

Order Paper Questions

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PROJECTS UNDER PACLE PROGRAMME, 1973-74

Question No. 410—**Mr. Lambert (Bellechasse):**

1. During 1973-74, how many projects were submitted under the PACLE Programme for the creation of local employment (a) in total (b) by province?
2. In which constituencies were they submitted?
3. What amount was granted to each project?
4. What was the total amount spent under this Programme?

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PUBLIC SERVICE—NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM FRANCE
EMPLOYED, 1964-73

Question No. 418—**Mr. Jones:**

1. How many persons from France (a) held positions or were employed in the government from the years 1964 to 1973 (b) presently hold positions or are employed in the government and (i) of these, how many were or are employed in lieu of serving in military service in France (ii) what are the names of such persons (iii) in what departments did they or do now hold positions (iv) what were their salaries (v) for how long a period were they so employed?
2. What other countries have similar arrangements?
3. What departments and which Minister or Ministers are responsible for the conduct and operation of such programmes?

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LIST OF GOVERNMENT AGENCIES LOCATED IN HULL SINCE
1968

Question No. 466—**Mr. Cossitt:**

What is the complete list of all government agencies, offices or establishments that have been located or expanded in whole or in part in the area of Hull, Quebec and in the surrounding counties since April 20, 1968 and, in each case, what is the name of the highest ranking government official involved in decisions bringing about such location?

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PUBLIC SERVICE—NUMBER OF RESIDENTS OF THE PROVINCE
OF QUEBEC EMPLOYED IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Question No. 962—**Mr. Jones:**

1. How many residents of the Province of Quebec have moved to take up positions in New Brunswick with the Public Service or Crown corporations in each year 1970 to 1974 respectively and, of these (a) how many were new employees (b) how many were transferred or posted?
2. (a) What positions were involved (b) where were the positions located (c) what were the salaries?
3. For what reason were persons from the Province of New Brunswick not used for these positions?

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Mr. Broadbent: On a point of order, Mr. Speaker, I wonder if the parliamentary secretary would be so good as to inform us which ministers of the cabinet have not been doing their work this week.

[Mr. Hnatyshyn.]

MOTIONS FOR PAPERS

[Translation]

Mr. John M. Reid (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): Mr. Speaker, I would ask that all notices of motions be allowed to stand.

Mr. Speaker: Shall notices of motions be allowed to stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

ORAL QUESTION PERIOD

[English]

THE CANADIAN ECONOMY

INFLATION—OBJECTIVE OF AND RESPONSIBILITY FOR
PROGRAM SEEKING CONSENSUS OF VARIOUS GROUPS

Hon. Robert L. Stanfield (Leader of the Opposition): Mr. Speaker, I will direct my question to the Acting Prime Minister in the absence of the Prime Minister who, I believe is leaving for Europe where he will remain until the middle of March. I, of course, wish him a pleasant and successful trip.

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Stanfield: In view of the statement by the Acting Prime Minister—

Some hon. Members: Hear, hear!

Mr. Stanfield: Mr. Speaker, I think that is the shortest trip the Prime Minister has ever made. I will not repeat my good wishes. I expect they have been related to the Prime Minister by the government House leader. My question is with regard to the mysterious program of consensus toward inflationary restraint. The other day the government House leader told us that if it is under any general direction, it is under the direction of the Prime Minister. During the time the Prime Minister is in Europe, from now until the middle of March, will he be giving this program general direction from there or has he reached a consensus with the Minister of Finance?

Right Hon. P. E. Trudeau (Prime Minister): Mr. Speaker, I thank the Leader of the Opposition for his good wishes. I believe this is an important trip from the Canadian point of view and that domestically it is important that we protect our markets there and seek co-operation in all the areas I will be discussing. Insofar as the fight against inflation is concerned, yes, Mr. Speaker, I have been in very close contact with the Minister of Finance. We were again discussing this very subject over the lunch hour. I feel very confident in his ability and the ability of my other ministers to continue this phase of the exploration while I am away.

Mr. Stanfield: Who will be responsible for pursuing these explorations in the Prime Minister's absence? Brief-