

2. If any documents were so removed, were they removed with the consent of the taxpayers or the accountant or agent concerned?

3. If any documents were so removed without such consent, under what statutory authority did the removals take place?

[Translation]

Hon. Jean Chrétien (Minister of National Revenue): 1. Yes.

2. The records were delivered voluntarily to officers of the Department of National Revenue, Taxation, pursuant to a requirement issued under Section 126(2) of the Income Tax Act.

3. Not applicable.

[English]

PORTRAIT OF MR. DIEFENBAKER

Question No. 1,088—**Mr. Enns:**

1. On what date was the portrait of the Right Honourable Louis St. Laurent placed in the Parliament Buildings?

2. (a) What are the government's plans for displaying a portrait of the Right Honourable John Diefenbaker? (b) Does the plan in this regard differ from that followed in regard to the display of portraits honouring former Prime Ministers?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State):

1. March 4th, 1959.

2. (a) The portrait of the Right Hon. John Diefenbaker, commissioned by the government, will become the property of parliament. The display of this portrait in the parliament building is a matter falling within the domain of His Honour the Speaker. (b) See answer to part (a).

HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS, ST. BRIDE'S, NFLD.

Question No. 1,090—**Mr. Bell (Saint John-Albert):**

Has a survey been conducted recently in the harbour area of St. Bride's, Newfoundland and, if so, when will improvements be made?

Hon. G. J. McIlraith (Minister of Public Works): Funds have been allocated for repairs and maintenance work on existing facilities at St. Bride's to facilitate the local fishery. In addition, a survey is now in progress to ascertain what other improvements may be warranted.

NATIONAL MUSEUMS ACT

Question No. 1,095—**Mr. Bell (Carleton):**

1. Has the National Museums Act been proclaimed?

2. If so, on what date?

3. If not, when may its proclamation be anticipated?

Questions

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State):

1. No.

2. Not applicable.

3. It is the intention of the government that the act shall come into force on April 1, 1968.

NATIONAL MUSEUMS APPOINTMENTS

Question No. 1,103—**Mr. Bell (Carleton):**

1. Has the Board of Trustees of the National Museums of Canada been appointed?

2. If so, who are the members thereof?

3. If not, when may its proclamation be anticipated?

4. Has (a) the Secretary-General of the National Museums of Canada (b) the director of each museum, been appointed?

5. If so, what are the names of such appointees?

6. If not, when may such appointments be anticipated?

7. Have any by-laws of the National Museums of Canada been enacted?

8. If so, on what date and to what purport are such by-laws?

9. Have any consultative committees been established?

10. If so, what committees and who are the members thereof?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State):

1. Yes.

2. Mr. Jean Ostiguy, Montreal, Quebec, chairman; Mr. J. Ronald Longstaffe, Vancouver, British Columbia, vice-chairman; Mr. Allan Bronfman, Montreal, Quebec; Mrs. Nina Cohen, Glace Bay, Nova Scotia; Mrs. Phyllis George, Moncton, New Brunswick; Mr. George W. P. Heffelfinger, Winnipeg, Manitoba; Mr. Kiyoshi Izumi, Regina, Saskatchewan; Dr. Amiot Jolicœur, Ste. Foy, Quebec; M^{me} C. Marcoux-Baillargeon, Montreal, Quebec; Mr. David Spurgeon, Toronto, Ontario; Professor G. S. Vickers, Toronto, Ontario; Dr. J. Tuzo Wilson, Toronto, Ontario; and, *ex officio*, Mr. Jean Boucher, Director of the Canada Council, and Dr. W. G. Schneider, President of the National Research Council.

3. Not applicable.

4. (a) Yes. (b) No.

5. Mr. Charles J. Mackenzie has been appointed Secretary General of the National Museums of Canada; under the act; the directors of the museums are to be appointed by the governor in council on the recommendation of the board of trustees.