293. Return showing:—

1. At what date did the government expropriate the lands required for the construction of the munition plant at Saint Paul l'Ermite?

2. How many parcels of land have been expropriated for the construction of

the munition plant at Saint Paul l'Ermite?

3. How many owners have been affected by such expropriation?

4. How many persons have been awarded compensation as a result of such

expropriation?

5. How many persons have not yet been awarded any compensation as a result of such expropriation; (a) what are their names; (b) for what reasons?

294. Return showing:

 What was the total quantity, in gallons, of ice cream produced in 1943?
What amount of, (a) sugar; (b) butter-fat; (c) gelatine, was used in the manufacture of ice cream during the years 1943?

3. Is sugar and gelatine used in the production of glycerine and explosives?

295. Return showing:—

1. What was the total amount of money spent by the federal, provincial and municipal governments for the purpose of relief during each of the years 1930 to 1940 inclusive?

2. What was the federal government's share of this expense in each of

these years to each province?

3. Are the provinces considered to be in debt to the federal government for

these advances?

4. If so, how much has each province paid, and how much is still owing by each province?

296. Return showing:-

1. Did the government, since January, 1940, appoint guards or officers at St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary?

2. If so, how many were appointed during the years 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943

and 1944?

3. What are the names of these guards or officers, and their respective places

of residence? 4. Was the appointment of these guards or officers recommended by other persons than the Minister of Justice, and if so, who are these persons?

297. Return showing:

- 1. What amount of money has been spent each year by the government in supplying sporting equipment goods of all kinds to soldiers, (a) the forces in Great Britain; (b) Italy, Africa and other fronts; (c) camps of the various forces in Canada; (d) prisoners of war overseas; (e) all other theatres of war overseas? 2. Is this work under government control, and is there any duplication?
- 298. Return to an Order of the House of March 27, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the National Catholic Lay Committee and the government for the purpose of pushing forward at the earliest possible date the building of chapels for the spiritual ministrations of our armed forces whether of the army, the navy or the air force.
- 299. How much has been paid to Mr. S. T. Shabbits by the Canadian Farm Loan Board, (a) as salary; (b) expenses, since his appointment?