

4. (a) Manitoba, 38; Saskatchewan, 35; Alberta, 53; British Columbia, 17. (b) \$94,-696.

ROYAL COMMISSION ON PILOTAGE

Question No. 1,665—**Mr. Mather:**

1. What was the cost of the Royal Commission on Pilotage?
2. When was it appointed?
3. When did it report?
4. What action has been taken on its report and recommendations?

**Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council):** I am informed by the Offices of the Prime Minister and Privy Council and the Department of Transport as follows: 1. \$1,049,870.

2. November 1, 1962.

3. Volume I—July 17, 1968; Volume II—December 20, 1968.

4. A task force has been established within the Department of Transport and it has proceeded to study those Parts of the Report that have been received. It has also held discussions with representatives of shipping and pilots' associations on the implications of the recommendations made by the Royal Commission. It is now engaged in drafting a recommended plan of action for the reorganization of the pilotage service throughout Canada.

HUNGARIAN IMMIGRANTS

Question No. 1,674—**Mr. Robinson:**

1. How many Hungarians were allowed to immigrate to Canada after the Hungarian revolt?
2. In what provinces and what large cities did they locate?
3. Was there any screening of the immigrants to determine previous criminal records?
4. How many have been convicted of criminal offenses in Canada and what were the offenses for which convictions were registered and what was the penalty meted out in each case?
5. How many have been convicted of criminal offenses in (a) Toronto (b) Montreal?

**Hon. Allan J. MacEachen (Minister of Manpower and Immigration):** 1. From November 1956, when the first of these people began to arrive in Canada, up to May 31, 1959 when the Department ceased to identify them separately in its statistical records, 37,096 Hungarian refugees were granted landed immigrant status in this country.

2. The distribution by province of intended destination of these refugees was as follows: Newfoundland, four; Prince Edward Island,

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11; Nova Scotia 1,315; New Brunswick, 988; Quebec, 9,634; Ontario, 12,245; Manitoba, 3,467; Saskatchewan, 989; Alberta, 3,635; British Columbia, 4,806 and the Yukon and Northwest Territories, two. No figures are available showing the city of intended destination of these refugees.

3. Initially, Hungarian refugees were subject to full immigration screening. However as the flood of refugees increased, the situation became acute and the Canadian Government decided to waive its normal immigrant security checks for these refugees except where the examining officer abroad had reason to suspect that such checks should be carried out. This was done in order to speed up their arrival in Canada since the task of caring for them was far beyond the capacity of the countries in which they sought haven.

4 and 5. The Department of Manpower and Immigration has no statistics concerning the incidence of crime amongst these people in Canada.

LINGUISTIC CAPABILITIES OF NATIONAL DEFENCE PERSONNEL

Question No. 1,715—**Mr. Fortin:**

1. In the Department of National Defence, in each category and class, how many employees (a) have French as their mother tongue (b) have English as their mother tongue (c) other (d) are bilingual?
2. How many employees earning from \$12,000 to \$17,000 in each category and class (a) have French as their mother tongue (b) have English as their mother tongue (c) other (d) are bilingual?
3. How many employees earning \$17,000 and over in each category and class (a) have French as their mother tongue (b) have English as their mother tongue (c) other (d) are bilingual?
4. During 1968, how many employees were appointed, reclassified or promoted in each category and class and, of this number, how many (a) had French as their mother tongue (b) had English as their mother tongue (c) other (d) were bilingual?
5. How many employees in each category and class took courses (a) in French (b) in English in 1968?

[Translation]

**Mr. D. W. Groos (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of National Defence):** Information is not now available to provide an accurate answer to this question, and the necessary expert staff is not available to undertake the large amount of work which would be required to gather the necessary information.

Attention is directed to *Hansard*, page 2402, dated 25 September, 1967.