

in that Province, and (a) if so, when will development start and where will it be located (b) if not, what are the reasons for the delay?

Mr. Yves Forest (Parliamentary Secretary to President of the Privy Council): The answer to the first part is, no, not applicable. Active negotiations are continuing for the acquisition of an area of shortgrass prairie in the Val Marie area of southern Saskatchewan as a national park. The precise size of the park and a mutually acceptable boundary delineation are currently being negotiated with the government of Saskatchewan.

QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

ENERGY, MINES AND RESOURCES—RESEARCH STUDIES

Question No. 1,515—Mr. Robinson:

1. What research studies have been carried out by, or on behalf of, the Department of Energy, Mines and Resources during each year 1960 to 1969 inclusive?

2. What research studies are now being carried on and/or are contemplated during the next five years?

3. What was the cost of each of the research studies completed in each year 1960 to 1969 inclusive?

4. What is the estimated cost of each of the studies now in being or contemplated during the next five years?

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PUBLIC SERVICE—RECREATION AND LOUNGING FACILITIES

Question No. 1,631—Mr. Broadbent:

1. Are recreation and lounging facilities provided for male and female employees in the various departments of the public service?

2. What is the number of chairs and couches available and their ratio to the number of employees served?

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INCENTIVE GRANTS

Question No. 1,766—Mr. Burton:

1. Has the Department of Regional Economic Expansion under the Regional Development Incentives Act authorized or provided an incentive grant to the following firms and, if so, what is the amount of each grant (a) Lance Publishing Co. Ltd., St. Vital, Manitoba (b) Lessard Machineries Inc., St. Wenceslas, Quebec (c) Olands Brewery Limited, Saint John, N.B. (d) Produits Forestiers M.P. Inc., St. Thomas Didyme, Quebec (e) S. W.

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Bell (1967) Ltd., Fredericton, N.B. (f) Scotian Gold Co-operative Limited, Kentville, N.S. (g) Laiterie Chagnon Ltée., Waterloo, Quebec (h) Kap Cement Limited, Kapuskasing, Ontario (i) International Cooperage Company of Canada Limited, Niagara Falls, Ontario (j) Ingraphics Limited, Winnipeg, Manitoba (k) Chemcell Limited, Montreal, Quebec (l) Canadian Ingersoll-Rand Company Ltd., Montreal, Quebec (m) Blezard Piping & Welded Products Limited, Sudbury, Ontario?

2. Who are the directors and executive officers of each firm and what is the address of each?

3. To what extent is each company non-resident or foreign-owned or controlled?

4. What is the name and country of the known non-resident ownership of each company?

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NET FARM INCOME

Question No. 1,810—Mr. Yewchuk:

1. (a) What are the figures for net farm income in the four western provinces for each of the last ten years (b) to what can the changes be attributed?

2. (a) What are the figures for net farm income in Ontario and Quebec for the past ten years and what are the reasons for the changes from year to year (b) what are the figures for net income in the Maritime Provinces for the last ten years and what are the reasons for the changes from year to year?

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IMPORTATION OF DAIRY PRODUCTS 1967-69

Question No. 1,883—Mr. Gauthier:

1. By country, what quantity of butter was imported during the years 1967, 1968 and 1969?

2. By country, what quantity of powdered milk was imported during the years 1967, 1968 and 1969?

3. By country, what quantity of cheese was imported during the years 1967, 1968 and 1969?

4. By country, what quantities of canned dairy products were imported during the years 1967, 1968 and 1969?

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Mr. Thompson: Mr. Speaker, I wonder if I could draw your attention to the fact that on March 12 I asked question No. 1,500 relating to the salaries of the grain commissioners, in other words, the Wheat Board. To this date there has been no answer. It seems to me that the question requires a simple answer. I draw this question to the attention of the minister in charge of the Wheat Board.

Mr. Forest: I will look into the matter, Mr. Speaker.