabilitation of cashew plantations, establishment of seed gardens for coconut, cashew, cocoa and spices, construction of rubber processing factories, agricultural research and a credit programme to cater for the needs of these programmes.

A project proposal for marine fisheries development has also been posed for World Bank assistance. This project comprises of development of harbours, purchase of boats and processing and marketing. A World Bank identification Mission visited Kerala State in October, 1977 for a few days to have preliminary discussion with the State authorities on this project report. Reaction of this Mission is still awaited

.Feeder service for tourism in Ooty

2427. SHRI P. S. RAMALINGAM: Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state that details of feeder services which have been planned for promotion of tourism in Ooty?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION: (SHRI PURU-SHOTTAM KAUSHIK): The proposal for setting up Third Line Operations is under consideration. However, there is no airport at Ooty nor is there any proposal to construct one. Indian Airlines operate regular sche-

duled services to Coimbatore, which is 152 kms. from Ooty.

दीवार घड़ियों श्रौर कलाई की घड़ियों का निर्यात

2428. श्री दया राम शाक्य : क्या वाणिज्य तथा नागरिक पूर्ति और सहकारिता मन्ती यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

- (क) गत तीन वर्षों में कितनी कीमत की दीवार घड़ियां ग्रीर कलाई घड़ियों का निर्यात किया गया ; ग्रीर
- (ख) विदेशों में, देश-वार, घड़ियों की सप्लाई का कयादेश प्राप्त करने वाली सरकारी और गैर-सरकारी फर्मों की राज्यवार संख्या कितनी है ?

वाणिज्य तथा नागरिक पूर्ति स्रौर सहकारिता मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री स्रारिफ बेंग):

- (क) 1974-75 13.43 লাভা হ০ 1975-76 30.41 লাভা হ০ 1976-77 24.69 লাভা হ০
- (ख) निर्यात, मुख्य रूप से सरकारी क्षेत्र के उपक्रम----हिन्दुस्तान मशीन टूल्स तथा कुछ गैर-सरकारी निर्यातकों द्वारा थाईलैंण्ड, कुवैत, टर्की, ईरान, चेकोस्लोवाकिया, ब्रिटेन, स्विटजरलैंग्ड तथा ग्रास्ट्रेलिया ग्रादि से प्राप्त कयादेशों के ग्राधार पर किये गये थे।

Cash assistance, to exporters

2429. SHRI DHARAM VIR VA-SISHT: Will the Minister of COM-MERCE AND CIVIL SUPPLIES AND COOPERATION be pleased to state: