

period attracted the admiration of persons throughout the country. This recognition and admiration has been communicated to Mr. and Mrs. Cross by the government but compensation in the form of money was not felt appropriate. None has therefore been offered by the government.
(b) Not applicable.

WHEAT PAYMENTS

Question No. 354—**Mr. Diefenbaker:**

1. What was the total amount disbursed by the Wheat Board for final wheat payments for the 1970 crop year?
2. How many producers received payments in each of the Prairie Provinces?
3. In how many cases did the farmers receive no payment because the amount to which each was entitled was applied to the outstanding balance due by him as advanced payment?

Hon. Otto E. Lang (Minister of Justice): 1. \$74,456,984.

2. Manitoba: 33,509; Saskatchewan: 132,281; Alberta: 47,987.
3. 5,706.

FAMILY ALLOWANCE PLAN

Question No. 358—**Mr. Robinson:**

Under the new family allowance plan, what steps is the government considering whereby an individual who is ineligible according to his previous year's income tax return but who has subsequently become unemployed may claim allowances?

Net NHA Activity in the Western Part of Montreal Island, 1968-1971

Items	Montreal City, West Part ¹				Montreal North			
	Loans	Units	Hostel Beds	\$000	Loans	Units	Hostel Beds	\$000
Approved Lenders (Section 6).....	53	301	—	3,495	14	86	—	701
CMHC								
Home-Owner and Rental (Section 58).....	5	4	—	-28 ²	165	182	—	2,321
Low Rental (Section 15).....	5	145	497	6,767	4	799	104	9,571
Public Housing (Section 43).....	5	520	—	6,828	1	185	—	2,567
Total CMHC.....	15	769	497	13,567	170	1,166	104	14,459
TOTAL.....	68	1,070	497	17,062	184	1,252	104	15,160

¹North of the C.P.R. tracks and Outremont; west of D'Iberville St., Montreal North and the former St-Michel.

²Reduction and cancellation of loans approved in a previous year.

FREIGHT TRAIN SCHEDULES TO RIVERTON, MANITOBA

Question No. 401—**Mr. Rowland:**

1. What is the scheduled frequency of freight trains to Riverton, Manitoba?
2. If there is no scheduled frequency, what has been the average frequency per week of freight trains into Riverton over the past two years?
3. Over the past two years, has Riverton been without a freight train for a period of one week and, if so, on how many occasions?
4. Over the past two years, has Riverton been without a freight train for a period of more than one week and, if so, on how many occasions?

Mr. Gérard Duquet (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Transport): 1. No regularly scheduled service.

2. 1.4
3. Yes, 26 times.
4. Yes, 16 times.

SASKATCHEWAN COMPANIES UNDER JURISDICTION OF LABOUR STANDARDS BRANCH

Question No. 451—**Mr. Nystrom:**

1. How many companies in the Province of Saskatchewan fall under the jurisdiction of the Labour Standards Branch of the Canada Department of Labour?
2. How many such companies are there in the other provinces, excepting the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec if the figures are not readily available?

Questions

Hon. John C. Munro (Minister of National Health and Welfare): A person who becomes unemployed may have entitlement to Family Income Security Plan benefits based on an estimate of the reduced family income.

CMHC PAYMENTS FOR PROJECTS IN WESTERN PART OF MONTREAL ISLAND, 1968-71

Question No. 395—**Mr. Trudel:**

1. What projects has Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation financed in the constituency of Montreal-Bourassa since June 1968?
2. What projects has CMHC subsidized through the *Société d'habitation du Québec* since June, 1968 in the constituency of Montreal-Bourassa and what were the amounts involved in each case?

Hon. Ron Basford (Minister of State for Urban Affairs): 1. See table following. CMHC statistical data are not kept on the basis of federal electoral constituency, but are based on municipality, rural and urban, and on municipal county. The data in the attached table are, therefore, a close approximation to the constituency of Bourassa.

2. Subsidy payments made by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation to Quebec Housing Corporation for public housing projects have not yet included projects in the western part of Montreal Island. There are six projects with 705 units eligible for subsidy in that area.