

Orders for Returns

2. By year, what was the amount received in the case of each university in 1965 to 1970 inclusive?

3. What are the specific purposes, if any, of such scholarships or grants?

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IMPORTATION OF SUGAR INTO CANADA

Question No. 455—**Mr. Dinsdale:**

1. (a) What countries are the sources of sugar imported into Canada (b) what companies in Canada do the importing, and in what quantities each year since 1960?

2. Were Canadian Sugar Refineries convicted under the Combines Act in 1960 for operating a cartel to suppress importations of Cuban refined sugar to Canada in favour of an agreed upon allocation of raw sugar and, if so, what were the details of the judgment at that time?

3. Has the Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs received information that Canadian Sugar Refineries are operating a cartel to maintain high domestic prices on sugar and, if so, what action has been taken?

Return tabled.

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—HIRING OF OUTSIDE CONSULTANTS AND TOTAL ANNUAL BUDGET

Question No. 693—**Mr. Skoberg:**

1. For each year 1965-66 to 1969-70, how many consultants outside the Public Service of Canada were retained by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics?

2. What did these services cost?

3. What are (a) the names of the firms or individuals retained (b) the reasons in each instance for retaining the service (c) the costs in each instance where a firm was involved (d) the fee and expenses in each instance where individuals were involved?

4. For each year 1959-60 to 1969-70, what was (a) the total annual budget of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics (b) the total number of continuing (full-time) employees and the number of term employees (c) the total annual expenditure for salaries and wages (d) the total amount expended for professional and special service and the nature of these services?

Return tabled.

SALE OF MAILING LISTS FOR COMMERCIAL USE

Question No. 874—**Mr. Goode:**

Does any government department, agency or Crown corporation sell mailing lists for commercial use and, if so, by department, agency, or Crown corporation involved (a) when did this practice begin (b) to whom were such sales made during the past fiscal year (c) what were the proceeds from each such sale (d) what restrictions are placed on the use of lists sold?

Return tabled.

Mr. Orlikow: Mr. Speaker, I hesitate to be as difficult as the hon. member from a Nova Scotia constituency was concerning his question as to the use of a certain Jetstar aircraft, but question No. 79 has been on the order paper since October 8. It was also on the order paper in the previous session. It has to do with the use by the Prime Minister's office of outside consultants. I do not think it should be difficult to answer, and I wonder if I could get

[Mr. Fortin.]

some indication of when the answer might be forthcoming?

Mr. Jerome: Yes, Mr. Speaker. There have been a number of questions on the order paper involving this same general subject, the use of consultants' studies, with which there was some difficulty in making responses. We have now solved that problem and in the last few days have in fact tabled a number of responses in that general area, although not specifically to the question of the hon. member. I am very optimistic that we will be able to table an answer to his specific question very soon.

Mr. Comeau (South Western Nova): Mr. Speaker, last December a \$160 million loan fund was established to help the provinces in their programs. On February 3 I asked a question. I am sure the government has the answer. I cannot see why the government has not answered because this program has been in effect.

Mr. Jerome: I will look into it, Mr. Speaker.

MOTIONS FOR PAPERS

Mr. J. A. Jerome (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, would you be so kind as to call Notices of Motions Nos. 156 and 212.

CORRESPONDENCE BY MINISTER RESPONSIBLE FOR HOUSING TO BANKS, LOAN COMPANIES AND INSURANCE COMPANIES

Motion No. 156—**Mr. Gilbert:**

That an Order of the House do issue for copies of all memoranda, correspondence, etc. by the Minister without Portfolio responsible for Housing and presented to chartered banks, loan companies, and insurance companies at meetings held at the end of September, 1970.

Mr. Stanley Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): Mr. Speaker, I move this motion on the hon. member's behalf.

Mr. J. A. Jerome (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, the Minister without Portfolio responsible for housing held a series of meetings with representatives of the approved lenders at the end of September, 1970. The presentations at these meetings were oral. Since memoranda or correspondence were not presented to the representatives of the approved lenders by the Minister without Portfolio responsible for housing at the September meetings, I would request the hon. member to withdraw his motion.

Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): I guess I have to accept that, unless there were any tapes. Maybe they could be produced.

Mr. Speaker: The motion is withdrawn.

Order discharged and motion withdrawn.