

Mr. Prudham, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Resources and Development, laid before the House,—Copies of Regulations and Orders in Council made by the Governor in Council during the period February 14, 1950 to June 1, 1950, authorizing the sale of any land or the granting of any interest therein, as required by Section 75 of the Dominion Lands Act, Chapter 113, R.S.C. 1927. (The Dominion Lands Act was repealed by the Territorial Lands Act on June 1, 1950).

Mr. McCubbin, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Agriculture, laid before the House,—Annual Report of the Agricultural Prices Support Board for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1950.

The following Questions on the Order Paper were passed by the House as Orders for Return, under subsection 4 of Standing Order 44, and Orders of the House were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. White (Middlesex East):—What is the total value of all exports giving particulars as to groups or general classifications thereof, in (a) 1949; (b) 1950 to date, to (I) U.S.S.R.; (II) Hungary; (III) Czechoslovakia; (IV) Yugoslavia; (V) Eastern Germany; (VI) Bulgaria?

Mr. McIlraith, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Trade and Commerce, presented,—Return to the foregoing Order forthwith.

By Mr. Wright:—1. How many married quarters have been completed to date in each Military District in Canada?

2. How many are now under construction in each such district?

3. For how many are contracts let but construction not started in each district?

4. What is the average cost of such quarters completed to date in each Military District?

5. What is (a) the highest; (b) the lowest, cost of any single unit now completed in each district?

By Mr. Balcom:—1. When was the Unemployment Insurance Act brought into effect?

2. What were the original rates of contributions paid by (a) employer; (b) employee, and the various amendments thereto?

3. What are the categories of workers covered at the present time?

4. Are federal, provincial and municipal employees covered under the Act? If not, for what reason?

5. Are there any special provisions as regards temporary employees in the public service?

6. Is any consideration for exemption to be given to companies or organizations who have their own pension plan?

7. Are those of the income group \$3,000 to \$4,800 included under the Act? If so, for what reason?

Mr. Coté (Verdun-La Salle), Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Labour, presented,—Return to the foregoing Order forthwith.