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proposed new salute; (b) the proposed salute is effected as follows:

- (1) To salute to the front, bend the right elbow and bring the right hand by the shortest route to the position at the headdress. (2) During the movement, the back of the hand is uppermost with the fingers together and straight. Continue the upward movement with the palm of the hand down. In the position of the salute, the fingers are extended, together, with the tip of the forefinger approximately in line with the right eyebrow, the upper arm (from shoulder to elbow) horizontal. The forearm, wrist and fingers are straight from the elbow to the point where the forefinger touches the cap. (3) To return to the position of attention, cut the hand to the side by the shortest route. The hand is closed after the forearm is lowered below shoulder level. The salute is held for a regulation pause before returning to the position of attention.
- (c) If considered acceptable and when authorized, all members of the Canadian forces will use a common salute.

DISTRIBUTION OF CENTENNIAL MEDALS

Question No. 849-Mr. Prittie:

- 1. Did all the members of the legislatures of all the provinces receive centennial medals?
- 2. Were centennial medals awarded to all members of civic governments (city councils, municipal councils, school boards, park commissions, etc.)?
- 3. If the answer to Part 2 is no, what criteria were used to determined which persons in civic government were awarded centennial medals?
- 4. Who, in each province, was given the responsibility for recommending the names of persons, elected or appointed, in civic government to receive centennial medals?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State): 1. Yes.

- 2. No.
- 3. By the terms of reference of the centennial medal, persons nominated for the medal must have given specially valuable service to Canada. Further criteria employed by public and private bodies submitting nominations are at the discretion of such bodies.
- 4. The government decorations committee formally requested the lieutenant-governor in each province to invite nominations through appropriate channels of provincial and civic governments. No further information is available about the recommending procedures followed.

BISSETT, MAN.-R.C.M.P. DETACHMENT

Question No. 851-Mr. Schreyer:

Has the Government of Canada received any representations in 1967 from the Government of Manitoba requesting the re-establishment of an R.C.M.P. Detachment at Bissett?

Hon. L. T. Pennell (Solicitor General): Answer in so far as it relates to the Department of the Solicitor General, is as follows: no.

"WAITING FOR CAROLINE"—EXPENDITURES ON C.B.C. PRODUCTION

Question No. 853—Mr. Howe (Wellington-Huron):

What was the total expenditure by the CBC for "Waiting for Caroline", a production on the national network, which was shown on Wednesday, November 29?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State): I am informed by the C.B.C. as follows: Final payments have not yet been made. The indicated total cost to C.B.C. is \$255,628.18.

LONDON, ENGLAND-PRESENCE OF CANADIAN TREASURY OFFICERS

Question No. 855-Mr. Godin:

Are there any Canadian Government Treasury Officers in London, England and, if so (a) what are their names (b) what are their duties (c) what are their annual salaries?

Hon. Mitchell Sharp (Minister of Finance): Yes; (a) J. S. Sutherland; C. A. Zimmerling; and a staff of 23 locally engaged clerical and stenographic employees; (b) To act on behalf of the Comptroller of the Treasury to control all payments out of the consolidated revenue fund on behalf of Canadian government departments in accordance with the provisions of the Financial Administration Act; (c) J. S. Sutherland, \$15,931 per annum. C. A. Zimmerling, \$7,433 per annum.

TRAVEL EXPENSES TO DOCTORS FROM FRENCH SPEAKING COUNTRIES

Question No. 856—Mr. Isabelle:

- 1. Did the federal government pay travel and residence expenses for certain delegations of doctors from some French-speaking countries in Africa and Asia at the time of the international congress of French-speaking doctors held in Montreal at the end of September, 1967?
- 2. If so (a) what countries were involved (b) what expenditures were incurred for each country?