Questions

PORT HOOD CAUSEWAY, NOVA SCOTIA

Question No. 1,846—Mr. Muir (Cape Breton North and Victoria):

1. What progress is being made in regard to the completion of the Port Hood-Port Hood Island causeway?

2. When is it the intention of the government

to complete this project?

Hon. G. J. McIlraith (Minister of Public Works): 1. A Port Hood-Port Hood Island causeway if proceeded with would become part of the provincial highway system and therefore the project is a provincial responsibility.

2. Not applicable.

REPRODUCTION OF PAINTING OF FATHERS OF CONFEDERATION

Question No. 1,847-Mr. Dinsdale:

1. Has the Secretary of State been asked to approve of reproductions of the Rex Woods painting of the Fathers of Confederation which is to be hung in the parliament buildings, for display in government buildings across Canada?

2. If so, what decision has been reached?

Answer: 1. No.

2. Does not apply.

*SALARIES OF OFFICIALS ON BILINGUAL COURSES

Question No. 1,848-Mr. McCleave:

With regard to the answer to starred question No. 1.832, given to the house by the parliamentary secretary to the Prime Minister, is it the intention of the government to make full salary payments while senior officials are attending courses to promote or perfect their bilingualism?

Mr. John R. Matheson (Parliamentary Secretary to Prime Minister): Mr. Speaker, the answer is yes.

IMMIGRATION OFFICES IN WEST INDIES

Question No. 1,850-Mr. Dinsdale:

Following the recent Canadian-Caribbean commonwealth conference, is it the intention of the government to open immigration offices in the West Indies and, if so, where and when will these offices be established?

Mr. J. C. Munro (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Citizenship and Immigration): No. The question of Canada establishing an immigration office in the West Indies was not raised during the commonwealth Caribbean-Canada conference. With the present volume of applications, prospective immigrants in the Caribbean can be serviced as effectively, and at less cost, by travelling teams despatched from Canada.

[Mr. MacEachen.]

QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

C.B.C. EXPANSION COST

Question No. 1,029—Mr. Laprise:

- 1. How much money has the C.B.C. spent each year since 1955 for the expansion of (a) its radio network (b) its T.V. network (i) French (ii) English?
- 2. For each of these years, how much was spent in each province of Canada for extending (a) the radio network (b) the T.V. network (i) French (ii) English?

Return tabled.

CIVIL SERVICE SALARIES OVER \$11,000

Question No. 1,165-Mr. Sherman:

Within the federal civil service, by departments, for salary classifications of \$11,000 or more (a) how many positions existed on January 1, 1964 (b) how many were added during 1964 and during 1965 (c) how many new positions are provided for 1966 (d) where are they located (i) in Ottawa (ii) elsewhere, by provinces?

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AIRCRAFT AND SHIP CONSTRUCTION

Question No. 1,479—Mr. Godin:

As of April 1, 1966, were any ships and aircraft intended for use by Canada being built at that time in Canada or abroad and, if so (a) how many in each case (b) what is the cost of these ships (i) being built in Canada (ii) being built abroad (c) what is the cost of these aircraft (i) being built in Canada (ii) being built abroad?

Return tabled.

JUDGES APPOINTED TO INQUIRIES

Question No. 1,628-Mr. Fulton:

- 1. Since January 1, 1965, how many judges appointed under the provisions of the Judges Act and who were or are still serving as judges, have been appointed or nominated to commissions of inquiry, arbitrations, conciliations, or other similar boards or commissions (a) by the government of Canada (b) by provincial governments?
- 2. What is (a) the name of each such judge (b) the name of the board, commission or other body on which he is or was serving (c) the date of his appointment to such board, commission or other body (d) the date when such extra-judicial service was completed?

Return tabled.

ASSISTANCE TO PROVINCIAL ANTI-POLLUTION PROJECTS

Question No. 1,656-Mr. Coates:

Has any assistance been made available by the federal government toward anti-pollution projects initiated by provincial governments and. if so (a) what is the amount (b) what is the breakdown from a provincial point of view?

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