

(b) My answer to the first question is no, because the grant is paid on the present value of the property shown on the municipal assessment roll. Now the municipality's assessment roll now in force was made in 1953 and came into force in 1954 (See sub-titles 1 and 2 in the index). At the time that roll was made, no mention was made of assessment of in-existent buildings, that is, buildings which had been demolished. In the figures furnished by the undersigned to the F.D.C. for assessment purposes to be used in arriving at the grant, the buildings on the following properties are not mentioned:

<i>Former owners:</i>	<i>Purchase dates:</i>	<i>Description:</i>
Thomas Brazeau.....	May 1940	Prt of lot 37, con. 1
Osc. Beaudoin G. Dion.....	June 1940	Prts of lot 38, con. 1
Thos. Damasse Martineau.....	June 1940	Part of lot 40, con. 1
Pat Joly.....	May 1945	Parts of lots 25-26-27, con. 1
Thomas Renaud.....	Oct. 1946	Lots 54-55, con. 1
Ludger Sylvestre.....	Oct. 1946	Part of lot 48, con. 1
Mme Olyme Gauthier.....	Oct. 1946	Lot 21-prt 22, con. 1
Thomas Maloney.....	Nov. 1946	Lot 47, con. 1
A. S. Brady.....	Feb. 1947	Lot 51, con. 1
J. P. Chartrand.....	April 1947	49-50-Prt 48, con. 1
Damas Brunet.....	June 1947	44-45-46, con. 1
Michel Renaud.....	Oct. 1947	20-Prt 19, con. 1
Albert Philippe.....	Oct. 1947	Prts 50-51, con. 1
Rugg. E. McNair.....	April 1948	13a-14a-15 con. 1 & Prt 15, con. 2
Alice Brady.....	May 1948	Prt 52, con. 2
J. O. Helie.....	June 1948	7a-Prt 8, con. 1
Roger D. Brown.....	Aug. 1948	2C-3C, con. 1
Wm. Jane Dougherty.....	Sept. 1948	10b-11b-11a-12 con. 1 & 12-13, con. 2
Thomas Renaud.....	Oct. 1949	Prt 56-Prt 57, con. 1
J. M. Thérien H. Routliffe.....	Oct. 1949	53, con. 1
Wm. J. Brown.....	Jan. 1951	7, con. 2
Henri Renaud.....	May 1952	56, con. 2

Besides those properties, the buildings of which were demolished, there are a number whose buildings have been largely demolished. For example, the assessment of the farm buildings of Mr. Dalton Kennedy was \$1,400 at the time the assessment roll was made up in 1947. In the 1953 municipal assessment, it dropped to \$200, a decrease of \$1,200 owing to the partial demolition of his farm buildings at the time of the last assessment. I could quote several other similar examples.

I have not personally seen most of those demolished buildings, but a description of the contracts of sale at the Maniwaki Registry Office indicates that those buildings existed at the time of sale.