

Bill No. 223 for the relief of Ronald John Park.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 224 for the relief of Gloria Avon Roland.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 225 for the relief of Gilberto (Albert) Belmonte.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 226 for the relief of Mildred Lillian Flude.—Mr. Smith (York North).

Bill No. 227 for the relief of Pauline Joan Hyde Murphy.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 228 for the relief of Alsye Mae Lissemore Lawrence.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 229 for the relief of Jessie Leonard Simpson Clunie.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 230 for the relief of Fern Catherine Kerr Ekins.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 231 for the relief of Lilly Elizabeth Ingborg Lindfors Crowhurst.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 232, for the relief of Romeo Richard.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 233, for the relief of Charles Augustus Dolling.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 234, for the relief of Charles Frederick McDowall.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 235, for the relief of Woolf (Robert) Cook.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 236, for the relief of Adele Brown Kerkofsky.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 237, for the relief of Ellen Heathcote Taschereau.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 238, for the relief of Molly Marcovitch Schwartz.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 239, for the relief of Betty Gertrude Bernstein Schreiber.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 242, for the relief of Margaret Joan Anstey Steven Hyslop.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 243, for the relief of Elly Zahn Kaminsky.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 244, for the relief of Naomi Joan Williamson Cantlie.—Mr. Casselman.

Bill No. 245, for the relief of Matilda Jane Cumming.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 246, for the relief of Agnes Dowd Brown.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 247, for the relief of Ursula Catherine Tetreau Black.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 248, for the relief of Eleanor Edith McKechnie Martineau.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 249, for the relief of Jack Wallis.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 250, for the relief of Evelyn Margaret Morrison Cryer.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 251, for the relief of Frances Eileen Scribner Mackay.—Mr. Maybank.

Bill No. 252, for the relief of Irene Laflamme Kattas.—Mr. Maybank.

PORT ALBERNI HARBOUR

PROVISION FOR INCORPORATION OF COMMISSIONERS

Hon. LIONEL CHEVRIER (Minister of Transport) moved the first reading of Bill No. 240 (from the senate), to incorporate the Port Alberni harbour commissioners.

Motion agreed to and bill read the first time.

OTTAWA ELECTRIC RAILWAY

PROVISION FOR SUBDIVISION OF SHARES, ETC.

Mr. W. M. BENIDICKSON (Kenora-Rainy River) moved the first reading of Bill No. 241 (from the senate), respecting the Ottawa Electric Railway Company.

Motion agreed to and bill read the first time.

QUESTIONS

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk).

INCOME TAX—NUMBER OF PERSONS IN CERTAIN BRACKETS

Mr. NICHOLSON:

During each of the last ten years for which complete returns are available, how many persons in Canada, after paying dominion income taxes, had net incomes (a) in excess of \$25,000 per year; (b) \$10,000 to \$25,000 per year; (c) \$5,000 to \$10,000 per year; (d) \$2,500 to \$5,000 per year; (e) \$1,000 to \$2,500 per year?

Mr. McCANN: Information of the nature requested can only be provided for 1941 and subsequent years and is only complete for the years 1941 and 1942. As the figures are derived from statistics relating to taxpayers there is an unavoidable understatement in the lowest income classes due to the exemption levels applying to married taxpayers which were \$1,500 in 1941 and \$1,200 in 1942. Married persons with incomes below these levels would not be included. Subject to this important reservation, the requested figures are contained in the following estimated table:

| Income After Tax | Estimated Number of Taxpayers | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| | 1941 | 1942 |
| Over \$25,000 | 621 | 558 |
| \$10,000-\$25,000 | 5,005 | 5,771 |
| 5,000- 10,000 | 27,373 | 32,178 |
| 2,500- 5,000 | 105,896 | 192,357 |
| 1,000- 2,500 | 567,114 | 1,166,826 |

IMMIGRATION

Mr. CASTLEDEN:

1. How many applications have been received from individuals in each of the provinces for admission of relatives in Europe to Canada since September 30, 1945?