

Questions

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3. Two months after award of contract.

DREDGING TENDERS, MACDONALD'S COVE
N.S.

Question No. 210—**Mr. MacEwan:**

1. What were the names of the tenderers and the amounts of the tenders for dredging at MacDonald's Cove, Pictou County, N.S.?
2. To whom has the contract been awarded?
3. When is the work to be completed?

Hon. Lucien Cardin (Minister of Public Works): 1. F. W. Digdon & Sons Ltd., \$9,371.25; R. A. Douglas, \$12,521.25; R. C. Goodall and A. E. MacMaster, \$13,387.50; Colin R. MacDonald, \$14,017.50; Stanley Rein, \$19,608.75.

2. F. W. Digdon & Sons Ltd.
3. Three months after award of contract.

WINTER HOUSE CONSTRUCTION APPLICATIONS, KAMOURASKA COUNTY, QUE.

Question No. 220—**Mr. Dionne:**

1. How many applications were submitted to the Department of Labour by the citizens of Kamouraska under the incentive program to encourage winter construction of dwellings?
2. How many applications were accepted?
3. What amount was paid out under this program in 1963?

Hon. A. J. MacEachen (Minister of Labour): 1. Ten applications were submitted to the Department of Labour by citizens of the County of Kamouraska under the 1964-65 Winter House Building Incentive Program.

2. Six of these applications were accepted.
3. Under the 1963-64 Winter House Building Incentive Program, the Federal Government paid \$13,831,000 in respect to dwelling units qualifying for the incentive.

INCREASES IN VETERANS PENSIONS

Question No. 221—**Mr. Dionne:**

1. How many of this country's veterans have had their pensions increased during 1964?
2. What was the total amount of this increase?
3. What is, to date, the number of Canada's veterans who have had a reduction in the amount of the increase granted to them in 1964?

Hon. Roger Teillet (Minister of Veterans Affairs): 1. (a) 146,885 veterans had their disability pensions increased under the amendments effective September 1, 1964. (b) 4,332 disability pensioners had their pensionable assessments increased during the period from January 1, 1964 to December 31, 1964.

2. The increase in annual liability for disability pensioners as a result of the increased

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pension rates effective September 1, 1964 was \$13,197,559.

3. 567 disability pensioners had their pensionable assessments decreased during the period from September 1, 1964 to March 31, 1965.

HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS, NEW HAVEN, N.S.

Question No. 236—**Mr. Muir (Cape Breton North and Victoria):**

What are the plans of the government for further harbour improvements at New Haven, Victoria County, Nova Scotia, and how soon will any proposed improvements take place?

Hon. Lucien Cardin (Minister of Public Works): No definite plans—matter under consideration.

GRANTS FOR MENTAL HEALTH RESEARCH PROJECTS

Question No. 249—**Mr. Orlikow:**

1. What psychiatric research projects being conducted by the universities, government and private foundations are being financed by federal health grants for the current year?
2. What is the value of each grant?
3. What is the total value of these grants for mental health research being done in each province?
4. What is the total value of these grants for Canada?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Minister of National Health and Welfare): 1. Under the public health research grant, the Department of National Health and Welfare has allocated funds in 1965-66 toward the conduct of research into the prevention and treatment of mental illness and for the promotion of mental health in Canada at various Canadian universities hospitals and other health agencies.

2. Sixty one research projects are being supported in the present fiscal year. The grants vary from \$1,450 to \$42,150.

3. Newfoundland	—
Prince Edward Island	\$ 6,000
Nova Scotia	17,680
New Brunswick	—
Quebec	181,620
Ontario	173,635
Manitoba	59,765
Saskatchewan	131,337
Alberta	43,525
British Columbia	121,125
Northwest Territories	—
Yukon Territory	—

4. \$734,687.