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The provincial government has advised that work has commenced on all these roads and that the Oiseau lake road has been completed. The agreement requires the province to complete construction of these projects by March 31, 1966, but the planning and scheduling of construction is a provincial responsibility under the agreement.

3. The federal government pays 50 per cent of the costs incurred and submitted by the province as provided by the agreement.

HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS, SYDNEY, N.S.

Question No. 331-Mr. Muir (Cape Breton North and Victoria):

What major harbour improvements are planned for Sydney harbour by the Department of Transport?

Mr. Cantin: None this year.

(Translation):

*HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS, MONTREAL

Question No. 334-Mr. Loiselle:

Will the Montreal harbour board soon submit to the world exhibition corporation various projects for the improvement of the Montreal harbour and if so, will such projects include the building of a marine terminal?

Mr. Cantin: The national harbours board advises that projects for the improvement of Montreal harbour are being carried out continuously. Such projects are, in accordance with normal procedure, submitted to the government for inclusion in the estimates. The provision of improved passenger facilities at Montreal is contemplated.

MARINE TERMINAL, MONTREAL HARBOUR

Question No. 335-Mr. Loiselle:

1. Is the government considering the construction of a marine terminal in Montreal harbour in the near future?

2. Has the city of Montreal been approached recently in this connection?

3. Is the Montreal harbour board in possession of plans and specifications pertaining to the proposed marine terminal?

Mr. Cantin: The national harbours board advises:

1. The provision of improved passenger facilities at Montreal is contemplated.

2. No.

3. Preliminary plans are being developed by the national harbours board's staff at Montreal for evaluation by the N.H.B.

[Mr. Turner.]

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BANK LOANS, COMPTON-FRONTENAC CONSTITUENCY

Question No. 336-Mr. Latulippe:

How many individuals and organizations in the constituency of Compton-Frontenac have obtained loans from the industrial development bank during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1962, and what was (a) the number of loans during the year, (b) the total amount of loans granted during the year (c) the number of borrowers at the end of the year (d) the amount outstanding, or commitments, at the end of the year?

Mr. Benson: The information requested is not available. Classification of loans by provinces appears in the industrial development bank annual report for September 30, 1962, pages 16 and 17.

(Text):

THREATS TO WEST COAST FISHERIES

Question No. 341-Mr. Barnett:

With reference to the statement of the Prime Minister as recorded on page 621 of the House of Commons debates on Tuesday, June 4, 1963, what are the "indications" that Canada's west coast fisheries may soon be threatened?

Mr. Davis: The sentence "There are indications also that Canada's west coast fisheries may soon be threatened" refers to the general great expansion of high seas fishing by many nations of the world, and particularly to activity for some time in the not too distant waters of the Bering sea.

[Later:]

On the orders of the day:

Mr. T. S. Barnett (Comox-Alberni): Mr. Speaker, the other day I asked a question of the Prime Minister requesting him to tell me what the indications were that Canada's west coast fisheries may soon be threatened. The Prime Minister suggested that if I put my question on the order paper he would give me an answer, which I did, and I have received an answer today. Now I would like to ask the Prime Minister if I put a further question on the order paper, will he be willing to explain what he means by "activities for some time in the not too distant waters of the Bering sea"?

Right Hon. L. B. Pearson (Prime Minister): Mr. Speaker, if the hon. gentleman will make his question more specific. I will give a more specific answer.

GLASSCO COMMISSION-METHODS AND PERSONNEL

Question No. 347-Mr. Fisher:

Has the Minister of National Defence received any representations from anyone regarding the methods and personnel used by the Glassco commission in investigating and reporting on the service colleges and, if so, when, from whom, and to what effect?

Mr. Hellyer: No.