

HOUSE OF COMMONS

Wednesday, July 16, 1969

The house met at 2 p.m.

[Translation]

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

NATIONAL CAPITAL

TABLING OF SIXTY-NINTH REPORT OF COMMISSION

Hon. Jean Marchand (Minister of Regional Economic Expansion): Mr. Speaker, I would like to table in French and English two copies of the 69th report of the National Capital Commission. I apologize, Mr. Speaker, for not having tabled that report yesterday, which was the deadline, but one of the essential signatures was missing, due to the summer holidays. I hope that the house will excuse me for this slight irregularity.

[English]

CAPE BRETON DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

TABLING OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH CHAIRMAN RESPECTING RESIGNATION

Hon. Donald S. Macdonald (President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, further to an undertaking given earlier by the Prime Minister I should like to table copies of correspondence between the Prime Minister and Mr. Fullerton, the chairman of the Cape Breton Development Corporation, in respect of the latter's resignation.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

MESSAGE FROM CANADIAN HIGH COMMISSION IN LAGOS RESPECTING ALLEGED STATEMENT BY BRIGADIER HAMILTON

Hon. Mitchell Sharp (Secretary of State for External Affairs): Mr. Speaker, I should like

to table a copy of a message from the Canadian High Commission in Lagos, dated July 14, 1969, on the subject of the report in the *Globe and Mail* of July 12 relating to a statement alleged to have been made by Brigadier Hamilton.

QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

INFORMATION SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Question No. 2,217—**Mr. Robinson:**

1. Does the Department of Justice provide an information service and, if so, what was the cost for each of the years 1960-1968 inclusive?
2. How many publications and/or periodicals and/or information sheets and/or public releases were provided by the Department for each of the years 1960-1968 inclusive, and what was the cost for each publication for each of the years 1960-1968 inclusive?
3. How many copies of each publication are provided, to whom are they distributed, and how is the distribution effected?

Hon. John N. Turner (Minister of Justice): 1, 2 and 3. The Department of Justice does not provide an information service. However, I am informed by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who, before being transferred to the Department of the Solicitor General on October 1, 1966, as follows: 1. Yes. 1960, \$18,320; 1961, \$22,800; 1962, \$37,765; 1963, \$39,269; 1964, \$42,449; 1965, \$46,704. 2 and 3.

| Year | Cost | Publications | Distribution | Public Releases |
|--------------|--------------|---------------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| 1960/61..... | — | Not available | — | Not available |
| 1961/62..... | — | Not available | — | 28 |
| 1962/63..... | \$ 347.04 | "Serve Canada With RCMP" | 11,568 | 22 |
| | \$ 1,273.63 | "Career in Scarlet" | 2,549 | — |
| | *\$ 2,932.00 | "Crime in Your Community" | 54,700 | — |
| 1963/64..... | \$ 435.48 | "Serve Canada With RCMP" | 14,516 | 32 |
| | \$ 1,117.84 | "Career in Scarlet" | 2,178 | — |