

this in short order and to pass it quickly, even before we recess next week?

Mr. Pinard: Madam Speaker, I will check the hunch of my hon. colleague.

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PRIVILEGE

MR. HNATYSHYN—ALLEGED INTRUSION ON RIGHTS OF MEMBERS—RULING BY MADAM SPEAKER

Madam Speaker: There is a matter pending before the House and that is a ruling that I should like to make concerning the question of privilege raised by the hon. member for Saskatoon West (Mr. Hnatyshyn). I heard his argument and I think I am able to rule on that question of privilege now.

The hon. member was arguing a very hypothetical situation. The will of the House certainly had not been expressed; therefore it could not have been crossed. Consequently, I do not think he has a prima facie question of privilege.

Mr. Nielsen: Madam Speaker, I have a very brief point of order. I believe there is a question of privilege on which the Chair reserved its ruling because the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development might want to refer to it. In view of the rapidity with which ministerial offices are being established in Yukon by the Secretary of State, the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources, and perhaps next an embassy by the Secretary of State for External Affairs, I do not want to appear to be rushing the Chair but perhaps a ruling might prevent any further proliferation of this practice.

Madam Speaker: I have some rulings ready. One is on that particular matter and there is another question which has been raised. I will rule on them tomorrow. I have several rulings for the House but I thought I would not occupy the time of the House more than need be. I will probably rule tomorrow on those questions.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[Translation]

TRANSPORT

Fifth report of Standing Committee on Transport—Mr. Dionne (Northumberland-Miramichi):

[Editor's Note: For text of above report, see today's Votes and Proceedings.]

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Order Paper Questions

STATISTICS

TABLING OF LIST OF CENSUS COMMISSIONERS

Hon. J.-J. Blais (Minister of Supply and Services): Madam Speaker, I would like to table the list of commissioners for the census which will take place on June 3, 1981.

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JUSTICE

TABLING OF GUIDE CANADIEN DE RÉDACTION LÉGISLATIVE FRANÇAISE

Mr. Ron Irwin (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Justice and Minister of State for Social Development): Madam Speaker, under the provisions of Standing Order 41(2), I have the pleasure to table the *Guide canadien de rédaction législative française*.

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QUESTIONS ON THE ORDER PAPER

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

Mr. D. M. Collenette (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Madam Speaker, the following questions will be answered today: Nos. 1,936, 2,021, 2,023, 2,068 to 2,070 inclusively, 2,145, 2,161, 2,241 and 2,265.

I ask, Madam Speaker, that the remaining questions be allowed to stand.

[Text]

SPACE RESEARCH BUDGETS

Question No. 1,936—**Mr. Herbert:**

Which departments, corporations or agencies maintain space research programs and what is the budget of each for the current fiscal year?

Mr. Roger Simmons (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of State for Science and Technology and Minister of the Environment): In so far as the Ministry of State for Science and Technology is concerned:

Space Research Budgets, FY 80-81

	Space Research (millions)	Space Budget (millions)
National Research Council	\$20.958	\$20.958
Communications	10.50	35.415
Environment	0.85	2.30
Energy, Mines and Resources	0.50	9.608
Transport	0.23	0.23
Fisheries and Oceans	0.50	0.50
National Defence	4.70	8.49
Industry, Trade and Commerce	3.70	3.70
NSERC	0.55	0.55
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