

haven, Ont., Maximum Security Institution, Satellite No. 1 and Service Buildings. Millhaven, Ont., Maximum Security Institution, Central Heating Plant.

\**(b)* The head office of the company is located at 3901 Jean Talon Street West, Town of Mount Royal, Quebec.

*(c)* The president of the company is H. A. Hallward.

*(d)* The company reports no shares held by other corporations. It is not required to report principal shareholders which are not corporations.

*(e)* The executives and members of the board of directors are H. G. Hallward, F. R. Bibeau, B. M. Hallward, P. R. D. MacKell and J. G. Elliot.

\*There is no available return for an Argo Construction Co. Ltd. The above was taken from the annual return of Argo Construction Ltd., for the fiscal period ending February 28, 1969.

2. Millhaven is incomplete. Ottawa is complete with the exception of deficiencies. Although Cowansville and Ste. Anne des Plaines are technically complete corrective action arising from warranty clauses has not been entirely resolved.

3. The consultant architects employed by the Department of Public Works are responsible for the inspection of these projects. For the projects listed in Part 1 (a), the consultants are: Cowansville, Quebec, Mr. O. P. Trepanier; Ste. Anne des Plaines, Quebec, Mr. Jean Perreault; Ottawa, Ontario, Mr. Ronald Ogilvie; Millhaven, Ontario, (Satellite No. 1 and Service Buildings), J. L. Richards and Associates Ltd.; Millhaven, Ontario, (Central Heating Plant), J. L. Richards and Associates Ltd.

#### INDIAN AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT EMPLOYMENT OF BILL WUTTUNEE

##### Question No. 1,707—**Mr. Howard (Skeena):**

Is Bill Wuttunee of Alberta employed by or under contract to the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development and, if so (a) on what date did he enter into such employ or contractual arrangement (b) for what period of time (c) at what salary and expense allowance (d) what, in detail, are his duties?

**Hon. Jean Chrétien (Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development):** No, but Mr. Bill Wuttunee of Alberta was employed under a contractual arrangement to provide

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a consultation service. (a) February 9, 10 and 11, 1970. (b) Three days. (c) Salary at \$200 per day; Expense allowance at \$35 per day for three days and air fares at \$248. (d) The purpose of the contract was to engage Mr. Wuttunee to ask him his opinion on some particular points connected with the review of the Indian Act.

#### AGRICULTURE—RESEARCH STUDIES

##### Question No. 1,749—**Mr. Robinson:**

1. What research studies have been carried out by, or on behalf of the Department of Agriculture during each year 1960 to 1969 inclusive?

2. What research studies are now being carried on and/or are contemplated during the next five years?

3. What was the cost of each of the research studies completed in each year 1960 to 1969 inclusive?

4. What is the estimated cost of each of the studies now in being or contemplated during the next five years?

**Hon. H. A. Olson (Minister of Agriculture):** Records do not permit the compilation of answers to these questions in their present form. Interpreting the word "studies" to be synonymous with biological research projects, the Research Branch of this Department had approximately 3,500 such projects under way in 1960. These have been grouped into larger units with the result that there are now about 1,200 projects. Approximately 120 projects are completed or discontinued each year and an equivalent number of new ones instituted. It has not been feasible to maintain the detailed cost accounting records necessary to price each project. However, in recent years projects have been grouped into activities. Costing at this level is presented in new format of the Main Estimates Blue Book.

#### POLLUTION—BANNING OF PHOSPHATES

##### Question No. 1,780—**Mrs. MacInnis:**

How many letters, telegrams, signed protests or other communications were received by the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources from March 1 to April 30, 1970, demanding legislation to ban phosphate detergents?

**Mr. R. J. Orange (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources):** From March 1 through April 30, 1970, 1,678 letters, telegrams, signed protests and other communications were received by the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources, concerning legislation to ban phosphate detergents.