

Supply

What are those young people doing as recreational leaders? In youth centres, besides being involved in sports, in recreational and cultural activities, in order to prevent delinquency? It is my feeling the Hon. Member for LaSalle would rather send everybody into the army, have everyone work for a dollar while he fills his pockets. That is Tory philosophy.

Mr. Speaker, there are co-operative housing organizations in the constituency of Sainte-Marie, and even in neighbouring constituencies. I heard a Conservative Member brag about the Government's policy in the area of co-operative housing. But why brag about it, if he condemns the people who are involved in that. What a shame!

Again, Mr. Speaker, daycare centres are not important for those Conservative Members. Cuts were made there also. Training for that kind of work is provided in the class-room. Why prevent those boys and girls who are studying in those areas from getting employment to acquire job experience? I appreciate this may be politically less rewarding, but why deprive them?

There are youth centres, humanitarian centres, centres for the aged, the Cancer Institute, the Writers' Union, the labour unions, Mr. Speaker. Labour unions are important in my view. The CNTU, the FTQ. I see I have still one minute to go.

Mr. Speaker, this is important. I appreciate the Hon. Member for Trois-Rivières who says it is too much. I understand he does not want us to tell the truth, because in his constituency he does not tell the truth. I appreciate that, Mr. Speaker. I was in his constituency for a debate, and people booed his secretary because he was not telling the truth.

Mr. Vincent: You are telling lies.

Mr. Malépart: I can understand that the Hon. Member for Trois-Rivières does not want me to tell the truth here in this House. I can understand that! As my colleague for Saint-Léonard—Anjou (Mr. Gagliano) just suggested, I just woke up that flock of sheep, those little snorers.

Mr. Lanthier: Louder! Louder!

Mr. Malépart: To conclude, Mr. Speaker, the only time they wake up is when I refer to their scandals and to their patronage. Are they afraid of being caught? See here! Your turn will come. Just you wait and see, you too will hit the headlines.

Mr. Speaker, in closing, I hope the Minister for Youth (Mrs. Champagne) will find a way to provide the extra moneys needed to respond to the just and fair applications of people in Sainte-Marie.

• (1730)

[English]

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Before we proceed to the period for questions and comments, I wish to advise the House that since the Hon. President of the Privy Council (Mr. Hnatyshyn) has designated this coming Friday as an allotted day, the item

which had been scheduled for Private Members' Business will therefore be dropped to the bottom of the order of precedence.

[Translation]

Questions and comments. The Hon. Member for Champlain (Mr. Champagne).

Mr. Champagne: I think the Hon. Member for Montreal—Sainte-Marie (Mr. Malépart) better not say we don't take care of our constituents. First of all, I may remind the Hon. Member that Challenge 86 is a program for students, but I don't think it is up to the Hon. Member for Montreal—Sainte-Marie or any Member of his party to rise in the House and decide what these young people, those who are going to school and those who want a career, what they should do. I think they would be better off staying home and waiting until our young people have made their own decisions. We don't need the Hon. Member for Montreal—Sainte-Marie, and above all we don't need the Liberals, Mr. Speaker, because when they were in power, there was this little Minister for Youth—people don't even remember his name—and he wasn't able to do a thing for our young people.

And as for the Hon. Member for Montreal—Sainte-Marie complaining that we don't give them enough money, Mr. Speaker, perhaps I should give some figures. In 1984, the previous Government, his own party, allocated \$456,956 to the riding of Montreal—Sainte-Marie, for 231 jobs.

An Hon. Member: How much?

Mr. Champagne: Four hundred and fifty-six thousand dollars for 231 jobs. In 1985, Mr. Speaker, we gave him \$1,098,352 for 631 jobs. Mr. Speaker, the Hon. Member for Montreal—Sainte-Marie is lying when he tells Canadians we are not helping him. He is getting 140.4 per cent more money—

Mr. Deputy Speaker: I would like to ask the Hon. Member for Champlain to withdraw the terms he knows perfectly well are unparliamentary.

Mr. Champagne: Mr. Speaker, first I want to rephrase this. The Hon. Member for Montreal—Sainte-Marie did not tell the truth—

Mr. Berger: On a point of order, Mr. Speaker—

An Hon. Member: Sit down, my friend!

[English]

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Order. Hopefully we can proceed with order. The Hon. Member for Winnipeg North (Mr. Orlikow).

Mr. Orlikow: Mr. Speaker, surely the Member cannot say another word until he withdraws that remark he made, which even he should know is unparliamentary. You ought not to permit him to say anything until he does.