to an Order in Council, will the Prime Minister file the Order in Council under the terms of which this man was admitted to Canada?

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Right Hon. P. E. Trudeau (Prime Minister): Mr. Speaker, I am not at all informed about this matter except to the extent that the Minister of Manpower and Immigration told me yesterday that he would handle it in the House if questions were asked of him. I am sorry the hon. member did not think of asking a question yesterday when the responsible minister was here.

Mr. Baldwin: On that point, Mr. Speaker, I gave the Prime Minister, or the minister, until the weekend to make a statement and he did not see fit to do so. However, I would ask this supplementary question. In view of the fact that officials of the Department of Justice in Washington are alleged to have stated to representatives of Canadian newspapers today that for the last two years Canada and other countries have been used as a haven for people of this character in at least 50 instances, through the medium of United States corporations with subsidiaries in Canada, will the Prime Minister ask the Minister of Manpower and Immigration, because of these serious allegations, to make a further investigation and a full statement to the House?

Mr. Trudeau: Mr. Speaker, I am very grateful to the hon. member for having given me to the weekend to make a statement. I will give him a few more days to ask the minister the question when he is in the House.

LABOUR RELATIONS

LONGSHOREMEN'S STRIKE, MONTREAL—INTERVENTION OF DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR TO ACHIEVE SETTLEMENT

Mr. Warren Allmand (Notre-Dame-de-Grâce): Mr. Speaker, I have a question for the Acting Minister of Labour, but I am not too sure which minister is the acting minister. Since this is the eleventh day of the wildcat strike in the port of Montreal and considerable losses are being incurred, would the minister tell us whether the government has made contact with the parties and whether anything is being done to settle this strike?

Mr. Speaker: Apparently the matter is being considered by an acting minister. While this is being done the Chair will recognize the hon. member for York-Sunbury.

NATIONAL DEFENCE

ALLEGED DISPLACEMENT OF CERTAIN CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES BY STUDENTS UNDER OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH PROGRAM

Mr. J. Chester MacRae (York-Sunbury): Mr. Speaker, my question is for the Minister of National Defence. However, in his absence on government business I shall direct it to the President of the Treasury Board. Is the minister

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aware that several hundred civilian employees of the Department of National Defence across the nation, many of whom are veterans and many of whom are married men with families, are being laid off at the present time and being replaced by students under the Opportunities for Youth program? Further, if the answer is in the affirmative, what does the government plan to do about this deplorable situation?

Hon. C. M. Drury (President of the Treasury Board): Mr. Speaker, on behalf of the Minister of National Defence may I say I am not aware of this but I will certainly cause inquiries to be made.

Mr. J. M. Forrestall (Dartmouth-Halifax East): Mr. Speaker, would the President of the Treasury Board, in making his colleague, the Minister of National Defence, aware of this situation, also consult other members of the government with a view to ensuring that these several hundred long-term, in many cases, non-permanent employees do not suffer as a result of the opportunities for youth program?

SHIPPING

PROVISION OF SHORE-BASED NAVIGATIONAL CONTROL SYSTEMS FOR SHIPS USING STRAIT OF JUAN DE FUCA AND ADJACENT WATERS

Mr. Thomas S. Barnett (Comox-Alberni): Mr. Speaker, I have a question for the Minister of Transport which arises in part from a report that what is described as the largest tanker ever to have visited the waters of the state of Washington has come to Esquimalt for propeller inspection after delivering oil to Cherry Point, Washington. Can he advise the House what steps are under way to establish shore-based navigational control systems in the Strait of Juan de Fuca and adjacent areas on the Pacific coast?

Hon. Donald C. Jamieson (Minister of Transport): Mr. Speaker, if the hon. member would give me time I would be glad to give him a written reply. The answer is quite lengthy. In the interim I might say that something is being established comparable to the installation at Chedabucto Bay on the east coast which is regarded by many as the most modern in the world. However, I would like to get a full written report for the hon. member on the navigational aids in this whole area.

INDUSTRY

AUTOMOBILES—ACTION TO OFFSET EFFECTS ON INDUSTRY OF OPPORTUNITY FOR CANADIANS VISITING UNITED STATES TO PURCHASE CARS AT LOW PRICES

Mr. S. Perry Ryan (Spadina): Mr. Speaker, I wish to direct a question to the Minister of Industry, Trade and Commerce. As the program of the United States Chamber of Commerce known as "Tour America" intends to use DISCs to sell cars to visiting tourists at special low prices, particularly if they take them home with them, and as