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CANADOME PROGRAM

Question No. 1,904—**Mr. MacDonald (Egmont):**

What is being done with the Canadome program during the winter, and are there any plans to make these facilities available for primary and secondary schools during the school year?

Hon. Martin P. O'Connell (Minister of State): The three Canadome displays will be held in storage during the winter months, but material printed for distribution in the Canadomes will continue to be distributed. Plans for the utilization of the Canadomes next year have not yet been finalized.

BANKRUPTCIES

Question No. 1,913—**Mr. Latulippe:**

1. Since January 1, 1969, how many (a) limited (b) incorporated companies declared bankruptcy?

2. What amount did the government lose in taxes from these bankruptcies?

Mr. J. A. Jerome (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): I am informed by the Departments of Consumer and Corporate Affairs and National Revenue, Customs and Excise as follows: 1. From January 1, 1969 to September 30, 1971, 2287 corporate bankruptcies were declared. No distinction is made between limited and incorporated companies in the records of the Bankruptcy Branch. Details of the above are as follows:

Year	Number of Corporate Bankruptcies Filed
1969	741
1970	946
1971 to date	600
Total	2287

2. The Government lost \$190,173.01 in taxes from bankruptcies, broken down as follows: Limited companies, \$116,862.57; incorporated companies, \$73,310.44.

EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

Question No. 1,930—**Mr. Latulippe:**

1. To date, in 1971, how many people did not find jobs after they finished school?

2. How many women work while their husband is (a) unemployed (b) employed?

3. How many people are working after the normal retirement age?

Mr. J. A. Jerome (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): I am informed by Statistics Canada and the Department of Manpower and Immigration as follows: 1. A special survey of the labour force has indicated that among persons aged 14 to 24, full-time students in March 1971 who did not plan to return to school, 67,000 were unemployed in the reference week ended September 18, 1971.

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2. In September 1971 the number of married women who were employed was 1,591,000. There is no information on the employment status of their husbands.

3. In the reference week ended September 18, the number of persons who were over 65 years of age and were employed totalled 187,000.

OFFSHORE OIL EXPLORATION PERMITS

Question No. 1,937—**Mr. Forrestall:**

1. In each of the past five years, how many exploration permits have been issued by the federal authority for oil off Canada's East Coast?

2. What revenues have been collected from such permits for each year?

3. Was this revenue shared with the Atlantic Provinces and (a) if so, under what formula (b) if not, for what reason?

4. What arrangements exist between the federal and provincial authorities for the granting of parallel exploration permits?

Mr. Allen B. Sulatycky (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources):

1.	Year	Number Permits Issued
	1967	361
	1968	748
	1969	949
	1970	396
	1971 to date	399
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2.	Year	Total
	1967	\$ 114,749.89
	1968	418,625.95
	1969	378,300.10
	1970	218,267.75
	1971 to date	136,087.90
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	Total	\$1,266,031.59

3. (a) No. (b) No revenue sharing arrangement has been reached with the provinces as yet.

4. None.

AGRICULTURE—FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE UNDER GRASSLAND INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Question No. 1,963—**Mr. Horner:**

Has the Minister responsible for the Wheat Board received any applications for financial assistance under the re-grassing program announced earlier this year and, if so (a) how many (b) what amount has been paid to date?

Hon. H. A. Olson (Minister of Agriculture): The Grassland Incentive Program is financed and operated in the Department of Agriculture. (a) 18,600 claims have been received. (b) \$8,343,099 has been paid to November 5, 1971.