

Questions

No. 152, \$10,546.35, average \$357.50; Beaver Hills, No. 152, \$30,121.13, average \$327.40; Monet, No. 257, No. 2, \$13,850.75, average \$364.49.

3. No.

4. Answered by No. 3.

SASKATCHEWAN WATER CONSERVATION PROJECTS

Mr. PERLEY:

1. How many dugouts were contracted for and completed in each constituency in the province of Saskatchewan during the year 1941, and what was the average cost of same?

2. How many water projects, other than small dams, were undertaken and completed during the year 1941 in the province of Saskatchewan?

3. What water conservation projects are contemplated in the province of Saskatchewan during the year 1942, other than small dams?

Mr. GARDINER:

1.	Constituency	Number	Average Cost
	Assiniboia	77	\$103 80
	Weyburn	158	
	Wood Mountain	25	
	Maple Creek	19	
	Qu'Appelle	188	
	Moose Jaw	112	
	Swift Current	91	
	Melville	449	
	Lake Centre	127	
	Rosetown-Biggar	50	
	Kindersley	55	
	Yorkton	237	
	McKenzie	335	
	Rosthern	69	
	The Battlefords	67	
	North Battleford	45	
	Prince Albert	2	
	Humboldt	69	

2. Eight.

3. Six:

1. Completion of Duncairn dam and reservoir.

2. Completion of Highfield dam and reservoir.

3. Completion of drainage canal from Rush lake to Reed lake.

4. Completion of Echo lake dam.

5. Completion of Last Mountain lake creek dredging.

6. Completion of Cypress lake inlet and outlet canal improvements.

NOVA SCOTIA DAIRY PRODUCTS

Mr. PURDY:

Have arrangements as yet been made adjusting the inequalities in the prices authorized for fluid milk and other dairy products in Nova Scotia?

[Mr. Gardiner.]

Mr. ILSLEY: Order 124 of the wartime prices and trade board, passed on the 7th day of April, established maximum prices which permit adjustment of inequalities upon recommendation of the provincial board. Whether inequalities exist, having regard to varying circumstances and conditions, is a matter of opinion, making a more definite answer to the question impossible.

COAL—JUBILEE COLLIERY, SYDNEY MINES, N.S.

Mr. MacLEAN (Cape Breton North-Victoria):

In view of the announcement that coal is to be rationed this winter, will the government endeavour to have the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company reopen the Jubilee colliery at Sydney Mines, Nova Scotia?

Mr. ILSLEY: No announcement has been made that coal will be rationed this winter. It was stated that if the United States decided to ration coal, Canada would probably find it advisable to do the same.

The problem is one of transportation rather than production, making the opening of additional collieries an inappropriate method of dealing with the situation. The question relates to a matter of future policy as to which no present statement can be made.

CANADIAN FORCES—MARITIME PROVINCES—PURCHASE OF GASOLINE, OIL AND GREASE

Mr. MacLEAN (Cape Breton North-Victoria):

1. Were tenders called for the supplying of gasoline, oil and grease, for army, navy and air force, at Saint John, New Brunswick; Halifax, Pictou, Mulgrave, Nova Scotia; St. John's, Newfoundland, and Cape Breton, Nova Scotia?

2. If so, what oil companies tendered, and who was awarded the contract?

3. Was any tender sent in by McColl-Frontenac Oil Company?

4. To whom are the requisitions made for gasoline, oil and grease in Sydney, North Sydney, Sydney Mines and Reserve?

5. Has anyone given instructions that all gasoline, oil and grease requisitioned is to be purchased from the Imperial Oil Company?

Mr. HOWE:

(a) Saint John, N.B.

Army requirements

Tenders were received from the following companies: British American Oil Company Ltd.; Canadian Oil Companies Limited; Imperial Oil Limited; Irving Oil Limited; Provincial Oils Limited; McColl-Frontenac Oil Co., Ltd.; Pennsylvania Oil Products Co.; Tidewater Oil Co., of Canada Ltd.