Orders for Returns

Hon. Robert Stanbury (Minister without Portfolio): 1. The object of the "Federal presence" or "federalism" program is to encourage Canadians to take a more active part both in informing themselves on the nature and operation of social ond political structures of the country and in participating in their development. To this end, Information Canada, will produce some information through exhibitions, films and the printed word to focus thought on Canada, its regions, its people and its national institutions. It will also give any encouragement within its power to the federal service, to business and industry, voluntary organizations or individuals concerned with achieving a greater public awareness of Canadian identity.

2. No research projects in this field are under way. In course of preparation are: (a) a publication on how parliament works being written in consultation with representatives of all federal political parties; (b) a series of pamphlets on services of the federal government; (c) an animated film being produced by the National Film Board which touches on themes of government in a pluralistic society; (d) a series of exhibitions touching upon pluralism, the federal constitution and federal services.

QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

PUBLIC SERVICE—SALARY RANGE OF DEPUTY MINISTERS AND ASSISTANT DEPUTY MINISTERS

Question No. 78-Mr. Orlikow:

For each government department, Crown corporation or agency, what was the salary range of the Deputy Minister and Assistant Deputy Minister or the equivalent position, as of January 1, 1957, 1962, 1967, 1969, 1970?

Return tabled.

WHITE PAPERS PRODUCED SINCE JULY, 1968

Question No. 615-Mr. Howard (Skeena):

What number of White Papers have been prepared by the government and made public since July 1, 1968 and what is the name of each such Paper, the number of copies printed or otherwise reproduced and the cost of (a) so printing or otherwise reproducing, and (b) distributing each such Paper?

Return tabled.

FEDERAL GRANTS FOR SENIOR CITIZENS HOUSING

Question No. 882-Mr. Robinson:

1. What is the total amount provided by loans and/or grants toward senior citizens housing for each of the years 1960-70 inclusive?

2. Where is each project located and what was the amount of each grant and/or loan?

3. How many grants and/or loans wil be made in 1971 and 1972 and where is each project to be located?

Return tabled.

[Mr. Mather.]

GRAIN RECEIPT STABILIZATION PLAN

Question No. 1,020-Mr. Korchinski:

1. What were the total receipts under the Grain Receipts Policy in each year since 1956, including the estimate for 1970?

2. What was the average of the preceding 5 years in each case? 3. What was the payment for storage in each year, including the estimate for 1970?

4. On the basis of the proposal as set out on October 29, 1970 in the Grain Receipt Stabilization Plan, how much would the government treasury have contributed and in which years had the plan been in effect since 1956, including the estimate for 1970?

Return tabled.

PEI-TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

Question No. 1,076-Mr. Macquarrie:

1. How many full-time employees of the Government of Canada have had their employment terminated before retirement age in Prince Edward Island in the past twelve months?

2. What was the length of government service accumulated by each?

3. What was the age of each?

4. In how many cases was alternate employment offered (a) in what centres (b) at what rate?

5. For what reason or reasons were the services of the abovementioned public servants terminated?

Return tabled.

CIDA GRANTS TO FRANCOPHONE COUNTRIES

Question No. 1,077-Mr. Mazankowski:

Were any grants or loans made available by CIDA to francophone countries during the fiscal years 1967-68, 1968-69 and 1969-70 and, if so, (a) to which countries (b) in what amounts (c) for which projects?

Return tabled.

MOTION TO ADJOURN UNDER S.O. 26

THE CANADIAN ECONOMY

INADEQUACY OF GOVERNMENT POLICIES IN PROVIDING EMPLOYMENT ALLEGED BY MEMBER FOR DUVERNAY

Mr. G. W. Baldwin (Peace River): Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 26 I ask leave to move the adjournment of the House to discuss a specific and important matter requiring urgent consideration. This matter arises out of the statement made yesterday by the hon. member for Duvernay (Mr. Kierans), in further explanation of his resignation from the government, that the policies of the government are completely inadequate for the purpose of providing employment for the hundreds of thousands of people without jobs. The resignation of the hon. member and the reasons given by him for that resignation accentuate the urgency of an immediate debate.

Mr. Speaker: The hon. member for Peace River has filed with the Chair the notice required under Standing Order 26. In the brief statement which the hon. member

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