Questions

CMHC LOAN, HOME FOR THE AGED, SEPT-ÎLES

Question No. 1,455-Mr. Blouin:

Did Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation make a loan for the construction of a home for the aged in Sept-Îles, in the constituency of Manicouagan and, if so, what was the amount of this loan?

Hon. Robert K. Andras (Minister without Portfolio): In February, 1969, Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation approved a loan under Section 16A of the National Housing Act, through the Québec Housing Corporation, to Foyer d'hébergement de Sept-Îles, Inc., in the City of Sept-Îles. This loan, in the amount of \$492,120 has financed the construction of a rental housing project consisting of six dwelling units and 62 hostel beds to accommodate elderly persons.

HEALTH AND WELFARE INDIAN EXPENDITURES FOR 1966 TO 1969

Question No. 1,470-Mr. Mazankowski:

What was the total expenditure for the Indian population, for health and welfare in the fiscal years 1966-67, 1967-68 and 1968-69?

Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): I am informed by the Department of National Health and Welfare and the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development as follows: Total Expenditures on Health: 1966-67, \$23,633,559; 1967-68, \$26,056,040; 1968-69, \$29,637,920.

Total Expenditures on Welfare: 1966-67, \$19,371,000; 1967-68, \$23,564,000; 1968-69, \$29,644,000.

INCENTIVE GRANT TO MOTHER'S OWN BAKERY LIMITED

Question No. 1,476—Mr. Burton:

- 1. Has the Department of Regional Economic Expansion, under the Regional Incentives Act, authorized or provided an incentive grant to Mother's Own Bakery Limited, Fox Creek, N.B. and, if so, what is the amount of the grant?
- 2. What is the total estimated cost of the project for which the grant was provided and what is the nature of the project and its location?
- 3. Who are the directors and chief executive officers of Mother's Own Bakery Limited and what is the address of each?
- 4. To what extent is this company non-resident or foreign-owned or controlled?
- 5. What is the name and country of the known non-resident ownership in this company?
- Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): I am in-

Ave Ducharme, Ville Vanier, Québec 8, \$12,000; Jos Roland Therrien, 19 Coté, Lauzon, \$13,700 (Cancelled); Transol Inc., Box 94, Station-B, Québec 2, \$14,329; Egide Gagnon, St-Joseph St., St-Michel, \$14,500; Frank Glode Ltée, 774 Du Roi, Québec, \$15,250; Gaston Guay, 66 de la Visitation, Lévis, \$15,650; François Nolin Ltée, 895—1ère Ave., Québec 3, \$16,224; Louis Henri Métivier, 130 St. Augustin, Lévis, \$17,200; Yvon Pelletier, 21 Sauvageau, Lévis, \$20,130; Richard Cantin, St-Jean Chrysostome de Lévis, \$24,012.

- 3. Mrs. Jeanne Richard at \$8,240 per annum.
 - 4. Five years.

GUARANTEED INCOME SUPPLEMENT REPAYMENTS

Question No. 1,444-Mr. Rynard:

How many people receiving the Guaranteed Income Supplement are making payments back to the government?

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of National Health and Welfare): There are at present 24,469 people receiving the Guaranteed Income Supplement who are making payments back to the Government.

PAYMENT OF MEDICARE PREMIUMS FOR INDIANS

Question No. 1,445-Mr. Yewchuk:

Until what date does the federal government plan to pay premiums on Medicare for Indian people?

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of National Health and Welfare): Funds have been appropriated by Parliament for the purpose of paying Medicare premiums for Indian people, up to March 31, 1970, and estimates for the year 1970-71 would provide for continuation of payments during the next fiscal year. Such payments are made on behalf of needy Indians resident on reserves, or pursuing, or having recently pursued the Indian mode of life.

A change will come when all provinces collecting premiums extend to needy Indians the same benefits by way of premium subsidies that they extend to non-Indian residents in need. Making hospital and medical care insurance benefits available to all residents under uniform terms and conditions is prescribed in the Hospital Insurance and Diagnostic Services Act and in the Medical Care Act.