

Orders for Returns

when they have a choice, between television programs of Canadian or United States origin and, if so (a) what were their findings (b) what percentage of the Canadian population already receives television programs originating from the United States?

Mr. Halpenny: Return tabled.

CROWN CORPORATIONS AND GOVERNMENT BOARDS

Question No. 960—Mr. Davis:

What crown corporations, government boards, and other similar government agencies, not directly under departmental authority, are actively functioning at the present time?

WINTER WORKS PROJECTS

Question No. 975—Mr. McMillan:

1. How many winter works projects have been approved, undertaken or completed during 1962 to date?

2. What is the total cost to the federal government?

3. What is the list of these projects, by municipalities, showing the allocation of costs for each project between the municipalities, federal government, and any provincial authority?

CARILLON DAM—FEDERAL RESPONSIBILITY

Question No. 981—Mr. Ethier:

1. Has the federal government title to any property fronting on the Ottawa river between the city of Ottawa and the Carillon dam?

2. Has the federal government any responsibility for lands fronting on the Ottawa river?

3. Did the federal government enter into any agreement with the governments of the provinces of Ontario and Quebec with respect to the Carillon dam development?

4. If so, has the federal government any financial responsibility for damage to property fronting on the Ottawa river resulting from operations connected with the Carillon dam development?

PLYWOOD PURCHASED FOR FORT ST. JOHN INDIAN AGENCY, B.C.

Question No. 997—Mr. Howard:

1. For each year during the past ten years, has any plywood been purchased for or sent to the Fort St. John Indian agency and, if so, how much, at what cost, and from whom was it purchased and to whom was it sent?

2. With respect to each such shipment or purchase, how much was used, by whom and for what purpose, and has any disappeared or not been used and, if so, how much in each case?

3. If any has "disappeared", what steps have been taken to locate it and deal with its "disappearance"?

WIRE FENCING PURCHASED FOR FORT ST. JOHN INDIAN AGENCY, B.C.

Question No. 998—Mr. Howard:

1. For each year during the past ten years, has any barbed or other type of wire or wire fencing been purchased for or sent to the Fort St. John Indian agency, and, if so, what volume of wire, by type, at what cost and from whom was it purchased, and to whom was it sent?

[Mr. Dube.]

2. With respect to each such shipment or purchase, how much was used, by whom and for what purpose, and has any "disappeared" or not been used and, if so, how much in each case?

3. If any has "disappeared" what steps have been taken to locate it and deal with its "disappearance"?

FARM MACHINERY PURCHASED FOR FORT ST. JOHN INDIAN AGENCY, B.C.

Question No. 999—Mr. Howard:

1. For each year during the past ten years, has any farm machinery been purchased for or sent to the Fort St. John Indian agency and, if so, how many of what types of machinery, and at what cost and from whom was it purchased, and to whom was it sent?

2. Was any instruction given to Indians in the said agency in the use of this machinery and, if so, to whom, by whom, and on what dates?

3. Has any of the machinery been put to use and, to what extent?

SAWS PURCHASED FOR FORT ST. JOHN INDIAN AGENCY, B.C.

Question No. 1,000—Mr. Howard:

1. For each year during the past ten years, has any power saw or saws been purchased for, or sent to, the Fort St. John Indian agency and, if so, what number, at what cost, and from whom were they purchased and to whom were they sent?

2. Do the records of the Indian agency or any other section of the Indian affairs branch indicate to whom each saw was provided and has any inquiry or investigation been made to determine whether or not the saws actually got into the possession of the person for whom each was destined, and, if so, what has been the result of that investigation and what action has been taken or is contemplated as a result thereof?

Mr. H. W. Herridge (Kootenay West): I rise on a point of privilege, Mr. Speaker. I have been informed that this is the first time in Canadian parliamentary history that a thousand questions have been asked in the period during which this house has sat. I understand that on a previous occasion some suggestion was made that there should be recognition of the hon. member who asked the thousandth question, and I rise to suggest that you give consideration to promoting an all party present to the hon. member for Skeena, in the form of a power saw.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

INDIA—INQUIRY AS TO MILITARY AID

On the orders of the day:

Hon. L. B. Pearson (Leader of the Opposition): Mr. Speaker, I should like to ask the Prime Minister—and I apologize for not giving him notice of this question, which has just come to my attention—whether he would care to comment on a report from India that the Indian government had asked Canada for winter clothing for her troops