NOTICE PAPER

Inquiries of Ministry—On Wednesday next

No. 525-Mr. Winch-October 23

1. What was the total federal government expenditure on the development of the Avro Arrow plane and how many were test flown before cancellation of the program?

2. What was the total federal government expenditure on research and production on the armoured carrier known as the Bob-Cat?

3. What has been the cost to the federal government of endeavouring to produce a hydrofoil craft suitable for defence and anti-submarine purposes?

4. With reference to Parts 1, 2 and 3, on a particularized answer, was work stopped for the reason of (a) lack of funds (b) failure of prototype tests (c) a country, or other countries, overcoming and surpassing Canada in its experimentation and results (d) failure to obtain overseas interest and sales in the event of successful completion of experimentation and production of a prototype?

5. With reference to the federal expenditures on the Avro Arrow, Bob-Cat and hydrofoil craft, did the government have prior consultation with any other government, or have a joint working and financial agreement and, if so, with what country and on what research and production endeavour?

No. 526-Mr. Nielsen-October 23

1. How many employees are employed by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation in connection with the operation of the C.B.C. Northern Service in the Yukon (a) in Whitehorse (b) in Ottawa or elsewhere, and what is the name, position and salary of each such employee?

2. (a) What was the cost of the operation of the C.B.C. Northern Service in the Yukon for each of the years since its establishment (b) what was the cost of such operation in the Northwest Territories for each of such years?

3. What was the cost of the establishment of the "Frontier Package" in Yellowknife, N.W.T., and what is the estimated annual cost of operation?

4. (a) When is it intended to establish such "Frontier Package" in the Yukon (b) upon the establishment of television services in the Yukon, what communities will be served (c) what is the estimated cost of the establishment of the "Frontier Package" in the Yukon and the anticipated annual cost of operation?

No. 527-Mr. McQuaid-October 23

1. Has the government any immediate plans for the construction of either a maximum or minimum security penal institution in Prince Edward Island?