

Order Paper Questions

Affairs on Tuesday, I was asked by the finance critic of the opposition to present some facts and figures in connection with the interest rate increases. I explained to the committee that I had some notes from my department on that subject and that if they liked I would present them to the committee. I did not have them then and there in French also, but if they wanted to accept them then in English, we would supply a French translation later. It was on that basis that the committee said yes, they would accept them then.

I had another document later which we kept and which I tabled today in English and French. There has been no violation of either the spirit or the letter or anything to do with both official languages in the finance committee. I was pressed for something which was only a memorandum to me for my own use. Unfortunately, I am unilingual, but I was willing to make it available right then if hon. members of the committee did not object to the fact that I could not give them a French translation until later. I do not think it needs to be cited in this House as any breach of understanding.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[Translation]

FINANCE, TRADE AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

SECOND REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Second report of Standing Committee on Finance, Trade and Economic Affairs—Mr. Clarke (Vancouver Quadra).

[Editor's Note: For text of above report, see today's Votes and Proceedings.]

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QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

Mr. David Kilgour (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, the following questions will be answered today: Nos. 67, 191, 192 and 205.

I ask, Mr. Speaker, that the remaining questions be allowed to stand.

[Text]

THE ROYAL CANADIAN MINT

Question No. 67—**Mr. Orlikow:**

1. Who (a) is the president (b) are the vice-presidents of the Royal Canadian Mint?

2. What is the annual salary in each case?

Hon. Roch La Salle (Minister of Supply and Services):

[Mr. Crosbie.]

1. (a) Yvon Gariépy, president, chief executive officer (master)
- (b) G. A. Lahaie, vice-president, administration and finance
Robert Huot, vice-president, marketing
D. M. Cudahy, vice-president, manufacturing
2. (a) Salary range: SX3: \$42,700—\$58,500
- (b) Salary range for each: \$35,000—\$55,000

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Question No. 191—**Mr. Herbert:**

How many (a) permanent (b) term employees were on the Department of Public Works' payroll on March 31, 1979?

Hon. Erik Nielsen (Minister of Public Works): As of March 31, 1979, Public Works Canada had on their payroll: (a) 8,411 permanent employees (b) 605 term employees.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

Question No. 192—**Mr. Herbert:**

How many (a) permanent (b) term employees were on the Department of Labour's payroll on March 31, 1979?

Hon. Lincoln M. Alexander (Minister of Labour): (a) 661; (b) 74.

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DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY AND SERVICES

Question No. 205—**Mr. Herbert:**

How many (a) permanent (b) term employees were on the Department of Supply and Services' payroll on March 31, 1979?

Hon. Roch La Salle (Minister of Supply and Services): (a) 9,730 permanent employees; (b) 1,108 term employees.

[English]

Mr. Speaker: The questions enumerated by the hon. parliamentary secretary have been answered. Shall the remaining questions be allowed to stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

[English]

INCOME TAX ACT

MEASURE TO AMEND

The House resumed from Thursday, November 1, consideration in committee of Bill C-17, to amend the statute law relating to income tax and to amend the Canada Pension Plan (Mr. Crosbie)—Mr. Scott (Victoria-Haliburton) in the chair.