

Questions

the board to date; (b) how many of these were brought before the board through applications by employers and how many through applications by employees; (c) how many wage increases have been granted by the board on employers' applications and how many on applications filed by employees; (d) how many bonus payments or increases have been granted to each of the two groups of applications; (e) what in each case were the grounds for granting the applications and what were the grounds for refusal in those cases where the application was rejected?

Mr. MITCHELL: The first five questions have been answered. I can answer the sixth if the hon. member who asked the questions will give us time to get the necessary material. We have been under pressure for the last two or three days because of the national boards which are meeting here.

Mr. COLDWELL: Yes, I understand. That is all right.

Mr. SPEAKER: The last part of the question stands.

Mr. MITCHELL:

Members of National War Labour Board

1. Honourable Humphrey Mitchell, M.P., chairman.

Dr. Bryce M. Stewart, Deputy Minister of Labour, vice-chairman.

Name—Position and Address—Nominated by

Bell, John A.—General chairman, Order of Railroad Telegraphers, 139 Pacific avenue, Toronto, Ont.—International Railway Labour organizations.

Deschamps, A.—President, Builders Exchange, 680 Sherbrooke St. W., Montreal, Que.—Canadian Construction Association.

Dunn, W. — Financial secretary-treasurer, Toronto District Labour Council, 404 Merton street, Toronto, Ont.—Trades and Labour Congress of Canada.

Hodge, George—Manager, Dept. of Personnel, Canadian Pacific railways, Montreal, Que.—Canadian Chamber of Commerce, and by Railway Association of Canada.

Jackson, Gilbert—President, Sentinel Securities of Canada Ltd., Toronto, Ont.—Canadian Manufacturers Association.

McClelland, John—Valois, Que.—Trades and Labour Congress of Canada.

Mosher, A. R.—President, Canadian Congress of Labour, 230 Laurier Ave. W., Ottawa, Ont.—Canadian Congress of Labour.

Picard, Gerard—General secretary, Confederation of Catholic Workers of Canada, Quebec, Que.—Confederation of Catholic Workers of Canada.

Stovel, J. H.—Vice-president and general manager, Dome Mines, South Porcupine, Ont.—Canadian Manufacturers Association, and by Ontario Mining Association.

Taylor, H.—Industrial Relations Department, Canadian National Carbon Co. Ltd., Toronto, Ont.—Canadian Manufacturers Association.

(Mr. Coldwell.)

Members of Executive Committee

2. Chairman, Honourable Humphrey Mitchell, M.P.; vice-chairman, Dr. Bryce M. Stewart, Deputy Minister of Labour; George Hodge—serves without remuneration—recouped actual out of pocket expenses; J. A. McClelland—\$8,000 per annum.

3. (a) In the absence of the chairman, the vice-chairman presides at board meetings.

(b) Twenty meetings of the National Board have been held. The following is the attendance list:

	Meetings (days)
Chairman.	15
Vice-chairman.	9
Bell, John A.	20
Deschamps, A.	18
Dunn, W.	19
Hodge, George.	20
Jackson, Gilbert.	20
McClelland, John A.	20
Mosher, A. R.	20
Picard, Gerard.	20
Stovel, J. H.	19
Taylor, H.	20

(c) The executive committee has held 53 executive sessions.

The following is the attendance record at the regular meetings of this committee:

	Meetings
Chairman.	18
Vice-chairman.	46
George Hodge.	52
J. A. McClelland.	49

In addition the committee has been in conference almost every day.

4. All decisions of the National Board are made by the board itself. Method of procedure in dealing with applications of the board is in accordance with the by-laws as adopted and provided in order in council P.C. 8253. A copy of the by-laws is submitted.

The attached letter of instructions also indicates the procedure followed in giving notice of applications and hearings and recording of decisions.

5. Answered by No. 4.

6. To follow.

The National War Labour Board
By-laws

1. (1) In these by-laws unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) "bonus" means the cost of living bonus for which provision is made in the order;

(b) "National Board" means the National War Labour Board;

(c) "national employer" means

(i) any employer engaged in

(a) the operation of lines of steam or other ships, railways, canals or telegraphs, including all services ancillary thereto, connecting any province with any other or others of the provinces or extending beyond the limits of the province;

(b) the operation of any system of air, bus or truck transportation connecting any province with any other or others of the provinces or extending beyond the limits of the province;