

Questions

employment Insurance Commission and the Department of Manpower and Immigration as follows: 1. The total of active benefit claims on January 31 of each year were: (a) 1969, 6,687; (b) 1970, 5,946; (c) 1971, 7,003.

2. The total amount of Unemployment Insurance Benefits paid in the month of January each year was: (a) 1969, \$691,818; (b) 1970, \$719,114; (c) 1971, \$730,142.

3. The number of claimants who failed to qualify for benefit by reason of insufficient contributions to the fund during each month were: (a) October, 1970, 48; (b) November, 1970, 223; (c) December, 1970, 2377; (d) January, 1971, 949.

4. 2,086 full-time trainees in both skill and educational upgrading courses.

5. \$412,224 was paid in training allowances during January, 1971 to trainees in Prince Edward Island.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINES AND RESOURCES—INCOME DERIVED FROM COMPUTER SERVICES

Question No. 1,092—Mr. Robinson:

What income, if any, is derived from the computer services provided by the Department of Energy, Mines and Resources (a) from other departments (b) from sale or services to industry (c) to provincial government departments (d) to municipalities?

Hon. J. J. Greene (Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources): The Department of Energy, Mines and Resources does not provide computer services to: (a) other departments; (b) industry; (c) provincial governments; (d) municipalities.

SASKATCHEWAN—SECOND NATIONAL PARK

Question No. 1,231—Mr. Southam:

Has a site for Saskatchewan's second National Park been definitely established and negotiations completed between the federal and provincial governments and, if so, on what date will the development work commence on this project?

Hon. Jean Chrétien (Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development): No site for a second National Park in Saskatchewan has been definitely established. Discussions are continuing between Saskatchewan and the Federal Government to this end, however, and no development work will commence until an agreement is reached.

WOOD BUFFALO NATIONAL PARK—TIMBER BERTHS

Question No. 1,238—Mr. Harding:

1. In Wood Buffalo National Park, how many timber leases are currently in force (a) when was each lease granted (b) what is its termination date (c) what is the acreage involved (d) who holds the lease?

2. (a) What was the total revenue received from these leases for each of the past five fiscal years (b) what was the total timber cut involved?

3. (a) Who is responsible for reforestation on the leased areas (b) has any replanting of cut-over areas been carried out and, if so, by whom and in what amounts for each of the past five years?

Hon. Jean Chrétien (Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development): Three timber cutting agree-

[Mr. Jerome.]

ments are currently in force in Wood Buffalo National Park: (a) Timber Berth No. 367, June 8, 1955; Timber Berth No. 378, January 11, 1956; Timber Berth No. 408, May 24, 1956. (b) Timber Berth No. 367, July 31, 1972; Timber Berth No. 378, May 31, 1975; Timber Berth No. 408, July 31, 1981, with provision for one 21-year renewal. (c) Timber Berth No. 367, 13.4 square miles; Timber Berth No. 378, 26 square miles; Timber Berth No. 408, 216 square miles; (d) Swanson Lumber Co., Ltd., 600 Bentall Building, 10180—102 Street, Edmonton 15, Alberta.

2. (a) 1970, \$23,208.16; 1969, \$25,301.01; 1968, \$21,928.63; 1967, \$18,745.55; 1966, \$14,248.59. (b) 90,475,021 FBM.

3. (a) Natural regeneration. (b) No.

GLACIER NATIONAL PARK—TIMBER BERTH

Question No. 1,241—Mr. Harding:

Have all the titles to private timber berths in Glacier National Park been transferred to the Crown and, if so (a) who was the previous owner of each (b) what was the acreage involved (c) what was the amount paid for the holdings purchased?

Hon. Jean Chrétien (Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development): Yes. (a) Previous owners of each were: (i) Kicking Horse Forest Products Co. Ltd., in Golden, B.C. holding cutting licences for Timber Berths Nos. 40, 292, 328, 329 and 342; (ii) Selkirk Spruce Mills Co. Ltd., Donald, B.C., Timber Berth No. 117. (b) The acreage involved was approximately 31.85 square miles. (c) The amount paid for the purchases was \$2,943,032.

GRANTS UNDER REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES ACT

Question No. 1,245—Mr. MacGuigan:

Have any individuals, firms or companies received more than one grant under the Regional Economic Expansion Programme and, if so, which ones?

Mr. Martin P. O'Connell (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Regional Economic Expansion): Yes; under the Regional Development Incentives Act and the Government Organization Act (1969), the following firms have accepted more than one offer: Bruck Mills Ltd., Canadian International Paper Co., Chemcell Limited, Dominion Textile Ltd., Ecstall Mining Ltd., Green Lantern Wholesalers Ltd., Lakeside Farm Industries, L. E. Shaw Ltd., McCain Foods Ltd., Moore Business Forms Ltd., Murdock Lumber Co., National Sea Products Ltd., Noranda Mines Ltd., Ocean Harvesters Ltd., Red Earth Lumber Co. Ltd., Stanfield's Limited, Sydney Steel Corporation, and United Sawmill Co.

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND CORPORATE AFFAIRS—INCOME DERIVED FROM COMPUTER SERVICES

Question No. 1,258—Mr. Robinson:

What income, if any, is derived from the computer services provided by the Department of Consumer and Corporate Af-