

Questions

1. Available statistics on imports of logging, saw mill and woodworking machinery from the United States, the United Kingdom and Western Germany during 1959 and 1960 are as follows:—

Class	Country	Calendar year 1959		January 1st to September 30th, 1960	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		No.	\$	No.	\$
Chain saws and parts (class 5523)	United States.....	7,093	4,125,847	2,798	2,731,403
	United Kingdom.....	—	—	—	66,148
	Western Germany.....	2	27,718	64	12,748
	Totals.....	7,095	4,153,565	2,862	2,744,151
Logging machinery,—machinery, logging cars, cranes, blocks and tackle, and parts n.o.p., for use in logging (5541)	United States.....	*	9,038,745	*	7,044,421
	United Kingdom.....	*	152,901	*	66,148
	Western Germany.....	*	22,737	*	17,880
	Totals.....		9,214,383		7,128,429
Saw mill machinery—machinery for use in sawing lumber, and parts, not to include motive power (5564)	United States.....	*	890,924	*	902,703
	United Kingdom.....	*	9,090	*	4,837
	Western Germany.....	*	228,848	*	154,815
	Totals.....		1,128,862		1,062,355
Veneer drying machines and parts (5571)	United States.....	*	268,953	*	534,153
	United Kingdom.....	—	—	—	—
	Western Germany.....	—	—	—	—
	Totals.....		268,953		534,153
Machines for the manufacture of veneers and plywoods, viz.: veneer clippers, veneer clipper knife jointers, veneer glue spreaders, veneer jointers, veneer lathes and veneer taping machines, veneer reelers and unreelers, veneer conveyors for use with same; complete parts of all the foregoing (5578)	United States.....	*	293,904	*	425,224
	United Kingdom.....	*	3,968	*	485
	Western Germany.....	*	59,529	*	76,394
	Totals.....		357,401		502,103
Woodworking machinery n.o.p., and parts (5589)	United States.....	*	7,964,736	*	5,016,580
	United Kingdom.....	*	475,296	*	242,189
	Western Germany.....	*	293,371	*	205,314
	Totals.....		8,733,403		5,464,083
Total of above classes:	United States.....	*	22,583,109	*	16,654,484
	United Kingdom.....	*	641,255	*	313,659
	Western Germany.....	*	632,203	*	467,131
	Totals.....	*	23,856,567	*	17,435,274

* Quantity statistics not available.

ST. LEONARD, QUE., POST OFFICE

Question No. 56—Mr. Boulanger:

1. Have tenders been called for the construction of a post office at St. Leonard, county of Nicolet, Quebec?

2. If so: (a) on what date were such tenders officially called? (b) what are the names of the tenderers and the amount of their tenders? (c) was the contract awarded to the lowest tenderer? (d) to whom was the contract awarded and for what amount? (e) on what date was the contract awarded?

Answer by: Hon. D. J. Walker (Minister of Public Works):

1. Yes.

2. (a) November 29, 1960.

(b) Gilbert La Plante Inc. (St. Célestin, P.Q.), \$17,698.97; Jacques Montplaisir Inc. (St. Leonard d'Aston), \$19,000.00; Jean L. Beliveau (St. Gregoire), \$19,472.00; Alfred Martin (St. Leonard d'Aston), \$19,750.00.

(c) Contract not yet awarded.

(d) Answered by 2(c).

(e) Answered by 2(c).