

*Inquiries of the Ministry*

gentleman now inform the house whether the inquiry has been completed and, if so, when the report will be available?

**Hon. Roger Teillet (Minister of Veterans Affairs):** First, a correction. I am sure the slip was not intended by the hon. member, but the chairman of the committee is Mr. Justice Wood. I do not have a recent report, but I believe the hearings are completed. However, I will inquire and inform the hon. member at a later date.

**AIR TRANSPORT****CHANGE IN REGULATIONS RESPECTING AIR CORRIDORS ACROSS ATLANTIC**

On the orders of the day:

**Mr. Colin Cameron (Nanaimo-Cowichan-The Islands):** My question is directed to the Minister of Transport. Can the soft hearted minister inform the house whether he has yet received a report of the unanimous vote of the International Federation of Airline Pilots' Associations to reject the recent narrowing of the north Atlantic air corridors from 120 to 90 nautical miles. If so, can he tell the house whether the government intends to take any action in support of this unanimous objection by all the pilots of the non-communist world?

**Hon. J. W. Pickersgill (Minister of Transport):** I am aware of the representations, but I am not in a position to make any announcement about the attitude of the government.

**INQUIRY AS TO REPORT ON CIVIL AVIATION**

On the orders of the day:

**Mr. Stanley Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre):** Mr. Speaker, I wish to direct a question to the Minister of Transport. Has the minister yet received the Wheatcroft report on civil aviation in Canada, and has this report been made public?

**Hon. J. W. Pickersgill (Minister of Transport):** I have received from Mr. Wheatcroft the advice which I asked him to give me some time ago. As to whether it would be desirable to make this document public, I shall have to think about it.

**Mr. Knowles:** Are the terms of this report playing any part in the thinking of the government regarding Air Canada and Canadian Pacific Airlines flying on transcontinental routes?

**Mr. Pickersgill:** Well, that was the subject matter of the report.

[Mr. Loney.]

**EDUCATION****INQUIRY AS TO APPOINTMENT OF ROYAL COMMISSION**

On the orders of the day:

**Mr. Robert McCleave (Halifax):** I have a question for the Prime Minister. Has the government decided to appoint a royal commission on higher education?

**Right Hon. L. B. Pearson (Prime Minister):** No, Mr. Speaker.

**COAL****INQUIRY AS TO REPORT ON ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

On the orders of the day:

**Mr. Robert Muir (Cape Breton North and Victoria):** My question was for the minister of mines but in his absence I will direct it to the acting minister. May I ask whether, when the Donald report is received, it will be made public?

**Hon. Arthur Laing (Acting Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys):** I will take that question as notice.

**ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE****REQUEST FOR STATEMENT ON PAROLE SYSTEM REVISION**

On the orders of the day:

**Mr. Reid Scott (Danforth):** I wish to ask the Solicitor General a question. A week or more ago I asked the hon. gentleman about a statement promised by his predecessor with regard to government policy on probation and changes in other such fields. In reply he told us this question would be answered during the course of the debate on capital punishment. Does this undertaking still hold, and will a statement be made?

**Hon. L. T. Pennell (Solicitor General):** If I recollect correctly I stated that the points raised during the debate would be met. The debate is continuing, and if these points are directed to my attention I will undertake to deal with them, to the best of my ability.

**TRANS-CANADA HIGHWAY****NEWFOUNDLAND—REPORTED WORDING OF ROAD SIGNS**

On the orders of the day:

**Mr. H. W. Herridge (Kootenay West):** I wish to direct a question to the Minister of