Questions

REPORT OF PRINTING BUREAU

Question No. 1018-Mr. McCleave:

- 1. Is the Canadian Government Printing Bureau required to table an annual report?
- 2. If so, what was (a) the year under review (b) the date of tabling, of the most recently issued annual report?
- 3. If not, why did the annual report for 1964 of the Department of Defence Production state on Page 11, "The General Manager of the Printing Bureau reports to the Minister of Defence Production and the Bureau issue its own annual report"?
- 4. When may the House expect to receive annual reports for the years since the twelve months last reported?
- 5. Can these reports be printed commercially if the Bureau is experiencing serious delays in production?

Hon. C. M. Drury (Minister of Industry): In so far as the Department of Defence Production is concerned: 1. Section 36 of the Public Printing and Stationery Act, Chapter 226, R.S. 1952, requires that an account be laid before parliament each year by the Department of Public Printing and Stationery.

Order in Council P.C. 1963-1254, dated August 21, 1963 provided for the separation of the publishing and printing sectors of public printing and stationery. Since that time the Queen's Printer has filed an annual report in parliament and, in addition, the Canadian Government Printing Bureau has filed an annual review of its operations.

- 2. (a) The year under review was the calendar year 1966. (b) Tabled on February 16, 1968.
 - 3. See answers to 1 and 2 above.
- 4. The annual report of the Canadian Government Printing Bureau for the calendar year 1967 will be available by April 15, 1968.
 - 5. Yes.

DISTRIBUTION IN ONTARIO OF LEATHER DESK CALENDARS

Question No. 1026-Mrs. Wadds:

For what reasons was the Province of Ontario singled out as the only region to receive, for distribution to industries and businesses in that Province, leather desk calendars supplied by the Department of Manpower and Immigration?

Mr. J. C. Munro (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Manpower and Immigration): Regional directors have the authority to take such action within limited budgets approved for promoting employers' knowledge of the department's services.

4. Maple Leaf Services operate the following facilities: 10 junior clubs (corporals and below); One mobile canteen; Two town clubs; Three Groceterias (patterned after supermarket style found in Canada); One milk delivery service (to married quarter areas); Three family shops (general range of family clothing); One laundromat; One holiday shop (general range of sports equipment, etc.); One gift shop; One dependants' restaurant.

Maple Leaf Services is a corporate body incorporated under part II of the Companies Act and as such is managed in accordance with sound business practices and does not operate at a loss. Funds are generated to the degree required to meet overhead expenses, development and improvement of required services, and to provide funds to assist in the development and provision of recreational facilities in the interests of the well-being of servicemen and their dependants.

SUGAR IMPORTS FROM CUBA

Question No. 984-Mr. Hales:

- 1. Is Canada importing sugar from Cuba and, if so, how much was imported in each of the years 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966 and 1967?
- 2. What percentage is this of our total import of sugar?

Mr. Jean-Charles Cantin (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Trade and Commerce): 1 and 2. Canadian imports of raw sugar from Cuba and the percentage they represent of total Canadian imports of raw sugar for 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966 and January to November 1967 (the latest import statistics available) are as follows:

	% of	
Year	Quantity cwt.	Total Imports of Raw Sugar
1963	1,483,143	9.0
1964	5,600	0.04
1965	1,445,737	7.9
1966	1,441,167	8.5
1967 (JanNov.)	1,541,806	8.5

SLIPWAY RECONSTRUCTION, HIBBS COVE, NFLD.

Question No. 987-Mr. Tucker:

Has the government any plans to reconstruct the slipway at Hibbs Cove, Conception Bay, Newfoundland, this year?

Hon. G. J. McIlraith (Minister of Public Works): Yes.