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ization, underlining the fact that racism was almost non-existent at the time.

(4) Youth and Institutions: A group of young people of various ethnic origins give their views of existing institutions; discussion between these young people and Quebec youth.

(5) Indians and North Western Quebec: Guest speaker: Chief Alfred Kistabish of the Amos Reservation.

(6) Cultural Events: Information concerning a programme of cultural events organized once a month by a particular ethnic group; relationship of this program to the general social organization program aimed at ethnic minorities in North Western Quebec.

(ii) I am informed by the Company of Young Canadians that volunteers of the CYC are involved with the communities in producing the television program "Le Bloc". The volunteers are: Stéphane Cloutier, André Dudemaine, Jean Ouellet, Pierrette Cloutier, Michel Lemieux, and Marcel-Yves Bégin. The regional office of the Company of Young Canadians is located at 185, Principale, Rouyn, P.Q.

(iii) Volunteers of the Company of Young Canadians receive an allowance in accordance with CYC policy, in amounts of \$270 per month for a single volunteer or \$370 per month for a volunteer with dependents, for the duration of their two year contract.

[English]

CANADA ASSISTANCE PLAN—ESTIMATE OF PAYMENTS TO PROVINCES, 1971

Question No. 893—**Mr. Orlikow:**

What is the estimate of the cost to the government of payments to each province under the provisions of the Canada Assistance Plan for the year 1971?

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of National Health and Welfare):

Province	Total Estimate for Fiscal Year 1971-72 (\$ 000's)
Newfoundland	\$ 24,415
Prince Edward Island	4,307
Nova Scotia	19,007
New Brunswick	18,802
*Quebec	238,702
Ontario	198,409
Manitoba	29,776
Saskatchewan	23,326
Alberta	44,110
British Columbia	71,320
North West Territory	1,375
Yukon Territory	1,125
Total	\$674,674

* Amount payable to Quebec by the Department of Finance under the Established Programs (Interim Arrangements) Act.

[Mr. Pelletier.]

CALGARY, ALBERTA—WELFARE RIGHTS ASSOCIATION ORGANIZATION

Question No. 894—**Mr. Schumacher:**

1. Does the government finance a welfare rights association organization in the City of Calgary, Alberta?

2. Does the government contribute financially to a welfare rights association organization or affiliate in the City of Calgary, Alberta and, if so, what is the proper name of such association organization?

3. What is the nature of the financial support?

4. What is the connection between such organization and the operation information centre operating in the City of Calgary?

5. What is the amount of such financial assistance annually?

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of National Health and Welfare): 1. Yes.

2. The Calgary Welfare Rights Organization.

3. A Demonstration Project grant under the National Welfare Grants program. Duration of the project is expected to be three years.

4. None to our knowledge.

5. \$22,290.00 was allocated for the fiscal year 1970-71.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—DESIGNATION OF SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

Question No. 925—**Mr. Robinson:**

What percentage of the supplementary estimates of the Department of Agriculture is designated for (a) winter works (b) to reduce unemployment (c) underestimating expenditures (d) combatting inflationary costs (e) new programs (f) hiring of additional employees?

Hon. H. A. Olson (Minister of Agriculture): (a) winter works, nil; (b) to reduce unemployment, 44 per cent; (c) underestimating expenditures, 9 per cent; (d) combatting inflationary costs, 6 per cent; (e) new programs 41 per cent; (f) hiring of additional employees, nil.

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE—DESIGNATION OF SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

Question No. 926—**Mr. Robinson:**

What percentage of the supplementary estimates of the Department of National Health and Welfare is designated for (a) winter works (b) to reduce unemployment (c) underestimating expenditures (d) combatting inflationary costs (e) new programs (f) hiring of additional employees?

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of National Health and Welfare): (a) Nil; (b) nil; (c) 99.3 per cent; (d) .3 per cent; (e) nil; (f) nil.

REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED CONCERNING ABORTION

Question No. 960—**Mr. Tétrault:**

1. For the period January 1, 1970 to September 30, 1970, how many representations were received by the government, urging the government to retain unmodified or to make even more stringent the existing legal prohibitions against abortion in Canada?

2. How many such representations were received between November 1, 1970 and January 31, 1971?