

Questions

B. The estimated share of capital costs for full colour programming English network only, is of the order of \$30,000,000. This is a planning figure only extended to 1971-72. It is necessarily a somewhat arbitrary estimate because most capital colour facilities will be shared by C.B.C.'s national, regional and local program services and by English and French services at some locations. The C.B.C. has not been authorized to enter colour to the foregoing extent but colour requirements have necessarily been estimated in all plans for consolidation and replacement of equipment. The English network's share of these proposals and of the \$15,000,000 in A is included in the estimate.

PUBLIC SERVICE PERSONNEL

Question No. 125—Mr. Caouette:

1. As of March 31, 1963, and March 31, 1965, how many persons were in the public service of Canada under the civil service?

2. As of March 31, 1963, and March 31, 1965, what was the total amount of salaries paid to persons belonging to the public service of Canada and coming under the civil service?

[Translation]

Mr. Jean-Charles Cantin (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Trade and Commerce): 1. Salaried employment in departments and departmental corporations of the government of Canada totalled 162,715 at March 31, 1963 and 164,554 at March 31, 1965.

2. Salaried payroll in departments and departmental corporations of the government of Canada totalled \$61,448,000 for the month of March 1963 and \$67,297,000 for the month of March 1965.

Civil Service employment under the Civil Service Act is not available for March 31, 1963. However, such employment at September 30, 1963, totalled 136,140 and at March 31, 1965, the total of such employment was 137,740. No associated payroll data are available.

CIVIL SERVICE PERSONNEL

Question No. 182—Mr. Laprise:

1. At the end of the year 1965, how many civil servants were in the employ of the federal government in (a) Canada, and (b) abroad?

2. How much did the government spend in 1965 for the services of these civil servants in (a) Canada, and (b) abroad?

Mr. Jean-Charles Cantin (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Trade and Commerce): 1. At October 31, 1965, salaried employment in departments and departmental corporations of the government of Canada numbered (a) 164,129 in Canada and (b) 3,199 abroad.

[Miss LaMarsh.]

2. The payroll of these government employees amounted to (a) \$70,751,000 for those employed in Canada and (b) \$1,320,000 for those employed abroad.

Civil Service employment under the Civil Service Act is not available at October 31, 1965. However, at September 30, 1965, the numbers employed were (a) 138,280 in Canada and (b) 1,350 abroad. No associated payroll data are available.

[English]

COMPARISON OF IMPRISONMENT RATES

Question No. 199—Mr. Hopkins:

How does the rate of imprisonment in Canada compare with that prevailing in other Western countries?

Mr. Jean-Charles Cantin (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Trade and Commerce): Comparable statistics are not available to permit a valid comparison between Canada and other western countries.

BENEFITS TO CANADIAN MEMBERS OF UN FORCES

Question No. 201—Mr. Groos:

1. What special pay or extra benefits are granted to members of the Canadian armed forces for service overseas with the United Nations forces?

2. Are members of the armed forces of Canada who have served with the United Nations forces overseas entitled to benefits under the Veterans Land Act?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State): I am informed by the Departments of National Defence and Veterans Affairs as follows:

1. Members of the Canadian armed forces do not receive special pay for service overseas with the United Nations. Special allowances are, however, payable for such service, apart from normal rates of pay and allowances, as follows:

A. I. United Nations military observer group—India Pakistan (UNMOGIP). II. United Nations India Pakistan observer mission (UNIPOM). Allowances for both U.N. operations are as follows: (a) Foreign allowance—pursuant to the Queen's regulations and orders—ranging from \$9.00 per month for a private to \$37.50 per month for a colonel. (b) United Nations living allowance—All ranks—\$14 per diem if posted to New Delhi, Srinigar, Rawalpindi, Karachi or Lahore. \$11 per diem if posted to any other location. (c) Clothing allowance—paid by the United Nations' paymaster in accordance with the United Nations Sealed Administrative Handbook for field operations. UNMOGIP—\$200—