

Place—Date—1936	No. of days
Montreal—Sept. 14, 15, 16.. . . .	3
Quebec—Sept. 17.. . . .	1
Toronto—Sept. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25..	5
Hamilton—Sept. 28, 29.. . . .	2
London—Sept. 30, Oct. 1.. . . .	2
Windsor—Oct. 2, 3.. . . .	2
Charlottetown—Oct. 15.. . . .	1
Sydney—Oct. 17.. . . .	1
Halifax—Oct. 19, 20.. . . .	2
Saint John—Oct. 21, 22.. . . .	2
Sherbrooke—Oct. 23.. . . .	1
Vancouver—Nov. 12, 13.. . . .	2
Victoria—Nov. 16.. . . .	1
Edmonton—Nov. 19, 20.. . . .	2
Calgary—Nov. 21.. . . .	1
Moose Jaw—Nov. 24.. . . .	1
Regina—Nov. 25.. . . .	1
Saskatoon—Nov. 27.. . . .	1
Winnipeg—Nov. 30, Dec. 1, 2, 3..	4
Fort William—Dec. 4.. . . .	1
Ottawa—January 5, 1937.. . . .	1

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6. Sittings were public. Witnesses appeared at no expense to the government.

QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

ALLEVIATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT AND AGRICULTURAL DISTRESS

Mr. BOULANGER:

1. Since April 1, 1936, to date, what works have been undertaken in the several provinces under the law to alleviate unemployment and agricultural distress?

2. During the same period, what amounts have been contributed by the federal government for such works in the several provinces?

3. Have all these works been executed by contract after a public call for tenders?

4. What works, if any: (a) have been executed without tender; (b) where; (c) what was their cost; (d) who executed them?

5. What works, if any: (a) have been done without tender by supervisors who were remunerated by commissions on the cost of materials and labour; (b) where are these works; (c) what did they cost, and (d) what are the names, occupations and addresses of the supervisors referred to?

TRANS-CANADA HIGHWAY

Mr. BOULANGER:

1. Since April 1, 1936, to date, what sums have been expended by the federal government for standardizing, rebuilding or constructing the trans-Canada highway in the several provinces?

2. During the same period how many miles of said highway were standardized, rebuilt or constructed by federal aid in the different provinces?

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3. During the same period, what standardizing, rebuilding or constructing works were carried out without tender on the trans-Canada highway by the several provinces?

4. During the same period, what contracts for standardization, rebuilding or construction were awarded without tender by the provincial governments to supervisors who were remunerated on a commission basis on the cost of labour and materials?

5. What are the names, occupations and domiciles of the supervisors referred to in the preceding question?

Mr. RINFRET: Return tabled.

INVESTIGATIONS BY ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

Mr. REID:

1. Were any investigations carried out by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Deep bay or any other place on Vancouver island sometime during the month of January, 1938, following a fire which had menaced or destroyed property or buildings?

2. If so, was any equipment of a military or other nature discovered?

3. Have any investigations been carried out by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in British Columbia to find out if any military training is being undertaken by any group or groups of individuals, other than Canadians?

4. Have any investigations been carried out by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in British Columbia with a view of finding out how many Chinese and Japanese have entered, or were resident in Canada illegally?

5. If so, what are the numbers of these nationals who have been found to be in this country illegally, giving the numbers of each?

6. What are the total numbers of persons entering Canada for the first time during the calendar year 1937 from each of the following countries: Italy, Germany, Sweden, Roumania, Russia, China, United States, Japan, England, Northern Ireland and Scotland?

7. What were the total numbers of those leaving Canada during the calendar year 1937 and going to the above mentioned countries?

Mr. RINFRET: Return tabled.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND PRICES

Mr. LACOMBE:

1. What were the production and prices of vegetables in the province of Quebec during the years 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, and 1937?

2. What was the total value of the agricultural production in Canada during the same years?

PORT CREDIT, ONT., HARBOUR IMPROVEMENT WORK

Mr. GRAYDON:

1. What work, if any, was done by way of improving harbour facilities at Port Credit during the year 1937?

2. Upon what dates in 1937 was said work carried on?

3. What was the total cost of said work?