Questions

NATIONAL DEFENCE—PURCHASE OF HOMES AS A RESULT OF CLOSURE OF CFB, GIMLI.

Question No. 1.628-Mr. Rowland:

What is the total cost, actual and projected, to the government, of purchasing private dwellings and compensating for early termination of long-term rental agreements resulting from the closure of CFB Gimly?

Hon. Donald S. Macdonald (Minister of National Defence): The purchase of 44 private dwellings at CFB Gimli was approved in the amount of \$419,000. It is anticipated that the cost to the Crown will not exceed \$200,000. Sale of the properties through Crown Assets Disposal Corporation also will reimburse the Crown in part for the purchases. A long term rental agreement will be assigned or terminated when negotiations with the owner have been completed.

POST OFFICE—PARRSBORO, NOVA SCOTIA

Question No. 1,634-Mr. Coates:

1. What is the present staff, permanent and part-time, at the Post Office at Parrsboro, Nova Scotia?

2. Will the staff be increased when the new Post Office is operative and, if so, by how many?

Hon. Jean-Pierre Côté (Postmaster General): 1. (a) Permanent, 4; (b) part-time, 1.

2. No.

DEFENCE RESEARCH BOARD GRANTS TO PRIVATE INDUSTRY

Question No. 1,649-Mr. Broadbent:

- 1. What programs of the Defence Research Board provide grants, subsidies and other cash incentives to private industry?
- 2. What amount was provided to industry through each program in each of the past five years?
- 3. What amount, by program, has gone to each of the five major regions of Canada in the same years?

Hon. Donald S. Macdonald (Minister of National Defence): 1. The Defence Research Board provides contributions to private industry under the terms and conditions of the Defence Industrial Research Program.

2. 1966-67, \$4,689,452; 1967-68, \$4,483,705; 1968-69, \$4,285,-618; 1969-70, \$4,012,722; 1970-71, \$4,479,251.

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British Columbia		\$ Nil	\$ 3,178	\$ 101,975	\$ 116,768
Prairies	548,487 2,988,658	416,394 1,401,925	233,932 2,848,530	78,337 2,682,150	97,976 2,749,343
Quebec	1,152,307	2,665,386 Nil	1,199,987 Nil	1,150,260 Nil	1,515,164 Nil
Total	\$4,689,452	\$4,483,705	\$4,285,618	\$4,012,722	\$4,479,251

CANADA MANPOWER CENTRES—JOB PLACEMENTS

Question No. 1,670-Mr. Orlikow:

- 1. How many job placements were made by the Canada Manpower Centres (excluding casuals) in 1966-67, 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70 and 1970-71, in each province and territory?
- 2. How many job placements were made by the former National Employment Service or its successor (excluding casuals) in 1964-65 and 1965-66, in each province and territory?

Hon. Otto E. Lang (Minister of Manpower and Immigration): The attached table provides Department of Manpower and Immigration statistics on placements, excluding casuals, by province for the fiscal years 1970-1971, 1969-1970, 1968-1969, 1967-1968, 1966-1967 and National Employment Service statistics for the fiscal years 1965-1966 and 1964-1965. Placement data for the Northwest Territories and the Yukon are listed for the years 1970-1971 and 1969-1970. For the fiscal years prior to 1969-1970, the Northwest Territories are consolidated with Alberta and the Yukon is consolidated with British Columbia.