Questions

WORKS UNDER SECTION 92, B.N.A. ACT

Question No. 122-Mr. Fortin:

What works have been declared to be to the general advantage of Canada in the sense of the B.N.A. Act (section 92) since 1867?

[Translation]

Hon. John N. Turner (Minister of Justice): No list of such works has been maintained.

[English]

*ASSISTANCE IN COMBATING DUTCH ELM DISEASE

Question No. 127-Mr. Alkenbrack:

Since the government has cancelled any further federal assistance in Winter Works programs, what will the government do to assist the municipalities in their very expensive fight in combating Dutch Elm Disease, which is taking a terrible toll in the White and Grey Elm species in Central Canada?

Mr. E. F. Whelan (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Fisheries and Forestry): Mr. Speaker, the programs undertaken by the federal government on the Dutch elm disease are carried out by the forestry branch of the Department of Fisheries and comprise surveys to detect the presence and spread of the disease, research and factors influencing susceptibility of elm trees to the causal fungus and on methods of control, and technical advisory services to municipalities on the application of control methods. The forestry branch also provides diagnostic services to municipalities and individuals to assist in the identification of trees that are affected by the disease and that should be removed promptly to limit the spread. These extensive technical and consultative services will be continued.

POST OFFICE CONSTRUCTION, ST. VALLIER, QUE.

Question No. 156-Mr. Lambert (Bellechasse):

- 1. Does the government intend to build a post office in St. Vallier (Bellechasse constituency)?

 2. If so. (a) what is the estimated cost of con-
- 2. If so, (a) what is the estimated cost of construction (b) has the Department of Public Works called tenders or will it do so shortly (c) if authorized, when will construction start?

[Translation]

Hon. Arthur Laing (Minister of Public Works): 1. Yes.

2. (a) It is not customary to give the estimated cost before tenders are called. (b) Tenders will be called this fall. (c) If valid tenders are received, construction should start early in the new year.

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[English]

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES, LOTBINIERE CONSTITUENCY

Question No. 166-Mr. Fortin:

How many federal civil servants were employed in the federal constituency of Lotbinière in 1962-63-64-65-66-67-68?

Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): It is impossible to compile the data sought in this question because the duties of public employees are not assigned on the basis of electoral constituencies.

CANADIAN DEFENCE INSTALLATIONS

Question No. 174-Mr. Peddle:

- 1. How many Canadian defence installations are there in Canada and where are they located?
- 2. How many military personnel are in each and, how many civilian?

Mr. D. W. Groos (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of National Defence): 1 and 2. It is not departmental policy to make public lists of all defence establishments in Canada giving precise locations. However, the following is a list of major bases and stations, showing the number of military and civilian personnel attached to each as of June 30, 1968.

Bases and Stations		Civilian Personnel
Newfoundland		
CFS St. John's	195	33
CFS Gander	170	92
CFS Goose Bay	59	10
Prince Edward Island		
CFB Summerside	1353	321
Nova Scotia		
CFB Cornwallis	611	347
CFB Greenwood	1911	381
CFB Halifax	4360	5006
CFB Shearwater	2196	425
CFS Barrington	131	64
CFS Sydney	146	92
CFS Mill Cove	47	9
CFS Shelburne	163	
Ships Afloat East	4216	
New Brunswick		
CFB Chatham	1275	389
CFB Gagetown	4497	719
CFB Moncton	178	416
CFS Coverdale	135	3