

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS**

The following answers, deposited with the Clerk of the house, are printed in the official report of debates pursuant to standing order 39:

**UNPLACED WORK APPLICANTS, NEW BRUNSWICK**

**Question No. 148—Mr. Robichaud:**

1. What is the number of unplaced applicants for each employment service office in New Brunswick, for the most recent date for which such data is available?

2. What is the comparative figure for similar date in 1957 and 1958?

**Answer by: Hon. Michael Starr (Minister of Labour):**

Unplaced applicants registered at offices of the unemployment insurance commission's national employment service in the province of New Brunswick at February 5, 1959, the latest date for which data are available, and for the corresponding dates in 1958 and 1957, are as follows.

Unplaced applicants registered in national employment service offices in  
New Brunswick

| LO                    | 5 Feb. 1959 | 6 Feb. 1958 | 7 Feb. 1957 |
|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Bathurst . . . . .    | 6,962       | 7,188       | 5,884       |
| Campbellton . . . . . | 2,783       | 3,568       | 2,548       |
| Edmundston . . . . .  | 2,892       | 3,513       | 2,417       |
| Fredericton . . . . . | 2,530       | 2,834       | 2,063       |
| Minto . . . . .       | 709         | 1,071       | 656         |
| Moncton . . . . .     | 10,836      | 11,854      | 9,191       |
| Newcastle . . . . .   | 3,939       | 4,308       | 3,190       |
| Saint John . . . . .  | 3,142       | 3,831       | 2,546       |
| St. Stephen . . . . . | 2,363       | 2,661       | 1,714       |
| Sussex . . . . .      | 740         | 865         | 691         |
| Woodstock . . . . .   | 2,014       | 2,351       | 1,179       |

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It should be pointed out in connection with these figures that in 1959 certain fishery benefit claimants are excluded from the count of unplaced applicants. Such claimants were included in the 1958 counts. In order to render the 1958 figures comparable with those of 1959 (and also with those of 1957 when fishermen were not under unemployment insurance coverage) the number of fishing benefit claimants at February 6, 1958 for each local office has been estimated, and the 1958 figures reduced by these amounts.

DR. JACQUES ROUSSEAU

**Question No. 151—Mr. Argue:**

1. On what date was Dr. Jacques Rousseau examined by the civil service commission panel in connection with his application for the position as a director of the national museum of Canada?

2. What are the names of the persons who sat on this panel when examining Dr. Rousseau?

3. What position did each member of the panel who examined Dr. Rousseau hold at that time?

**Answer by: Hon. Ellen L. Fairclough (Minister of Citizenship and Immigration):**

1. July 20, 1956.

2. (a) R. G. Robertson, (b) Dr. W. Kaye Lamb, (c) J. E. McCannel.

3. (a) Deputy minister, Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources; (b) Dominion archivist and national librarian; (c) Personnel selection officer 7, civil service commission.

Mr. H. Hanmer, of the Canadian Legion, was in attendance as an observer.