

and betel leaves. Pakistan's exports to India chiefly comprise raw cotton, dry fruits and nuts, pig iron and crude fertilizers.

(c) Some possible commodities which can be exported by India to Pakistan include industrial sewing machines, sewing needles, fire extinguishers, clinical thermometers, taxi metres.

#### **Survey for Ramnagar-Chaukhutia Railway Line**

\*137. SHRI HARISH RAWAT: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided to conduct survey for Ramnagar—Marchula—Bhikiasen—Chaukhutia railway line; and

(b) if so, when the survey is likely to start?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) During 1989-90.

[English]

#### **Foreign Debt**

\*138. SHRI C. JANGA REDDY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the total outstanding foreign debts of India at the end of March of 1986, 1987 and 1988 and on June 30, 1988;

(b) the debt service charges in 1985-86, 1986-87, 1987-88 and up to June 30, 1988;

(c) the total loans received during the above period; and

(d) the value of exports of goods and

invisible earnings in the same period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) The total outstanding foreign debt of India at the end of March 86, March 87 and March 88 is estimated to be Rs. 39701 crores, Rs. 48895 crores and Rs. 54817 crores respectively. Information as at the end of June 1988 is not available as the accounts for the period are not yet finalised.

(b) The total debt service charges i.e. payment of interest, paid during 1985-86, 1986-87 and 1987-88 amounted to Rs. 1620 crores, Rs. 1992 crores and Rs. 2290 crores respectively. Information as at the end of June 1988 is not available as the accounts for that period are not yet finalised.

(c) The total loans received during 1985-86, 1986-87 and 1987-88 amounted to Rs. 2495 crores, Rs. 3176 crores and Rs. 4575 crores respectively. Besides approvals given to raise External Commercial Borrowings during these years amounted to Rs. 1700 crores, Rs. 1396 crores and Rs. 2654 crores respectively. Information upto June 88 is not available as the accounts for that period are not yet finalised.

(d) The value of exports of goods and invisible earnings during 1985-86, 1986-87 and 1987-88 is estimated to be Rs. 19133 crores, Rs. 21415 crores and Rs. 25199 crores respectively.

#### **Issue of New Series of Coins**

\*139. DR. G.S. RAJHANS:  
SHRIMATI MADHUREE  
SINGH:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state: