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names of industry, name of architect,  
and amount paid to him

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architects by government since April 1  
1949; give the amounts paid to each  
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names of industry, name of architect,  
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called and the basis on which  
construction was conducted

Notice of question, 996

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such reduced rates have been applied

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Notice of question, 936

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Confirm whether the sheep from Scotland have been sold, 1707

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How many inspectors have been appointed for the purposes of the act; when were they appointed; who are they; how many prosecutions have been taken under the act; how many convictions have been registered; give magistrates before whom prosecutions were taken indicating number of prosecutions before each magistrate; where are the inspectors located

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### **Taverns**

Has the license of any tavern, hotel or club been cancelled or suspended during the period from April 1 1952 to date; give the licensee and reason for suspension or cancellation with period of suspension, if any

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#### **Ferries**

Were tenders called for the construction of the ferry to operate on Placentia Gut, or for the construction of the terminals on each side; give the names, if any, of those who tendered, with the amount of each tender; provide the estimated cost of this project, and how much has been expended to date thereon

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How much money was spent on roads in the District of St. John's West in the years 1952 and 1953; give the amount spent on each road together with the name of the foreman in each case

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How much was spent by the Director of Tourist Development for travelling expenses during the past fiscal year; give the date of trip, destination, and cost of each trip

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Answer, 1056

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Notice of question, 906

Are these foster homes and boarding houses visited regularly by a medical officer; provide details

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Did the Garage Workers' Union make application for the services of a Conciliation Board, and if so, why was a Board not appointed; give full details

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If the Minister is aware of work stoppages, what action is the minister or his department taking to try to solve this problem, which is causing great inconvenience to the general public, much loss of wages to the workers concerned, as well as interrupting the normal operations of those engaged in the car service business

Notice of question, 996

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Notice of question, 996

### **Gasoline Tax (Amendment) Act (Bill 63)**

Committee, 2021

### **House of Assembly**

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Debate, 1246

At 11:30 instead of 11:00

Debate, 1342

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### **Labour**

Have any applications for conciliation boards been refused as from April 1st to date, and if so, how many and for what reason

Notice of question, 497

How many conciliation boards were set up, what were the results in each case, and give the location and reason for each

Notice of question, 497

How many labour disputes were settled in the 1953-1954 fiscal year with the assistance of a conciliation officer

Notice of question, 496

Table statement showing how many labour disputes were reported to the department during the 1953-1954 fiscal year

Notice of question, 496

**Loan Act (Bill 64)**

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**Loan and Guarantee Act (Bill 59)**

Committee, 1927–1928, 1931, 1952, 1961

**Local School Tax Act (Bill 78)**

Committee, 2073

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Adjournment

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**Newfoundland Fisheries Development Authority Act (Bill 33)**

Second reading, 666–669

Committee, 1179–1181, 1184, 1210, 1214, 1215,

1219, 1220, 1225, 1228

**Newfoundland Power Commission Act (Bill 72)**

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**Plant Protection Act (Bill 15)**

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**Points of Privilege**

Premier should not refer to member as an ardent confederate, 1097

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**Public Service Act (Bill 46)**

Committee, 1827, 1836, 1837

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**Public Works**

Public building improvements

Were tenders called for electrical, plumbing and heating repairs made on public buildings during the fiscal year 1953-1954, and if so, table the details

Notice of question, 1023

What was the amount paid to each individual, firm, or company or person concerned for electrical, plumbing and heating repairs for public buildings

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Notice of question, 906–907

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Notice of question, 388–389

**Questions****Board of Liquor Control**

Table a detailed statement showing the total number of bottles of rum, whiskey, gin, beer and wines, sold by and through the Board of Liquor Control since April 1st 1953 to February 28 1954

Notice of motion, 32

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Table statements showing how subhead of revenue 1953, 1953-1954 estimates of revenue, interest on industrial loans, is made up, giving the names of all individuals, firms or companies concerned, also the interest due date, as well as the amount paid in each case under this head of revenue

Notice of question, 32

### **Finance**

Did government negotiate any loans with the Industrial Development Loan Board, the Co-operative Development Loan Board, or the Fisheries Loan Board, during the 1953-1954 fiscal year; if so, state the amount borrowed, the rate of interest and the amount of interest paid in each case

Notice of question, 1024

Did the Government of Newfoundland receive from the Government of Canada the \$1.12 per quintal price support payment, in respect of the 1953 production and sale of salt cod; if so, state the amount and the date when this money was received

Notice of question, 1024

Table statement showing the total amount of import duties, excise taxes and excise duties paid to the federal government by the Board of Liquor Control in respect of the importation of liquor, beer and wine since April 1st 1953 to date

Notice of question, 32

Table statement showing the total amount received by the Dept. of Finance from the Federal Government during the present fiscal year, under subheads of revenue, 453 tax rental agreement, 455 transitional grant, and 450 interest on Exchequer balances, and state whether there are any balances due and payable on these items of revenue to March 31st 1954

Question, 20

Answer deferred, 38

Table statement showing the total expenditure under the various departments from April 1st 1953 to February 28 1954, the expenditures on current account, capital account, and financial surplus to be shown separately

Question, 20

Table statement showing the total revenue collected under subhead 470, Social Security Assessment, for each month from April 1st, 1953 to February 28, 1954 and inform the House if any substantial amounts have been collected by the Dept. of Finance by reason of the recent court action in respect of this item of revenue

Question, 20

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Total amount of cash surplus to the credit of the Province on deposit with the Government of Canada as at April 1st 1953, and also state if there have been any withdrawals from the surplus during the present fiscal year

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What amount of interest did the government pay in respect of bank overdrafts and/or temporary bank loans during the 1953-1954 fiscal year, including date and interest rate, etc.

Notice of question, 1024

Under what head of expenditure was the one dollar and fifty cents per quintal advance payment to fishermen made; what is the total expended to date, and what is the estimated amount required to finalize these payments

Notice of question, 32

What is the position of the provincial debt as of April 1 1954; include total interest paid as of April 1 1954 and the total amount credited to each sinking fund in respect of the 1940-1965 War Loan, 1942-1957 and 1943-1958 Victory Loans and the 1952-1964 Development Loan

Notice of question, 1024

What is the total amount of money to the credit of the provincial government in the Bank of Montreal or other banks as at April 1 1953 and at March 15 1954

Question, 19-20

### **Fisheries**

How many plants for the freezing and sorting of fresh fish fillets were in operation in the years 1949 to 1953 inclusive, where are these plants located, and what is the maximum daily production rate and storage capacity of each plant

Notice of question, 1023

How many plants for the freezing and storing of fresh fish fillets are presently in construction, where are these plants located, and what is the proposed maximum daily production rate and storage capacity for each plant

Notice of question, 1023

What was the total quantity of fresh frozen fish, in pounds, exported from Newfoundland in the years 1949 to 1953 inclusive

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#### **Revenue and Audit Amendment Act (Bill 65)**

Amendment—Seconded, 2028

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#### **Slum Clearance (Amendment) Act (Bill 24)**

Second reading, 648–649

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#### **Social Assistance Act (Bill 37)**

Second reading, 1065–1066

#### **Social Security Assessment (Amendment) Act (Bill 68)**

Second reading, 1847–1848

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##### **Budget (1954)**

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##### **Civil Service (Amendment) Act (Bill 67)**

Committee, 1994

##### **Health and Public Welfare (Amendment) Act (Bill 22)**

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Answer tabled, 131

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Table the amount given or advanced to the association in each year from 1949 to 1953 inclusive

Answer, 166

#### **Loan and Guarantee Act (Bill 59)**

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#### **Newfoundland Fisheries Development Authority Act (Bill 33)**

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#### **Pharmaceutical Association Act (Bill 51)**

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Answer, 282

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Answer, 281–282

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**Civil Service (Amendment) Act (Bill 67)**  
Second reading, 1970–1971, 1972  
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What was the total amount of cash loans made to the society, and have any payments been made by company to government on any of these loans  
Answer, 283  
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**Local School Tax Act (Bill 78)**  
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Answer, 389

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Milk—Explain the cause for a difference in price of eight cents per gallon for milk supplied to the Home for Aged and Infirm and the Mental Hospital  
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**Vehicles**

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Answer, 217–218

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Answer deferred, 131

Answer, 216

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Answer, 907

What used vehicles and road building machinery were sold during the last fiscal year; to whom were they sold and at what prices

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Answer deferred, 130, 166

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Answer deferred, 219

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#### **Social Security Assessment (Amendment) Act (Bill 68)**

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Second reading, 597

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#### **HIGGINS, JOHN G. (ST. JOHN'S EAST)**

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Were persons prosecuted last year for selling pencils in the Conception Bay area

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Second reading, 1560–1562

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##### **City of St. John's (Stadium Loan) Act (Bill 23)**

Committee, 1022

##### **Civil Service (Amendment) Act (Bill 67)**

Amendment

Bill be given second reading in six months—  
Debate, 1978

Committee, 2001, 2004

Amendment

Moved, 2001

##### **Commissioners for Oaths Act (Bill 49)**

Second reading, 1727

##### **Community Councils (Amendment) Act (Bill 30)**

Second reading, 932

##### **Courts**

Magistrates Court

Dangerous condition of steps to its entrance,  
1537

##### **Election Act, 1954 (Bill 79)**

Committee, 1509, 1512, 1514–1516, 1518, 1519, 1520, 1521, 1522, 1523, 1524, 1525, 1549, 1553

##### **Ferries Act (Bill 52)**

Second reading, 1725–1726

##### **Government-Dominion Steel and Coal**

**Corporation Limited, Dominion Wabana Ore Limited and Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act (Bill 32)**

Second reading, 959

##### **Health care**

In the case of employees suspended during the inquiry but exonerated by the findings thereof, is it the intention of the Government or the department to reinstate any or all such persons in their employment

Notice of question, 31

Have any of these persons since been employed in the Dept. of Health or any other department of government

Notice of question, 32

How many employees in all were suspended or dismissed during the investigation carried out by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police

Notice of question, 31

Whether it is the intention of government to publish the report of the inquiry conducted into the administration of the Hospital for Mental and Nervous Diseases

Notice of question, 31

**Highway Traffic (Amendment) Act (Bill 75)**

Second reading, 1763, 1715–1716  
Committee, 1746, 1762–1763, 1808, 1809, 1810,  
1811, 1812, 1813, 1814, 1815  
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Amendment—Debate, 1761, 1762

**House of Assembly**

Adjournment  
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Debate, 2051

**Justice**

How many magistracy appointments are to be made, and in what areas will they be located  
Notice of question, 31  
Whether Government of Newfoundland intends to make any appointments to the magistracy  
Notice of question, 31

**Loan Act (Bill 64)**

Committee, 2022

**Loan and Guarantee Act (Bill 59)**

Committee, 1914, 1915, 1921, 1922, 1949–1950

**Local Government Act, An Act to Amend (Bill 36)**

Committee, 1541, 1543

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**Mines and Resources**

Gander River Cabin  
If government maintains a cabin on Gander River, when was property acquired, from whom, and at what price  
Notice of question, 31  
Was cabin property used in 1953, and if so, during what periods and by whom  
Notice of question, 31  
For what purpose is cabin on Gander River maintained  
Notice of question, 31  
Whether any staff are employed to maintain the cabin on Gander River, and if so, list their names and salaries  
Notice of question, 31  
Whether government maintains a cabin or cabins on Gander River  
Notice of question, 31

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**Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax (Amdt.) Act 1949 (Bill 3)**

Second reading, 246

**Newfoundland Fisheries Development Authority Act (Bill 33)**

Second reading, 942–955  
Committee, 1201, 1203, 1226, 1239, 1240, 1242

**Newfoundland Power Commission Act (Bill 72)**

Second reading, 2056

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Regarding previous debate on ferry service, 2034, 2035–2036, 2037  
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**Public Service Act (Bill 46)**

Committee, 1829, 1836–1837

**Public Works**

Provide the names, nationalities and salaries of all engineers, architects, surveyors and draughtsmen employed by the Dept. of Public Works  
Notice of question, 31

**Questions****Attorney General**

Were persons prosecuted last year for selling pencils in the Conception Bay area  
Notice of question, 937

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#### **Transportation**

##### **Roads**

How many miles of roads remain to be constructed, and the number of bridges together with approximate costs for paving

Notice of question, 32

How many miles of secondary roads were constructed during the past fiscal year and where were they located; provide the cost and names of contractors or builders

Notice of question, 32

How much money was spent during the past fiscal year on roads in the electoral district of St. John's East, and in each of the other electoral districts, not including the Trans-Canada highway

Notice of question, 32

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Notice of question, 32

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Notice of question, 32

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Notice of question, 32

Total number of men employed last year on the Trans-Canada highway in Newfoundland and the total monies spent in wages

Notice of question, 32

#### **Rent Restrictions (Amdt.) Act (Bill 5)**

Second reading, 313

#### **Revenue and Audit Amendment Act (Bill 65)**

Amendment—Debate, 2031

#### **Saw Mills (Amendment) Act (Bill 77)**

Committee, 1804, 1805, 1806, 1808

#### **Speech from the Throne**

Debate, 108–116

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Adjournment, 2051

#### **Terms of Union Commission Act (Bill 48)**

Second reading, 1737

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#### **Transportation of Timber (Amendment) Act (Bill 70)**

Second reading, 2025

#### **Welfare of Children (Amendment) Act (Bill 34)**

Second reading, 895–896

Committee, 1170, 1531–1532

#### **Wild Life (Amdt.) Act (Bill 17)**

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#### **HOLLETT, M. M. (ST. JOHN'S WEST)**

#### **Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) (Amendment) Act (Bill 69)**

Committee, 1892

Hollett, 1892

**Alcoholic Liquors (Amendment) Act (Bill 47)**

Second reading, 1718–1719

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**Answers to Questions for Which Notice has been Given**

**Cement Plant**

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Answer deferred, 2058

**Apprenticeship (Amendment) Act (Bill 19)**

Second reading, 610–611

Committee, 962, 963, 965, 966, 1008, 1009–1010

**Atlantic Gypsum Ltd.**

As of February 9, 1952, who were the Directors

Question, 496

Give a statement showing the net profit or net loss of this plant since it started production

Question, 88

Have any changes been made in the directorate of the company since February 9 1952, and if so, what changes were made

Question, 496

How many people are presently employed in the plant and how much is being paid in salaries and wages

Question, 88

Table a copy of Auditor Doanes' report for the period between October 1, 1951 and August 31, 1952; also table a copy of the Auditor's report since August 31 1952

Question, 88

Table itemized accounts presented to the government by W.J. Lundrigan Ltd. in connection with all goods and services supplied by them in connection with the building of the plant

Notice of question, 854

Table negotiations relative to the sale of this plant

Question, 89

Table payment vouchers for all amounts of monies paid over to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. on account of the building of this and the cement plant

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Notice of question, 1839

Table statement showing total amounts of money in each year since April 1949 paid to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd., also on what accounts were these monies paid, whether for the building of plants, construction or repair of roads, or for any other cause

Notice of question, 854

What is the cost to date to the Treasury of this plant

Question, 88

What number of Newfoundlanders are employed at the plant, and how many non-Newfoundlanders are employed; give the total wages and salaries paid out since March 31 1953 to each group

Question, 88

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has been removed from the Board of the company, and if so, state the date of said change

Question, 496

Who are the directors

Question, 88

Who is the manager of the plant, and what is his salary

Question, 88

**Atlantic Hardboards Industries Ltd.**

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has been removed from the board, and if so, on what date

Notice of question, 496

Who were the Directors as of May 27 1953

Notice of question, 496

**Automobile Insurance (Amdt.) Act (Bill 31)**

Committee, 1175

**Beauchesne**

On money bills, 621

**Birch Plant**

Can government give any assurance to the House that those people recently laid off work at the plant will shortly be re-employed by the company

Notice of question, 28

Number of men and women employed at the plant as of March 22nd 1954, and the exact number of men and women laid off on March 23rd

Notice of motion, 28

State the amount of salaries being paid to Manager Baird, Mr. Merrit and Mr. Bell

Notice of question, 28–29  
State the rates of pay for the different classifications of work performed at the plant  
Notice of motion, 28  
Table copy of agreement for the construction of the birch plant at Donovan's, and a copy of the agreement providing for its operation  
Notice of question, 1353  
Table statement showing: a) salaries and wages paid out by the birch plant since March 31st 1953; b) the amount of monies paid for birch and other materials for said plant since said date, as well as amounts owing to suppliers of birch and other goods and materials for said plant for same period; c) amount of money received for birch products of said plant since March 31st 1953, as well as amounts due for goods delivered; d) the value of stocks of birch on hand both raw and manufactured as of the present date; e) the exact amount of cash working capital on hand as of this date  
Notice of question, 29  
What reason did company give for the lay-offs  
Notice of motion, 28

#### **Board of Liquor Control**

In all cases where owners of premises where alcoholic liquors are sold are a limited liability company, and in all cases where licenses have been granted to a limited liability company, list the names of shareholders of said companies  
Notice of motion, 19  
Give the amount of money paid out by the Board of Liquor Control for alcoholic liquors since March 31st 1953, and state the amount of monies received by the Board over the same period on account of the sale of alcoholic liquors including wines and beers  
Notice of motion, 19  
Give the number of persons employed in carrying out the work of the Board of Liquor Control by classifications, together with wages or salaries for each classification of worker  
Notice of motion, 19  
List all taverns, hotels and club licenses in Newfoundland, with name and address of the proprietors, together with names and addresses of the owners of premises from which alcoholic liquors are sold  
Notice of motion, 19  
Provide a list of all brands of alcoholic liquors including wines and beers, purchased by the Board of Liquor Control since January 1st, 1953; give names of manufacturers of each brand and the names of all local agents  
Notice of motion, 19  
On what date did the Board of Liquor Control purchase the five hundred barrels of

Jamaica rum; who is the local agent of J. Wray & Nephew Ltd.

Notice of motion, 411  
What local agents have sold alcoholic liquors to the Board of Liquor Control since March 31st, 1953, what was the total quantities purchased through these agents over the same period, and give amounts purchased through each individual agent  
Notice of motion, 19  
What was the total amount of duties paid by the Board of Liquor Control on account of all alcoholic liquors purchased between April 1st 1953 and February 28 1954  
Notice of motion, 411  
What, if any, licenses have been issued for the sale of liquor from premises in which any member of this Honourable House has a proprietary interest or a monetary interest of any kind, and list the names of such members and location of buildings concerned  
Notice of motion, 19

#### **Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited**

How much money has been loaned by the government to the company, and/or to Mr. H.A. Russell and associates of the company  
Notice of question, 129  
Is Mr. H. Dunstan still an associate of Mr. H. A. Russell on the Board of Directors  
Notice of question, 129  
Is Mr. H. Dunstan still an associate of Mr. H.A. Russell and the Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd. in connection with the government's agreement with said company dated June 2nd 1952  
Notice of question, 129  
Table copies of mortgages securing repayment of loans made by the government to both companies  
Notice of question, 129  
What is the exact financial relationship now existing between the government and the Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited  
Notice of question, 129  
Who is the government-nominated director on the Board of Directors of the Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd. and the Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited  
Notice of question, 129  
**Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd.**  
What amounts have been paid in directors' fees to each director on the board of the Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd.  
Notice of question, 129  
What is the relationship between Mr. H. Dunstan of Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils, and of Bonavista Cold Storage, and Mr. Dustan of the recently established Fishery Authority  
Notice of question, 129

Who is the government-nominated director on the Board of Directors of the Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd. and the Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited

Notice of question, 129

**Botwood Water Corporation (Amendment) Act (Bill 61)**

Second reading, 1981

**British Newfoundland Corporation Limited**

Give a detailed account of operations undertaken to date by British Newfoundland Corporation Limited along the lines of investigation and exploration in the leased areas, showing the number of geologists, mining experts, timber experts, hydro-electric experts and other specialists

Notice of question, 31

Give an itemized statement showing expenditure incurred by Rothschild prior to the signing of the leases, under headings a) incorporation; b) exploration; c) investigation

Notice of question, 31

Give the names and addresses of all Directors of British Newfoundland Corporation Limited, and list the shareholders in same, with number of shares held by each

Notice of question, 31

To what extent has British Newfoundland Corporation Limited exercised its option to take up exploration leases as granted under section No. 3 of their agreement with government

Notice of question, 31

What is the total monies thus far expended by this corporation on the exploration and investigation of natural resources contained in the 60,000 square miles of exploration leases given to said corporation by the government

Notice of question, 30–31

What is the total number of paid-up shares to date of the British Newfoundland Corporation Limited

Notice of question, 30

**British North America Act**

Section 54 cited, 621

**Budget (1954)**

Debate, 1663–1677, 1677–1703, 1764–1768, 1769, 1772–1778, 1779–1780, 2019

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Estimates

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Capital Account Expenditures, 1425, 1426, 1427–1428, 1429

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Dept. of Attorney General, 1315, 1316, 1317, 1318, 1320, 1321, 1322

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Dept. of Labour, 1420, 1421, 1422, 1423, 1424

Dept. of Mines and Resources, 1339–1340, 1354, 1355, 1356, 1357, 1358, 1359, 1360–1361, 1362, 1363, 1372, 1373

Dept. of Municipal Affairs, 1402–1403, 1404, 1449, 1450

Dept. of Provincial Affairs, 1275

Dept. of Public Welfare, 1386, 1387, 1389, 1390, 1391, 1398

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Executive Council, 1256–1257

Premier's Office, 1255

**Canadian Javelin Company**

Did Canadian Javelin purchase any shares in Nalco, and if so, how many and at what price per share

Notice of question, 17

What interest, if any, financially or otherwise, does Canadian Javelin have in NALCO at the present time

Notice of question, 17

**Canadian National Railway**

Is minister aware that discrimination exists in rates of pay of departmental chief clerks, employed on the Newfoundland Division, Atlantic Division of the Canadian National Railways

Notice of question, 968

Will the Attorney General bring matter of pay discrimination to the attention of the management of the Newfoundland Division of the Canadian National Railways so that this question may be rectified, and the rates of pay of all Chief Clerks be adjusted to the basis of the highest rate paid Chief Clerks of the Newfoundland division, and the adjustment be retroactive to the date the highest rate was established

Notice of question, 968

**Cancer Control Tax (Amendment) Act (Bill 56)**

Second reading, 1852–1853, 1856

Committee, 1894, 1895–1896

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- Table itemized accounts presented to the government by W.J. Lundrigan Ltd. in connection with all goods and services supplied by them in connection with the building of the plant  
Notice of question, 854
- Table payment vouchers for all amounts of monies paid over to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. on account of the building of this and the gypsum plant  
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- Table report on all transactions between the government or any of the government departments and the firm of W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. as to the purchase of cement, showing the number of bags, the prices charged, and the total amounts charged for each listed amount of cement appearing in the various invoices on the following accounts: a) cement plant construction; b) gypsum plant construction; table an itemized account of W.J. Lundrigan's claim for the sum of \$177,123.54 cents as final claim, and also a similar account of another final claim for \$53,468.68 dated 25/8/52  
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Notice of question, 854
- What is the total amount of insurance carried on the North Star Cement Plant and with what insurance company is said insurance carried; has the North Star Cement Company executed a first mortgage in favour of the government on the Cement plant, and if so, for what amount  
Notice of question, 56–67

## **City of St. John's (Amendment) Act (Bill 76)**

Second reading, 1557, 1558–1560  
Committee, 1565–1566, 1567, 1569

## **City of St. John's (Stadium Loan) Act (Bill 23)**

Second reading, 850

## **Civil Service (Amendment) Act (Bill 67)**

Amendment

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Seconded, 1973

Amendment

Bill be given second reading in six months—  
Debate, 1974–1975

Committee, 1995, 1996–1997, 1998, 1999–2000,  
2001, 2002–2004, 2007–2008

## **Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Act (Bill 42)**

Committee, 1660

## **Corrections Act (Amdt.) 1953 (Bill 26)**

Second reading, 900–901

## **Crown Lands (Amendment) Act (Bill 57)**

Second reading, 1723, 1850–1851  
Committee, 1872, 1876

## **Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act (Bill 27)**

Second reading, 313, 903–904

## **Daily News**

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## **Dawe, Chester**

Economic Development  
Industries

Table certified copy of government payment voucher 15/363 of 50/51 account, together with a certified copy of all documents which form part of same, and having to do with the voucher as it relates to the Birch Plant, the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Chester Dawe, Chester Dawe Ltd., and the Government of Newfoundland

Notice of question, 679

## **Deferred Pensions Act (Bill 73)**

Second reading, 2039–2041  
Committee, 2067, 2068

## **Disabled Persons Act (Bill 74)**

Second reading, 2075–2076  
Committee, 2077

## **Dog (Amendment) Act (Bill 44)**

Second reading, 1619

## **Economic Development**

Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

How much was paid by government for each of the films done by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Notice of question, 56

Is Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited under contract with government to make any further films, and if so, state the amount of money involved

Notice of question, 56

Table statement showing the number of documentary films made for the government by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Notice of question, 56

What is the amount of interest paid to date by Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited on account of loans or advances from government

Notice of question, 56

What is the number of people employed by Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Notice of question, 56

What was the total amount of money loaned, guaranteed, or advanced to Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited apart from monies paid for said films

Notice of question, 56

Hanning Electric

How many men and/or women are presently employed at this plant

Notice of question, 802

- What is the total amount of government monies paid to this company and/or to Mr. Hanning personally; give the dates on which monies were paid to this company, and the separate amounts paid on each date  
Notice of question, 802
- Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan, Director of Hanning Electric and of the Superior Rubber Company  
Notice of question, 496
- Industries
- Give probable dates when other plans will go into production  
Notice of question, 1211
- Give the names of plants in full production, and the value of goods manufactured to date; give dates when said plants went into full production  
Notice of question, 1211
- Give the names of plants referred to in the budget which are in partial production, and the value of commodities manufactured in these plants to date  
Notice of question, 1211
- Has Benno Schilde returned the \$150,000 or not  
Notice of question, 1368
- Have any ex-gratia awards been made to the following companies on account of work done and/or on account of price changes in commodities, and/or on account of advances in wage rates since the commencement of construction on the cement plant and the gypsum plant: the firms of MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd.  
Notice of question, 1211
- How much money has been advanced to the following three companies by the government since March 31st, 1953, either as working capital or on capital account: Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., and the North Star Cement Co.  
Notice of question, 18
- If ex-gratia payments have been made to MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd., state the amounts involved with each company, the date of the award, and the date of payment, and on what account  
Notice of question, 1211
- Is it expected that any more monies from government will have to be advanced to the plants that are not yet in production, and if so, what amount for each such plant  
Notice of question, 1211
- List the names of the new industries referred to in the budget speech which are employing 2000 men, and the number employed in each of these said plants  
Notice of question, 1211
- Provide the number of men and women presently employed in the above-mentioned plants  
Notice of question, 19
- Provide the number of Newfoundlanders presently employed in the above-mentioned plants  
Notice of question, 19
- Table a copy of agreement or contract between the provincial Government of Newfoundland and/or the Dept. of Economic Development with the firm of W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. for the building and erection of the gypsum plant and the cement plant  
Notice of question, 1280-1281
- Table a copy of the amended contract of March 13 1951 between the provincial government and/or the Dept. of Economic Development with the firm of W. J. Lundrigan for the building and erection of the gypsum plant and the cement plant  
Notice of question, 1281
- Table balance sheets and profit and loss accounts to the end of February as from March 31st, 1953 of the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., and Atlantic Gypsum Ltd.  
Notice of question, 19
- Table certified copy of government payment voucher 15/363 of 50/51 account, together with a certified copy of all documents which form part of same, and having to do with the voucher as it relates to the Birch Plant, the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Chester Dawe, Chester Dawe Ltd., and the Government of Newfoundland  
Notice of question, 679
- Total amounts to date paid out to, advanced to, or loaned the following industries, including capital account expenditures and working capital: Eckhardt Mills Ltd., Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., Newfoundland Tanneries - William Dorn, Atlantic Gloves Ltd., Canadian Leather Goods Ltd., Koch Shoes Ltd., Superior Rubber Co., Hanning Electric Co., Canadian Machinery and Industrial Construction Ltd., North Star Cement Co., Atlantic Hardboard Industries Ltd., United Cotton Mills Ltd., Atlantic Films and Electronics Ltd., and Terra Nova Textiles Ltd.

Notice of question, 18–19

Were such payments made by the government to any of said companies, or were they made from any one company to the other on instructions from the government or from any minister of the government; give details in all instances with dates of said instructions

Notice of question, 1211

What amounts, if any, have been raised by way of government guaranteed loans by companies listed above, and what amounts if any have been paid back to the government by said companies on account of monies advanced by government, interest on monies loaned or advanced by government

Notice of question, 19

What is the total value of machinery brought into Newfoundland by companies listed above, and who certified as to said value; give a statement in the case of each company showing invoice, cost, freight, insurance, duty and cartage; table a copy of all mortgages held by government on machinery and buildings of said companies

Notice of question, 19

Northeastern Co-operative Fisheries Society

If government has taken possession of the property assets of the company, what are these properties, and what is to be their final disposition, 205

What are the assets and what are the liabilities of the society, and when will liquidation be complete, 204–205

What was the total amount of cash loans made to the society, and have any payments been made by company to government on any of these loans

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Notice of question, 204

Superior Rubber Company

Has the company thus far succeeded in negotiating any commercial bank loan, or sold any of its bonds

Notice of question, 280

Has the Minister any knowledge as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan and Mr. L. Grube, and if not, is the government prepared to start an investigation as to their present whereabouts

Notice of question, 280

Has the plant for the company been completed and if so, has production or manufacture of rubber goods begun

Notice of question, 280

How many men and/or women are presently employed in this plant, and how many are Newfoundlanders

Notice of question, 280

Is the plant owned by Superior Rubber Company yet in production, and if so on what date did it go into production

Notice of question, 802

What amount of insurance against loss or damage by fire is presently being carried on the fixed assets of the company and is said insurance made payable to the government

Notice of question, 280

What was the landed cost of plant machinery, tools, equipment, furniture, fittings and raw materials by this company, including invoice, cost, freight, insurance, duty and cartage; who certified this landed cost

Notice of question, 280

Who is the managing director of this plant

Notice of question, 280

Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan, Director of Hanning Electric and of the Superior Rubber Company and Mr. Ludwig Grube, a Director of the Superior Rubber Company

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Canadian Machinery Holding Trust

Account for the payment of \$25,000 to Canadian Machinery and Industry

- Construction Co. over and above the amount pledged in that company; give the number of men employed at present with this company, and the number in employment there at the end of 1953  
 Notice of question, 803
- Did the trust make the necessary improvements in the cement plant according to agreement dated October 16 1952  
 Notice of question, 56
- Explain the reason for paying the trust an amount of \$25,000 in excess of the 2.5 million dollars called for under the terms of the Canadian Machinery Industries Ltd. Act  
 Notice of question, 679
- Give the name of the person who valued the machinery on entry of the plant; table a copy of all certificates of evaluation issued in each case  
 Notice of question, 679
- Is it correct that the government sold 997 shares of the North Star Cement Co. out of a possible 1000 shares to the said holding trust for the sum of two hundred thousand dollars  
 Notice of question, 56
- Is Minister in a position to state the value of all machinery in said plant as to invoice price; if so, will Minister advise the House as to said value  
 Notice of question, 679
- List the names of directors and shareholders of the trust, and indicate where in Switzerland is the registered trust of the company, and in what Swiss government office is said trust registered  
 Notice of question, 56
- What amount of money has been advanced by the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust to the government and the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., under agreement between the government, the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., and the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust, dated October 16, 1952  
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- What is the exact amount required to be paid yearly by said holding trust under said agreement  
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- What is the total amount of insurance carried on the North Star Cement Plant and with what insurance company is said insurance carried; has the North Star Cement Company executed a first mortgage in favour of the government on the Cement plant, and if so, for what amount  
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- What proportion of the share capital of the Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Ltd is held by the trust  
 Notice of question, 56
- Who is the president of the trust and who are the directors  
 Notice of question, 496
- Who signed the agreement of October 16 1952 on behalf of, or as attorney for the trust  
 Notice of question, 56
- Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Eberhard Rothe, a Director of the Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Company, and of the North Star Cement Company  
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- Give the amounts of revenue and expenditure by departments to the present time, both on current account and on capital account  
 Notice of question, 30
- Loans
- Give list of all loans under the headings of Fisheries and Economic Development, and also those under the heading Guaranteed Bank Loans, showing the amount of insurance required to be carried under the agreement for said loans or guarantees on the assets of the companies concerned; show also the amounts of insurance carried in each case  
 Notice of question, 280
- List the loans made by Commission of Government for fishery development or encouragement of the fishery industry and state what amounts are still owing on each  
 Notice of question, 29
- Table a complete list of all guaranteed loans made by the government to individuals or corporations since April 1st 1949, whether for economic development, fishery development, or for any other purpose, showing the name of individual or corporation, the amount guaranteed, and the present situation with regard to said guaranteed loan  
 Notice of question, 29
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 Notice of question, 29
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Fish Industries Ltd. on the druggers or on any other assets of said company, and if so, in what amount  
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Newfoundland Exchequer Account  
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 Notice of question, 1109

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 Notice of question, 1109

Is the *Kean Brothers* now in operation and if not, why not  
 Notice of question, 1109

What was the total cost of converting for Danish seining the schooner *Kean Brothers*  
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Danish seiners and Newfoundland long-liners  
 How many such vessels were operated under government sponsorship; give the names of skippers of said vessels, the number of the crew and the ports from which each such vessel operated, together with total quantities of fish caught by each such boat and value of fish caught by each boat; give also the total expenditure by the government or by any of its departments upon each such boat, together with amounts spent in wages for boat's skipper and crew, during the calendar year 1953; give tonnage of each boat  
 Notice of question, 57

In the minister's opinion what is the correct tonnage for such fishing boats, the correct crew number; and what is the approximate cost of construction of such a boat, and total cost including engine when boat is ready for sea  
 Notice of question, 57

Total number of men employed fishing on these boats  
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Total number of Newfoundland long-liners and Danish seiners operating in Newfoundland waters during the year 1953  
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Whether it is the intention of government to continue with its experimental fishing from such boats in future  
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Expenditures  
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- Notice of question, 58
- Fishery Development Authority
- Give names of recently appointed authority
- Notice of question, 57
- Give the dimensions of the 23 foot boat recently purchased in Europe by said authority; from whom was the boat purchased at what price, and on whose recommendation
- Notice of question, 57
- State amount of salaries being paid to the Chairman and the members of the authority or committee, and state what if any contract has been entered into with these individuals by government; table copies of said contract or agreement
- Notice of question, 57
- State in detail the exact duties of the authority, and state under what section of the Consolidated Statutes the authority is set up
- Notice of question, 57
- Table amount showing the following particulars for the Charlotte and the Matthew: the original building or purchasing cost, the cost of machinery as installed in said boats, the running expenses during the period said boats were in possession of the government, the total earning of said boats and the amounts received on the sale of each boat; table a complete account of each of these boats as it exists at the Dept. of Fisheries
- Notice of question, 57
- On whose authority was each boat built or purchased and on whose recommendation; on whose recommendation were they ordered sold
- Notice of question, 57
- Give a detailed account of any housing schemes envisaged for fishermen
- Notice of question, 18
- Has government given any consideration to the choice of salt depots in strategic locations as recommended by the committee, and if so, what centres have been selected
- Notice of question, 18
- Have any negotiations thus far taken place relative to the establishment of small fish meal plants along the northeast coast as recommended in the aforementioned Development Committee report
- Notice of question, 17
- Have either the provincial or the federal government taken any steps to implement the recommendations in the memorandum dated November 20 1952 by the Walsh Committee relative to a) reconnaissance survey begun in 1952, b) selected sites, c) essential services at those sites, and provide details of any such implementations
- Notice of question, 17
- How much money has been loaned by the Co-operative Loan Board since its formation; give the names of individuals or societies to whom money has been loaned in each case, the amount of the loan, as well as the date of the loan
- Notice of question, 30
- How much money has been loaned to help fishermen to finance new and better methods, new and better boats and gear, by the Fisheries Development Loan Board since its inception; give the names of individual fishermen, address and amount of loan in each case
- Notice of question, 30
- How much money has thus far been placed at the disposal of the loan board, and what is the present status financially of each society to whom money was loaned relative to its association with the loan board
- Notice of question, 30
- How much money was loaned by each of the loan boards since March 31 1953
- Notice of question, 30
- Icelandic vessels
- Does government hold a mortgage on the vessel which was sold on terms, and for what amount
- Notice of question, 280
- Give an itemized statement showing the disposition of monies received by the sale of these ships; to whom were the monies paid, and on what accounts
- Notice of question, 280
- What amount of money was realized on the sale of each of the four Icelandic vessels owned by Richard Ltd.
- Notice of question, 280
- Which of these vessels were sold on terms; what were the terms of the sale of this ship; how much money has thus far been received by the government on the sale of this particular ship; and to whom was the ship sold
- Notice of question, 280
- Provide detailed account of steps being taken by the provincial and federal government to implement the recommendations of the Newfoundland Development Committee, relative to the fullest utilization of known fishery resources
- Notice of question, 17
- Table copies of the two separate agreements made with the Northeastern Co-operative Fisheries Society Ltd. in 1950, relative to the guarantee of a bank loan of \$35,000
- Notice of question, 472

- What encouragements have been offered by the Government for minor centralization of curing operations in small settlements, and give the locations where any such efforts have been made  
 Notice of question, 17
- On what grounds or on what accounts were further expenditures totalling \$27,648.24 made by government on behalf of the Northeastern Co-operative Fisheries Society since March 31 1953; was this amount a guaranteed loan, or did it consist of cash advances, and if so, for what purposes; itemize the various payments making up this amount of \$27,648.24  
 Notice of question, 472
- What is the exact amount of money thus far placed at the disposal of the Loan Board for financing fishermen  
 Notice of question, 30
- What steps have been taken on the northeast coast, if any, toward the centralization of the salt fish industry, and what centres have been selected for the establishment of suitable plants to take care of the inshore fishery along that coast  
 Notice of question, 17
- What was the total cost to Treasury of a) the Newfoundland Fisheries Survey; and b) the Royal Commission under Sir Albert Walsh, and give a detailed statement of said costs  
 Notice of question, 18
- What, if any program of market research has been instituted by either the provincial or federal government  
 Notice of question, 18
- What, if any, efforts to this end have been made by the Cooperative Division of the Dept. of Fisheries and Cooperatives  
 Notice of question, 17
- Who are the personnel of the Standing Joint Committee on Fishery matters and who is Executive Secretary, what is the salary of said Executive Secretary  
 Notice of question, 18
- Who is Newfoundland's representative on the Fisheries Research Board of Canada  
 Notice of question, 18
- Floral Emblem Act (Bill 41)**  
 Second reading, 1613–1614
- Freight rates**  
 Give details of legal costs to date and inform the House if any other legal retaining fees have been given to any solicitor or firm of solicitors to handle any future proceedings which the Newfoundland government may take in this matter  
 Notice of question, 679
- Is it government's intention to take legal action against the Canadian National Railways for a return to the taxpayers of Newfoundland of all excess rates paid by the people of Newfoundland to the railway from April 1 1949 up to the time a decision was given by the Canadian Supreme Court in favour of Newfoundland  
 Notice of question, 679
- List the persons to whom the legal fees have been paid over the freight rate issue and the amount in each instance  
 Notice of question, 679
- What was the total cost to the Newfoundland Treasury for the handling of Newfoundland's case in the dispute over freight rates  
 Notice of question, 679
- Gasoline Tax (Amendment) Act (Bill 63)**  
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- Government-British Newfoundland Corporation Limited—N.M. Rothschild & Sons (Confirmation of Supplemental Agreement) (Bill 18)**  
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- Government-Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation Limited, Dominion Wabana Ore Limited and Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act (Bill 32)**  
 Second reading, 957–958  
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 Second reading, 1652–1653  
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- Health and Public Welfare (Amendment) Act (Bill 22)**  
 Second reading, 848
- Health care**  
 Give the names of all of the interns at each of the hospitals in Newfoundland  
 Notice of question, 56
- How many student nurses are presently in training at the various hospitals in Newfoundland; state the number at each hospital and the terms of service with regard to salary and allowances; state their hours of work each day and night  
 Notice of question, 56
- How many ward aids are employed at the General Hospital, and what wages and salaries are paid out, and what are the hours of work  
 Notice of question, 56
- How will the three hundred thousand dollars for the adjustment of salaries in the Dept. of Health estimates be appropriated  
 Notice of question, 55
- State the number of orderlies at the General Hospital, their hours of work, and their salaries, and how many orderlies have homes outside of St. John's  
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Table copy of report made by Mr. C. E. Hunt, following an inquiry into conditions at the Mental Hospital and the dismissal or suspension of some 14 employees

Notice of question, 679

#### **Highway Traffic (Amendment) Act (Bill 75)**

Committee, 1748, 1812

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Amendment—Moved, 1750

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At 11:30 instead of 11:00

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#### **Housing**

In computing the amount payable for rent-purchase per month by the occupier of a home is it a fact that family allowances and war pension cheques are treated as income

Question, 88

Table a complete statement of amounts due the government by the St. John's Housing Corporation, and the amounts due Government by any other housing projects throughout the province

Question, 88

Table statement showing the original amounts advanced the various housing projects, and show whether or not said corporations are carrying out their financial obligations with government

Question, 88

Who are the personnel of the St. John's Housing Authority

Question, 88

#### **Industries**

Total amounts to date paid out to, advanced to, or loaned the following industries, including

capital account expenditures and working capital: Eckhardt Mills Ltd., Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., Newfoundland Tanneries - William Dorn, Atlantic Gloves Ltd., Canadian Leather Goods Ltd., Koch Shoes Ltd., Superior Rubber Co., Hanning Electric Co., Canadian Machinery and Industrial Construction Ltd., North Star Cement Co., Atlantic Hardboard Industries Ltd., United Cotton Mills Ltd., Atlantic Films and Electronics Ltd., and Terra Nova Textiles Ltd.

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#### **Local Authority Guarantee (Amendment) Act (Bill 58)**

Committee, 1893, 1902, 1903, 1904

#### **Local Government Act, An Act to Amend (Bill 36)**

Second reading, 1049–1051

Committee, 1535, 1540, 1541, 1543, 1544

#### **Local Government Receivership (Amendment) Act (Bill 60)**

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Second reading, 2060–2061, 2062, 2063

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#### **Memorial College Annex**

Generally what is the arrangement of the use of this building by parties other than the Memorial University College authorities

Notice of question, 129–130

What amount was paid by the Liberal Association on this account, on the occasion of the recent annual ball in celebration of the birthday of the Hon. Louis St. Laurent

Notice of question, 129

What is the total amount of money received by the Treasury during the past fiscal year for the hire or rent of the building

Notice of question, 129, 283

#### **Memorial University (Pensions) (Amendment) Act (Bill 55)**

Committee, 1898

#### **MIAG**

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Give itemized list of equipment and machinery shipped to Newfoundland by the German firm of MIAG, for the various new industries, including that which was shipped for the cement plant, together with invoice values of said machinery and equipment

Notice of question, 531  
Name the company or companies who carried insurance on the equipment and machinery shipped and also the persons or companies to whom insurance was paid by government

Notice of question, 532  
Payments to, 1700  
Sum alleged collected by Dr. Valdmanis from MIAG in connection with the contract that the firm had, 879

What rate of insurance was charged on machinery shipped to Newfoundland by the German firm of MIAG, and what was the amount of insurance premium on each shipment of machinery and/or equipment

Notice of question, 531

### **Mines and Resources**

Geological survey  
Give the total cost to the department of all surveys made by said department since March 31st 1953, together with locations of each separate survey, its cost and the number of men employed on each survey; list the total number of Newfoundlanders on each survey party

Notice of question, 88

Question

Question, 88

If government paid for the survey, has Nalco reimbursed the department for costs

Question, 87

What was the cost of the three-man survey party under Mr. Gillespie on limestone outcrops in the vicinity of the Humbermouth Cement Plant and of the spotting and drilling of holes at the quarry of the cement plant last summer

Question, 87

What was the cost to government of the 35 man Geological Survey on the holdings of the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation in Labrador last summer

Question, 87

Who paid the cost of the three-man survey and its expenses, and if it was the Dept. of Mines and Resources, has the department been reimbursed by the present owners of the cement plant

Question, 87-88

### **Loans**

To whom have loans been made for the purchase of livestock and land development purposes, and the purchase of farm equipment, giving the amount loaned in each case, the conditions for repayment; what was the date of each loan; has a first mortgage been taken on borrower's real estate as security, and if not, state the reason; have other applications for loans been approved but not yet granted; who are

these applicants and for what amounts have the loans been approved; who drafted the mortgages given by borrowers; was there any charge for same; if so, how much was the amount in each case; is there a registration fee on each mortgage; who pays for costs of mortgage and registering

Answer, 804-805

### **Mothers' Allowances (Amdt.) Act (Bill 9)**

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### **Motions**

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House not to adjourn at 11:00 pm

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Leave to move adjournment of the House to discuss matter of urgent public importance—Arrest of Dr. Valdmanis

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Committee on Privileges and Elections to be asked to investigate matter concerning *Evening Telegram's* misreporting of Minister's comments

Debate, 385

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Whether Chairman was justified in accepting an amendment to Clause 2 of the Highway Traffic Act

Debate, 1752

Speaker's ruling to be accepted by the House  
Debate, 1756

### **NALCO**

Did Canadian Javelin purchase any shares in Nalco, and if so, how many and at what price per share

Notice of question, 17

Give an itemized account of all expenditures made by NALCO since its incorporation, and table a statement showing income and the amount of money on hand at the present time by this Crown Corporation

Notice of question, 17

Give the names and addresses of the present Directors of NALCO, and how many shares are owned by each of these said Directors

Notice of question, 17

How many shares are owned in NALCO by private individuals and by corporations, and what price per share was paid

Notice of question, 17

How many shares in Nalco are presently owned by the government and how much was paid for each share

Notice of question, 17

How much money has been paid from the treasury to Nalco

- Notice of question, 17
- What interest, if any, financially or otherwise, does Canadian Javelin have in NALCO at the present time
- Notice of question, 17
- What percentage of shares in Nalco is presently owned by the government
- Notice of question, 17
- What salary was being paid to Dr. Alfred Valdmanis by Nalco at the time of his resignation
- Notice of question, 17
- What, if any concessions to date have been granted by Nalco, and state to whom such concessions were granted, the extent of the concession, and in what areas were such concessions granted
- Notice of question, 17
- Where has been situated the head office of NALCO during the past twelve months
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- Committee, 1177, 1178, 1179, 1181–1182, 1188–1190, 1193–1194, 1195, 1197–1198, 1201, 1203–1204, 1207, 1208–1209, 1215, 1216, 1217, 1218–1219, 1226, 1227–1228, 1229, 1230, 1231, 1232, 1233–1234, 1235, 1237, 1240–1241, 1244, 1245
- Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd.**
- How much money has been advanced to Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. as working capital since March 31st 1953, and what amount, if any, has been paid back to the government on account of capital account and of working capital
- Notice of question, 29
- Newfoundland Power Commission Act (Bill 72)**
- Second reading, 2047–2049
- Committee, 2069, 2070
- North Star Cement Co.**
- How much money has been advanced to the following three companies by the government since March 31st, 1953, either as working capital or on capital account: Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., and the North Star Cement Co.
- Notice of question, 18
- Is it correct that the government sold 997 shares of the North Star Cement Co. out of a possible 1000 shares to the said holding trust for the sum of two hundred thousand dollars
- Notice of question, 56
- Total amounts to date paid out to, advanced to, or loaned the following industries, including capital account expenditures and working capital: Eckhardt Mills Ltd., Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., Newfoundland Tanneries - William Dorn, Atlantic Gloves Ltd., Canadian Leather Goods Ltd., Koch Shoes Ltd., Superior Rubber Co., Hanning Electric Co., Canadian Machinery and Industrial Construction Ltd., North Star Cement Co., Atlantic Hardboard Industries Ltd., United Cotton Mills Ltd., Atlantic Films and Electronics Ltd., and Terra Nova Textiles Ltd.
- Notice of question, 18–19
- What amount of money has been advanced by the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust to the government and the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., under agreement between the government, the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., and the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust, dated October 16, 1952
- Notice of question, 56
- Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Eberhard Rothe, a Director of the Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Company, and of the North Star Cement Company
- Notice of question, 496
- Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.**
- Is Chairman of the committee Mr. Thompson to be paid a salary or fee, and if so in what amount or at what rate, and for what period
- Question, 89
- Is Mr. James Thompson the Chairman of the Committee set up by the government to prepare Newfoundland's case to be laid before the Royal Commission on financial terms as called for in the Terms of Union
- Question, 89
- List members of the committee, together with any agreement or arrangement with each individual member as to monetary or any other form of recompense for their services
- Question, 89
- Table the total money paid out to Mr. James Thompson by the firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. since April 1st 1949 and the services performed by Mr. Thompson for said monies; give amounts paid to him in each fiscal year since April 1st 1949
- Question, 89

Who is the secretary of the committee, and what salary or other recompense is he to receive for his services

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### **Petitions**

Pentecostal Assembly

Right to representation in denominational system, 528–529

Whether it is the intention to present to the House a petition from Burin as to whether or not there is to be a sale of alcoholic liquor in that area

Notice of motion, 1840

### **Pharmaceutical Association Act (Bill 51)**

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### **Plant Protection Act (Bill 15)**

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***Atlantic Gypsum Ltd.***

As of February 9, 1952, who were the Directors

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Give a statement showing the net profit or net  
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production

Question, 88

Have any changes been made in the  
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February 9 1952, and if so, what  
changes were made

Question, 496

How many people are presently employed in  
the plant and how much is being paid in  
salaries and wages

Question, 88

Table a copy of Auditor Doanes' report for the  
period between October 1, 1951 and  
August 31, 1952; also table a copy of  
the Auditor's report since August 31  
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Question, 88

Table itemized accounts presented to the  
government by W.J. Lundrigan Ltd. in  
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Table report on all transactions between the  
government or any of the government  
departments and the firm of W. J.  
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cement, showing the number of bags,  
the prices charged, and the total  
amounts charged for each listed

amount of cement appearing in the  
various invoices on the following  
accounts: a) cement plant construction;  
b) gypsum plant construction; table an  
itemized account of W.J. Lundrigan's  
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as final claim, and also a similar  
account of another final claim for  
\$53,468.68 dated 25/8/52

Notice of question, 1839

Table statement showing total amounts of  
money in each year since April 1949  
paid to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd., also on  
what accounts were these monies paid,  
whether for the building of plants,  
construction or repair of roads, or for  
any other cause

Notice of question, 854

What is the cost to date to the Treasury of this  
plant

Question, 88

What number of Newfoundlanders are  
employed at the plant, and how many  
non-Newfoundlanders are employed;  
give the total wages and salaries paid  
out since March 31 1953 to each group

Question, 88

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has  
been removed from the Board of the  
company, and if so, state the date of  
said change

Question, 496

Who are the directors

Question, 88

Who is the manager of the plant, and what is  
his salary

Question, 88

***Atlantic Hardboards Industries Ltd.***

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has  
been removed from the board, and if  
so, on what date

Notice of question, 496

Who were the Directors as of May 27 1953

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***Birch Plant***

Can government give any assurance to the  
House that those people recently laid  
off work at the plant will shortly be re-  
employed by the company

Notice of question, 28

Number of men and women employed at the  
plant as of March 22nd 1954, and the  
exact number of men and women laid  
off on March 23rd

Notice of motion, 28

State the amount of salaries being paid to  
Manager Baird, Mr. Merrit and Mr. Bell

Notice of question, 28–29

State the rates of pay for the different  
classifications of work performed at the  
plant

Notice of motion, 28

Table copy of agreement for the construction of the birch plant at Donovan's, and a copy of the agreement providing for its operation

Notice of question, 1353

Table statement showing: a) salaries and wages paid out by the birch plant since March 31st 1953; b) the amount of monies paid for birch and other materials for said plant since said date, as well as amounts owing to suppliers of birch and other goods and materials for said plant for same period; c) amount of money received for birch products of said plant since March 31st 1953, as well as amounts due for goods delivered; d) the value of stocks of birch on hand both raw and manufactured as of the present date; e) the exact amount of cash working capital on hand as of this date

Notice of question, 29

What reason did company give for the lay-offs

Notice of motion, 28

#### **Board of Liquor Control**

In all cases where owners of premises where alcoholic liquors are sold are a limited liability company, and in all cases where licenses have been granted to a limited liability company, list the names of shareholders of said companies

Notice of motion, 19

Give the amount of money paid out by the Board of Liquor Control for alcoholic liquors since March 31st 1953, and state the amount of monies received by the Board over the same period on account of the sale of alcoholic liquors including wines and beers

Notice of motion, 19

Give the number of persons employed in carrying out the work of the Board of Liquor Control by classifications, together with wages or salaries for each classification of worker

Notice of motion, 19

List all taverns, hotels and club licenses in Newfoundland, with name and address of the proprietors, together with names and addresses of the owners of premises from which alcoholic liquors are sold

Notice of motion, 19

Provide a list of all brands of alcoholic liquors including wines and beers, purchased by the Board of Liquor Control since January 1st, 1953; give names of manufacturers of each brand and the names of all local agents

Notice of motion, 19

On what date did the Board of Liquor Control purchase the five hundred barrels of

Jamaica rum; who is the local agent of J. Wray & Nephew Ltd.

Notice of motion, 411

What local agents have sold alcoholic liquors to the Board of Liquor Control since March 31st, 1953, what was the total quantities purchased through these agents over the same period, and give amounts purchased through each individual agent

Notice of motion, 19

What was the total amount of duties paid by the Board of Liquor Control on account of all alcoholic liquors purchased between April 1st 1953 and February 28 1954

Notice of motion, 411

What, if any, licenses have been issued for the sale of liquor from premises in which any member of this Honourable House has a proprietary interest or a monetary interest of any kind, and list the names of such members and location of buildings concerned

Notice of motion, 19

#### **Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited**

How much money has been loaned by the government to the company, and/or to Mr. H.A. Russell and associates of the company

Notice of question, 129

Is Mr. H. Dunstan still an associate of Mr. H. A. Russell on the Board of Directors

Notice of question, 129

Is Mr. H. Dunstan still an associate of Mr. H.A. Russell and the Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd. in connection with the government's agreement with said company dated June 2nd 1952

Notice of question, 129

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Notice of question, 129

What is the exact financial relationship now existing between the government and the Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited

Notice of question, 129

Who is the government-nominated director on the Board of Directors of the Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd. and the Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited

Notice of question, 129

#### **Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd.**

What amounts have been paid in directors' fees to each director on the board of the Bonavista Fish Meals and Oils Ltd.

Notice of question, 129

What is the relationship between Mr. H. Dunstan of Bonavista Fish Meals and

Oils, and of Bonavista Cold Storage, and Mr. Dustan of the recently established Fishery Authority  
Notice of question, 129

**British Newfoundland Corporation Limited**

Give a detailed account of operations undertaken to date by British Newfoundland Corporation Limited along the lines of investigation and exploration in the leased areas, showing the number of geologists, mining experts, timber experts, hydro-electric experts and other specialists  
Notice of question, 31

Give an itemized statement showing expenditure incurred by Rothschild prior to the signing of the leases, under headings a) incorporation; b) exploration; c) investigation  
Notice of question, 31

Give the names and addresses of all Directors of British Newfoundland Corporation Limited, and list the shareholders in same, with number of shares held by each  
Notice of question, 31

To what extent has British Newfoundland Corporation Limited exercised its option to take up exploration leases as granted under section No. 3 of their agreement with government  
Notice of question, 31

What is the total monies thus far expended by this corporation on the exploration and investigation of natural resources contained in the 60,000 square miles of exploration leases given to said corporation by the government  
Notice of question, 30-31

What is the total number of paid-up shares to date of the British Newfoundland Corporation Limited  
Notice of question, 30

**Canadian National Railway**

Is minister aware that discrimination exists in rates of pay of departmental chief clerks, employed on the Newfoundland Division, Atlantic Division of the Canadian National Railways  
Notice of question, 968

Will the Attorney General bring matter of pay discrimination to the attention of the management of the Newfoundland Division of the Canadian National Railways so that this question may be rectified, and the rates of pay of all Chief Clerks be adjusted to the basis of the highest rate paid Chief Clerks of the Newfoundland division, and the adjustment be retroactive to the date the highest rate was established  
Notice of question, 968

**Cement Plant**

Table itemized accounts presented to the government by W.J. Lundrigan Ltd. in connection with all goods and services supplied by them in connection with the building of the plant  
Notice of question, 854

Table payment vouchers for all amounts of monies paid over to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. on account of the building of this and the gypsum plant  
Notice of question, 854

Table report on all transactions between the government or any of the government departments and the firm of W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. as to the purchase of cement, showing the number of bags, the prices charged, and the total amounts charged for each listed amount of cement appearing in the various invoices on the following accounts: a) cement plant construction; b) gypsum plant construction; table an itemized account of W.J. Lundrigan's claim for the sum of \$177,123.54 cents as final claim, and also a similar account of another final claim for \$53,468.68 dated 25/8/52  
Notice of question, 1839

Table statement showing total amounts of money in each year since April 1949 paid to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd., also on what accounts were these monies paid, whether for the building of plants, construction or repair of roads, or for any other cause  
Notice of question, 854

Will minister inform the House of the present whereabouts of Mr. Eberhard Rothe, a Director of North Star Cement Company  
Notice of question, 496

**Economic development**

Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited  
How much was paid by government for each of the films done by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited  
Notice of question, 56

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Notice of question, 56

Table statement showing the number of documentary films made for the government by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited  
Notice of question, 56

What is the amount of interest paid to date by Atlantic Films and Electronics

- Limited on account of loans or advances from government  
Notice of question, 56
- What is the number of people employed by Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited  
Notice of question, 56
- What was the total amount of money loaned, guaranteed, or advanced to Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited apart from monies paid for said films  
Notice of question, 56
- Hanning Electric  
How many men and/or women are presently employed at this plant  
Notice of question, 802
- What is the total amount of government monies paid to this company and/or to Mr. Hanning personally; give the dates on which monies were paid to this company, and the separate amounts paid on each date  
Notice of question, 802
- Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan, Director of Hanning Electric and of the Superior Rubber Company  
Notice of question, 496
- Industries  
Give probable dates when other plans will go into production  
Notice of question, 1211
- Give the names of plants in full production, and the value of goods manufactured to date; give dates when said plants went into full production  
Notice of question, 1211
- Give the names of plants referred to in the budget which are in partial production, and the value of commodities manufactured in these plants to date  
Notice of question, 1211
- Has Benno Schilde returned the \$150,000 or not  
Notice of question, 1368
- Have any ex-gratia awards been made to the following companies on account of work done and/or on account of price changes in commodities, and/or on account of advances in wage rates since the commencement of construction on the cement plant and the gypsum plant: the firms of MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd.  
Notice of question, 1211
- How much money has been advanced to the following three companies by the government since March 31st, 1953, either as working capital or on capital account: Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., and the North Star Cement Co.  
Notice of question, 18
- If ex-gratia payments have been made to MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd., state the amounts involved with each company, the date of the award, and the date of payment, and on what account  
Notice of question, 1211
- Is it expected that any more monies from government will have to be advanced to the plants that are not yet in production, and if so, what amount for each such plant  
Notice of question, 1211
- List the names of the new industries referred to in the budget speech which are employing 2000 men, and the number employed in each of these said plants  
Notice of question, 1211
- Provide the number of men and women presently employed in the above-mentioned plants  
Notice of question, 19
- Provide the number of Newfoundlanders presently employed in the above-mentioned plants  
Notice of question, 19
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Notice of question, 1280-1281
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Notice of question, 1281
- Table balance sheets and profit and loss accounts to the end of February as from March 31st, 1953 of the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd. and Atlantic Gypsum Ltd.  
Notice of question, 19
- Table certified copy of government payment voucher 15/363 of 50/51 account, together with a certified copy of all

- documents which form part of same, and having to do with the voucher as it relates to the Birch Plant, the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Chester Dawe, Chester Dawe Ltd., and the Government of Newfoundland
- Notice of question, 679
- Total amounts to date paid out to, advanced to, or loaned the following industries, including capital account expenditures and working capital: Eckhardt Mills Ltd., Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., Newfoundland Tanneries - William Dorn, Atlantic Gloves Ltd., Canadian Leather Goods Ltd., Koch Shoes Ltd., Superior Rubber Co., Hanning Electric Co., Canadian Machinery and Industrial Construction Ltd., North Star Cement Co., Atlantic Hardboard Industries Ltd., United Cotton Mills Ltd., Atlantic Films and Electronics Ltd., and Terra Nova Textiles Ltd.
- Notice of question, 18-19
- Were such payments made by the government to any of said companies, or were they made from any one company to the other on instructions from the government or from any minister of the government; give details in all instances with dates of said instructions
- Notice of question, 1211
- What amounts, if any, have been raised by way of government guaranteed loans by companies listed above, and what amounts if any have been paid back to the government by said companies on account of monies advanced by government, interest on monies loaned or advanced by government
- Notice of question, 19
- What is the total value of machinery brought into Newfoundland by companies listed above, and who certified as to said value; give a statement in the case of each company showing invoice, cost, freight, insurance, duty and cartage; table a copy of all mortgages held by government on machinery and buildings of said companies
- Notice of question, 19
- Northeastern Co-operative Fisheries Society
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- Whether company is now in voluntary liquidation, and if so, who are the trustees
- Notice of question, 204
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- Has the company thus far succeeded in negotiating any commercial bank loan, or sold any of its bonds
- Notice of question, 280
- Has the Minister any knowledge as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan and Mr. L. Grube, and if not, is the government prepared to start an investigation as to their present whereabouts
- Notice of question, 280
- Has the plant for the company been completed and if so, has production or manufacture of rubber goods begun
- Notice of question, 280
- How many men and/or women are presently employed in this plant, and how many are Newfoundlanders
- Notice of question, 280
- Is the plant owned by Superior Rubber Company yet in production, and if so on what date did it go into production
- Notice of question, 802
- What amount of insurance against loss or damage by fire is presently being carried on the fixed assets of the company and is said insurance made payable to the government
- Notice of question, 280
- What was the landed cost of plant machinery, tools, equipment, furniture, fittings and raw materials by this company, including invoice, cost, freight, insurance, duty and cartage; who certified this landed cost
- Notice of question, 280
- Who is the managing director of this plant
- Notice of question, 280
- Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan, Director of Hanning Electric and of the Superior Rubber Company and Mr. Ludwig Grube, a Director of the Superior Rubber Company

Notice of question, 496

### **Finance**

Amount of overdraft loan or advance of the treasury at the Bank of Montreal at the present time, and if there is no overdraft loans or advance, what amount stands to the credit of the treasury at the Bank of Montreal at the present time

Notice of question, 29–30

Amounts collected to date during the current fiscal year on account of a) Social Security Assessment Act; b) the Gasoline Tax; c) Cancer Control Tax; d) mineral leases; royalties, etc.

Notice of question, 29

Canadian Machinery Holding Trust

Account for the payment of \$25,000 to Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Co. over and above the amount pledged in that company; give the number of men employed at present with this company, and the number in employment there at the end of 1953

Notice of question, 803

Did the trust make the necessary improvements in the cement plant according to agreement dated October 16 1952

Notice of question, 56

Explain the reason for paying the trust an amount of \$25,000 in excess of the 2.5 million dollars called for under the terms of the Canadian Machinery Industries Ltd. Act

Notice of question, 679

Give the name of the person who valued the machinery on entry of the plant; table a copy of all certificates of evaluation issued in each case

Notice of question, 679

Is it correct that the government sold 997 shares of the North Star Cement Co. out of a possible 1000 shares to the said holding trust for the sum of two hundred thousand dollars

Notice of question, 56

Is Minister in a position to state the value of all machinery in said plant as to invoice price; if so, will Minister advise the House as to said value

Notice of question, 679

List the names of directors and shareholders of the trust, and indicate where in Switzerland is the registered trust of the company, and in what Swiss government office is said trust registered

Notice of question, 56

What amount of money has been advanced by the Canadian Machinery Holding

Trust to the government and the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., under agreement between the government, the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., and the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust, dated October 16, 1952

Notice of question, 56

What is the exact amount required to be paid yearly by said holding trust under said agreement

Notice of question, 56

What is the total amount of insurance carried on the North Star Cement Plant and with what insurance company is said insurance carried; has the North Star Cement Company executed a first mortgage in favour of the government on the Cement plant, and if so, for what amount

Notice of question, 56–67

What proportion of the share capital of the Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Ltd is held by the trust

Notice of question, 56

Who is the president of the trust and who are the directors

Notice of question, 496

Who signed the agreement of October 16 1952 on behalf of, or as attorney for the trust

Notice of question, 56

Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Eberhard Rothe, a Director of the Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Company, and of the North Star Cement Company

Notice of question, 496

Give the amounts of revenue and expenditure by departments to the present time, both on current account and on capital account

Notice of question, 30

### **Loans**

Give list of all loans under the headings of Fisheries and Economic Development, and also those under the heading Guaranteed Bank Loans, showing the amount of insurance required to be carried under the agreement for said loans or guarantees on the assets of the companies concerned; show also the amounts of insurance carried in each case

Notice of question, 280

List the loans made by Commission of Government for fishery development or encouragement of the fishery

industry and state what amounts are still owing on each  
Notice of question, 29  
Table a complete list of all guaranteed loans made by the government to individuals or corporations since April 1st 1949, whether for economic development, fishery development, or for any other purpose, showing the name of individual or corporation, the amount guaranteed, and the present situation with regard to said guaranteed loan  
Notice of question, 29  
Table a complete list of all outright loans from the Treasury to individuals or corporations since April 1st 1959, whether for economic development, fishery development, or for any other purpose, showing name of individual or corporation, the amount loaned, and the present amount still outstanding on said loan  
Notice of question, 29  
Whether any mortgages have been secured to the government by the North Eastern Fish Industries Ltd. on the draggers or on any other assets of said company, and if so, in what amount  
Notice of question, 280  
Newfoundland Exchequer Account  
Table certified copies of all warrants of the Lieutenant-Governor since March 31st, 1953, having to do with the authorization of issues from the Newfoundland Exchequer Account, and as found in the Minutes of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council  
Question, 18  
Table reports as required by Section 37(a) of The Audit Act, showing manner in which such expenditures were urgently needed for the public good  
Question, 18  
Public accounts  
Table copies of the public accounts  
Question, 18  
Sinking Fund  
How much money has been credited to the Sinking Fund set up in connection with the Ten Million Dollar Loan raised last year, and where and how is this money invested  
Question, 18  
Temporary Loans  
Table a detailed account of all temporary loans since March 31st, 1953, as authorized by Section 26 of The Revenue and Audit Act; show amount of each temporary loan, the date of raising it, the date when paid

off, the rates of interest charged by the bank, and the name of the bank  
Question, 18  
What loans were negotiated with the Bank of Montreal by the Treasury since March 31st 1953, give the date of each loan, advance or overdraft, the amount involved on each separate occasion, and the interest rate charged by said bank  
Notice of question, 30

### **Fisheries**

Converting ships  
Are the two converted longliners the *Hubert G. Smith* and the *Tucker* schooner now operating as longliners, and what was the total cost of conversion and operation of these two vessels to date  
Notice of question, 1109  
Did the *Kean Brothers* vessel operate as a Danish seiner and for what period, and what was the cost of such operation  
Notice of question, 1109  
Is the *Kean Brothers* now in operation and if not, why not  
Notice of question, 1109  
What was the total cost of converting for Danish seining the schooner *Kean Brothers*  
Notice of question, 1109  
Danish seiners and Newfoundland long-liners  
How many such vessels were operated under government sponsorship; give the names of skippers of said vessels, the number of the crew and the ports from which each such vessel operated, together with total quantities of fish caught by each such boat and value of fish caught by each boat; give also the total expenditure by the government or by any of its departments upon each such boat, together with amounts spent in wages for boat's skipper and crew, during the calendar year 1953; give tonnage of each boat  
Notice of question, 57  
In the minister's opinion what is the correct tonnage for such fishing boats, the correct crew number; and what is the approximate cost of construction of such a boat, and total cost including engine when boat is ready for sea  
Notice of question, 57  
Total number of men employed fishing on these boats  
Notice of question, 57  
Total number of Newfoundland long-liners and Danish seiners operating in

- Newfoundland waters during the year 1953  
Notice of question, 57
- Total quantity of fish caught by these vessels and the total landed value of same  
Notice of question, 57
- Whether it is the intention of government to continue with its experimental fishing from such boats in future  
Notice of question, 57
- Expenditures  
Table detailed statement showing all capital account expenditure made under Subhead 1422 since April 1st 1953, to date, including the names of all individuals, firms or companies to whom monies were paid and the amount paid to each, together with an explanation with some detail as to why these expenditures were made  
Notice of question, 58
- Fishery Development Authority  
Give names of recently appointed authority  
Notice of question, 57
- Give the dimensions of the 23 foot boat recently purchased in Europe by said authority; from whom was the boat purchased at what price, and on whose recommendation  
Notice of question, 57
- State amount of salaries being paid to the Chairman and the members of the authority or committee, and state what if any contract has been entered into with these individuals by government; table copies of said contract or agreement  
Notice of question, 57
- State in detail the exact duties of the authority, and state under what section of the Consolidated Statutes the authority is set up  
Notice of question, 57
- Table amount showing the following particulars for the Charlotte and the Matthew: the original building or purchasing cost, the cost of machinery as installed in said boats, the running expenses during the period said boats were in possession of the government, the total earning of said boats and the amounts received on the sale of each boat; table a complete account of each of these boats as it exists at the Dept. of Fisheries  
Notice of question, 57
- On whose authority was each boat built or purchased and on whose recommendation; on whose recommendation were they ordered sold  
Notice of question, 57
- Give a detailed account of any housing schemes envisaged for fishermen  
Notice of question, 18
- Has government given any consideration to the choice of salt depots in strategic locations as recommended by the committee, and if so, what centres have been selected  
Notice of question, 18
- Have any negotiations thus far taken place relative to the establishment of small fish meal plants along the northeast coast as recommended in the aforementioned Development Committee report  
Notice of question, 17
- Have either the provincial or the federal government taken any steps to implement the recommendations in the memorandum dated November 20 1952 by the Walsh Committee relative to a) reconnaissance survey begun in 1952, b) selected sites, c) essential services at those sites, and provide details of any such implementations  
Notice of question, 17
- How much money has been loaned by the Co-operative Loan Board since its formation; give the names of individuals or societies to whom money has been loaned in each case, the amount of the loan, as well as the date of the loan  
Notice of question, 30
- How much money has been loaned to help fishermen to finance new and better methods, new and better boats and gear, by the Fisheries Development Loan Board since its inception; give the names of individual fishermen, address and amount of loan in each case  
Notice of question, 30
- How much money has thus far been placed at the disposal of the loan board, and what is the present status financially of each society to whom money was loaned relative to its association with the loan board  
Notice of question, 30
- How much money was loaned by each of the loan boards since March 31 1953  
Notice of question, 30
- Icelandic vessels  
Does government hold a mortgage on the vessel which was sold on terms, and for what amount  
Notice of question, 280
- Give an itemized statement showing the disposition of monies received by the sale of these ships; to whom

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What encouragements have been offered by the Government for minor centralization of curing operations in small settlements, and give the locations where any such efforts have been made  
Notice of question, 17  
On what grounds or on what accounts were further expenditures totalling \$27,648.24 made by government on behalf of the Northeastern Co-operative Fisheries Society since March 31 1953; was this amount a guaranteed loan, or did it consist of cash advances, and if so, for what purposes; itemize the various payments making up this amount of \$27,648.24  
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What is the exact amount of money thus far placed at the disposal of the Loan Board for financing fishermen  
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What steps have been taken on the northeast coast, if any, toward the centralization of the salt fish industry, and what centres have been selected for the establishment of suitable plants to take care of the inshore fishery along that coast  
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What was the total cost to Treasury of a) the Newfoundland Fisheries Survey; and b) the Royal Commission under Sir Albert

Walsh, and give a detailed statement of said costs  
Notice of question, 18  
What, if any program of market research has been instituted by either the provincial or federal government  
Notice of question, 18  
What, if any, efforts to this end have been made by the Cooperative Division of the Dept. of Fisheries and Cooperatives  
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Is it government's intention to take legal action against the Canadian National Railways for a return to the taxpayers of Newfoundland of all excess rates paid by the people of Newfoundland to the railway from April 1 1949 up to the time a decision was given by the Canadian Supreme Court in favour of Newfoundland  
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Give the names of all of the interns at each of the hospitals in Newfoundland  
Notice of question, 56  
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How will the three hundred thousand dollars for the adjustment of salaries in the Dept. of Health estimates be appropriated  
Notice of question, 55  
State the number of orderlies at the General Hospital, their hours of work, and their salaries, and how many orderlies have homes outside of St. John's  
Notice of question, 55–56  
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In computing the amount payable for rent-purchase per month by the occupier of a home is it a fact that family allowances and war pension cheques are treated as income  
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Generally what is the arrangement of the use of this building by parties other than the Memorial University College authorities  
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What amount was paid by the Liberal Association on this account, on the occasion of the recent annual ball in celebration of the birthday of the Hon. Louis St. Laurent  
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Give itemized list of equipment and machinery shipped to Newfoundland by the German firm of MIAG, for the various new industries, including that which was shipped for the cement plant, together with invoice values of said machinery and equipment  
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Name the company or companies who carried insurance on the equipment and machinery shipped and also the persons or companies to whom insurance was paid by government  
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Question, 87  
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Question, 87  
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Who paid the cost of the three-man survey and its expenses, and if it was the Dept. of Mines and Resources, has the department been reimbursed by the present owners of the cement plant  
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Did Canadian Javelin purchase any shares in Nalco, and if so, how many and at what price per share  
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Give an itemized account of all expenditures made by NALCO since its incorporation, and table a statement showing income and the amount of money on hand at the present time by this Crown Corporation  
Notice of question, 17

Give the names and addresses of the present Directors of NALCO, and how many shares are owned by each of these said Directors

Notice of question, 17

How many shares are owned in NALCO by private individuals and by corporations, and what price per share was paid

Notice of question, 17

How many shares in Nalco are presently owned by the government and how much was paid for each share

Notice of question, 17

How much money has been paid from the treasury to Nalco

Notice of question, 17

What interest, if any, financially or otherwise, does Canadian Javelin have in NALCO at the present time

Notice of question, 17

What percentage of shares in Nalco is presently owned by the government

Notice of question, 17

What salary was being paid to Dr. Alfred Valdmanis by Nalco at the time of his resignation

Notice of question, 17

What, if any concessions to date have been granted by Nalco, and state to whom such concessions were granted, the extent of the concession, and in what areas were such concessions granted

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Where has been situated the head office of NALCO during the past twelve months

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Notice of question

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***Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.***

Is Chairman of the committee Mr. Thompson to be paid a salary or fee, and if so in what amount or at what rate, and for what period

Question, 89

Is Mr. James Thompson the Chairman of the Committee set up by the government to prepare Newfoundland's case to be laid before the Royal Commission on financial terms as called for in the Terms of Union

Question, 89

List members of the committee, together with any agreement or arrangement with each individual member as to monetary or any other form of recompense for their services

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Table the total money paid out to Mr. James Thompson by the firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. since April 1st 1949 and the services performed by Mr. Thompson for said monies; give amounts paid to him in each fiscal year since April 1st 1949

Question, 89

Who is the secretary of the committee, and what salary or other recompense is he to receive for his services

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***Petitions***

Whether it is the intention to present to the House a petition from Burin as to whether or not there is to be a sale of alcoholic liquor in that area

Notice of motion, 1840

***Relief***

Give detailed statement showing the cost of said relief each month, by Districts; show also the amount per person or per family, and whether in cash or by order on merchants

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Give statement showing the number of persons per electoral district receiving sick relief each month since March 31 1953 and the cost of same per district

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On what date was said machinery shipped out of Newfoundland, and by what route, and state its destination; in what insurance company was said machinery insured when shipped out of Newfoundland, and what amount of insurance was placed on same

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 Does government hold a mortgage on the vessel which was sold on terms, and for what amount  
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Answer deferred, 62

How much money has been loaned to help fishermen to finance new and better methods, new and better boats and gear, by the Fisheries Development Loan Board since its inception; give the names of individual fishermen, address and amount of loan in each case

Answer deferred, 62

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Answer deferred, 62

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Answer deferred, 62

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**Board of Liquor Control**

Give the amount of money paid out by the Board of Liquor Control for alcoholic liquors since March 31st 1953, and state the amount of monies received by the Board over the same period on account of the sale of alcoholic liquors including wines and beers

Answer deferred, 62

Answer, 501

Give the names, addresses and dates of appointment of all agents of the Board of Liquor Control and/or of the manufacturers of beer who have been given authority to sell beer by the case; how much beer has been sold by each such agent during the past fiscal year, giving the value in each case, and the rate and amount of commission paid to each agent

Answer deferred, 472

Answer, 533–544

Give the number of persons employed in carrying out the work of the Board of Liquor Control by classifications, together with wages or salaries for each classification of worker

Answer, 61

Provide a list of all brands of alcoholic liquors including wines and beers, purchased by the Board of Liquor Control since January 1st, 1953; give names of manufacturers of each brand and the names of all local agents

Answer deferred, 62, 105

Answer, 284–289

Table a detailed statement showing the total number of bottles of rum, whiskey, gin, beer and wines, sold by and through the Board of Liquor Control since April 1st 1953 to February 28 1954

Answer deferred, 65

What local agents have sold alcoholic liquors to the Board of Liquor Control since March 31st, 1953, what was the total quantities purchased through these agents over the same period, and give amounts purchased through each individual agent

Answer deferred, 62

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What is the exact financial relationship now existing between the government and the Bonavista Cold Storage Company Limited

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What was the total amount of cash loans made to the society, and have any payments been made by company to government on any of these loans

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**Finance**

Amount of overdraft loan or advance of the treasury at the Bank of Montreal at the present time, and if there is no overdraft loans or advance, what amount stands to the credit of the treasury at the Bank of Montreal at the present time

Answer, 62

Amounts collected to date during the current fiscal year on account of a) Social Security Assessment Act; b) the Gasoline Tax; c) Cancer Control Tax; d) mineral leases; royalties, etc.

Answer, 62

**Canadian Machinery Holding Trust**

What amount of money has been advanced by the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust to the government and the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., under agreement between the government, the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., and the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust, dated October 16, 1952

Answer deferred, 106, 141

Did government negotiate any loans with the Industrial Development Loan Board, the Co-operative Development Loan Board, or the Fisheries Loan Board, during the 1953-1954 fiscal year; if so, state the amount borrowed, the rate of interest and the amount of interest paid in each case

Answer, 1159

Did the Government of Newfoundland receive from the Government of Canada the \$1.12 per quintal price support payment, in respect of the 1953 production and sale of salt cod; if so, state the amount and the date when this money was received

Answer, 1159

Give the amounts of revenue and expenditure by departments to the present time, both on current account and on capital account

Answer, 62

**Loans**

Give list of all loans under the headings of Fisheries and Economic Development, and also those under the heading Guaranteed Bank Loans, showing the amount of insurance required to be carried under the agreement for said loans or guarantees on the assets of the companies concerned; show also the amounts of insurance carried in each case

Answer, 344-349

Table a complete list of all outright loans from the Treasury to individuals or corporations since April 1st 1959, whether for economic development,

fishery development, or for any other purpose, showing name of individual or corporation, the amount loaned, and the present amount still outstanding on said loan

Answer deferred, 105

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Answer, 1781

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Answer deferred, 106

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Answer deferred, 106

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Answer deferred, 106

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Are any amounts for each government department charged to suspense account, and if so, what amounts and on account of what particular travelling expenses

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**Gander River Cabin**

If government maintains a cabin on Gander River, when was property acquired, from whom, and at what price

Answer, 63

Was cabin property used in 1953, and if so, during what periods and by whom

Answer, 63

For what purpose is cabin on Gander River maintained

Answer, 63

Whether any staff are employed to maintain the cabin on Gander River, and if so, list their names and salaries

Answer, 62

Whether government maintains a cabin or cabins on Gander River

Answer, 63

Geological survey

Give the total cost to the department of all surveys made by said department since March 31st 1953, together with locations of each separate survey, its cost and the number of men employed on each survey; list the total number of Newfoundlanders on each survey party

Answer tabled, 131

If government paid for the survey, has Nalco reimbursed the department for costs

Answer tabled, 131

What was the cost of the three-man survey party under Mr. Gillespie on limestone outcrops in the vicinity of the Humbermouth Cement Plant and of the spotting and drilling of holes at the quarry of the cement plant last summer

Answer tabled, 131

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Answer tabled, 130–131

Who paid the cost of the three-man survey and its expenses, and if it was the Dept. of Mines and Resources, has the department been reimbursed by the present owners of the cement plant

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To what persons have loans been made for the purchase of livestock and land development purposes, and the purchase of farm equipment, giving the amount loaned in each case, the conditions for repayment; what was the date of each loan; has a first mortgage been taken on borrower's real estate as security, and if not, state the reason; have other applications for loans been approved but not yet granted; who are these applicants and for what amounts have the loans been approved; who drafted the mortgages given by borrowers; was there any charge for same; if so, how much was the amount in each case; is there a registration fee on each mortgage; who pays for costs of mortgage and registering

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Confirm whether the sheep from Scotland have been sold, 1707–1708, 1764

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Answer deferred, 2058, 2109

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Answer, 132

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Give an itemized account of all expenditures made by NALCO since its incorporation, and table a statement showing income and the amount of money on hand at the present time by this Crown Corporation

Answer declined, 35

Give the names and addresses of the present Directors of NALCO, and how many shares are owned by each of these said Directors, 35

How many shares are owned in NALCO by private individuals and by corporations, and what price per share was paid, 33

How many shares in Nalco are presently owned by the government and how much was paid for each share, 33

How much money has been paid from the treasury to Nalco

Answer, 33

What salary was being paid to Dr. Alfred Valdmanis by Nalco at the time of his resignation

Answer, 34

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**Atlantic Gypsum Ltd.**

Give a statement showing the net profit or net loss of this plant since it started production

Answer deferred, 215

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Answer, 532

How many people are presently employed in the plant and how much is being paid in salaries and wages

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Answer, 880, 1161

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Notice of question, 1161

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Answer, 1907, 1924

Table statement showing total amounts of money in each year since April 1949 paid to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd., also on what accounts were these monies paid, whether for the building of plants, construction or repair of roads, or for any other cause

Answer, 880, 1161

What is the cost to date to the Treasury of this plant

Answer, 215, 1866

What number of Newfoundlanders are employed at the plant, and how many non-Newfoundlanders are employed; give the total wages and salaries paid out since March 31 1953 to each group

Answer deferred, 132

Answer, 215, 314

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has been removed from the Board of the company, and if so, state the date of said change

Answer, 532

Who are the directors

Answer deferred, 131

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Who is the manager of the plant, and what is his salary

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#### **Atlantic Hardboards Industries Ltd.**

First of new companies to operate in the black, 1912

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has been removed from the board, and if so, on what date

Answer, 532

Who were the Directors as of May 27 1953

Answer, 532

#### **Birch Plant**

Can government give any assurance to the House that those people recently laid off work at the plant will shortly be re-employed by the company

Answer deferred, 62

Number of men and women employed at the plant as of March 22nd 1954, and the exact number of men and women laid off on March 23rd

Answer deferred, 62

State the amount of salaries being paid to Manager Baird, Mr. Merrit and Mr. Bell

Answer deferred, 62

State the rates of pay for the different classifications of work performed at the plant

Answer deferred, 62

Table copy of agreement for the construction of the birch plant at Donovan's, and a copy of the agreement providing for its operation

Answer, 1353, 1865-1866

Table statement showing: a) salaries and wages paid out by the birch plant since March 31st 1953; b) the amount of monies paid for birch and other materials for said plant since said date, as well as amounts owing to suppliers of birch and other goods and materials for said plant for same period; c) amount of money received for birch products of said plant since March 31st 1953, as well as amounts due for goods delivered; d) the value of stocks of birch on hand both raw and manufactured as of the present date; e) the exact amount of cash working capital on hand as of this date

Answer deferred, 62

What reason did company give for the lay-offs

Answer deferred, 62

#### **Board of Liquor Control**

On what date did the Board of Liquor Control purchase the five hundred barrels of Jamaica rum; who is the local agent of J. Wray & Nephew Ltd.

Answer deferred, 437, 472

Answer, 501

What was the total amount of duties paid by the Board of Liquor Control on account of all alcoholic liquors purchased between April 1st 1953 and February 28 1954

Answer, 501

When can we expect an answer to a request sent to the government to hold a plebiscite in a certain area regarding the sale of liquor in Mount Pearl

Answer, 1840

#### **Botwood Water Corporation (Amendment) Act (Bill 61)**

Second reading, 1980

Committee, 1992

#### **British Newfoundland Corporation Limited**

Conducting thorough survey of the hydro-electric potential of the watershed of the Hamilton River and the Grand Falls in Labrador, 375-376

Give the names and addresses of all Directors of British Newfoundland Corporation Limited, and list the shareholders in same, with number of shares held by each

Answer, 63

To what extent has British Newfoundland Corporation Limited exercised its option to take up exploration leases as granted under section No. 3 of their agreement with government

Answer, 62

What is the total monies thus far expended by this corporation on the exploration and investigation of natural resources

contained in the 60,000 square miles of exploration leases given to said corporation by the government

Answer, 63

What is the total number of paid-up shares to date of the British Newfoundland Corporation Limited

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Answer, 33

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Valdmanis relative to the corporation; also table correspondence between government and Canadian Javelin Company relative to their selection of mining leases, 164

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Answer deferred, 2058, 2109

Answer, 1906–1907, 1924, 2109–2114

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Answer, 880, 1161

What is the total amount of insurance carried on the North Star Cement Plant and with what insurance company is said insurance carried; has the North Star Cement Company executed a first mortgage in favour of the government on the Cement plant, and if so, for what amount

Answer, 551

### **City of St. John's (Stadium Loan) Act (Bill 23)**

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### **Civil Service (Amendment) Act (Bill 67)**

Amendment

Bill be given second reading in six months—

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**Dawe, Chester**

Economic Development  
Industries

Table certified copy of government payment voucher 15/363 of 50/51 account, together with a certified copy of all documents which form part of same, and having to do with the voucher as it relates to the Birch Plant, the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd., Chester Dawe, Chester Dawe Ltd., and the Government of Newfoundland

Answer deferred, 709, 741

Whether there has been another agreement with Chester Dawe that has not been tabled

Answer deferred, 1764, 1839

Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd.

Give an itemized statement with vouchers of the account of \$1497.17 travelling expenses incurred by Mr. Chester Dawe in the United States of America from January 9th to January 18th 1951 in reordering machinery for the birch plant and in seeking markets for birch products; whether this amount has been paid Mr. Dawe

Answer, 1027, 1028

Table copies of all correspondence between government and Chester Dawe, relative to granting amounts of working capital for the company

Answer, 164, 165

Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd.

What are the items referred to in Paragraph 39 of the Auditor General's report for 1951-1952 where it was observed that "goods other than those ordinarily sold by Chester Dawe Ltd. were supplied" to the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd.

Answer, 1026

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Answer, 1027, 1028

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**Deferred Pensions Act (Bill 73)**

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**Disabled Persons Act (Bill 74)**

Second reading, 2075–2076  
Committee, 2077

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**Dog (Amendment) Act (Bill 44)**

Second reading, 1618

**Economic Development**

Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

How much was paid by government for each of the films done by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Answer, 140

Is Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited under contract with government to make any further films, and if so, state the amount of money involved

Answer, 140–141

Table statement showing the number of documentary films made for the government by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Answer, 140

What is the amount of interest paid to date by Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited on account of loans or advances from government

Answer, 141

What is the number of people employed by Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Answer, 141

What was the total amount of money loaned, guaranteed, or advanced to Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited apart from monies paid for said films

Answer, 141

Hanning Electric

How many men and/or women are presently employed at this plant

Answer, 856

What is the total amount of government monies paid to this company and/or to Mr. Hanning personally; give the dates on which monies were paid to this company, and the separate amounts paid on each date

Answer, 856

Industries

Give the names of plants in full production, and the value of goods manufactured to date; give dates when said plants went into full production

- Answer, 1281
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- Answer, 1281
- Has Benno Schilde returned the \$150,000 or not
- Answer, 1368–1369
- Have any ex-gratia awards been made to the following companies on account of work done and/or on account of price changes in commodities, and/or on account of advances in wage rates since the commencement of construction on the cement plant and the gypsum plant: the firms of MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd.
- Answer, 1367
- How much money has been advanced to the following three companies by the government since March 31st, 1953, either as working capital or on capital account: Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., and the North Star Cement Co.
- Answer deferred, 61, 105
- Answer, 132
- If ex-gratia payments have been made to MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd., state the amounts involved with each company, the date of the award, and the date of payment, and on what account
- Answer, 1367–1368
- If tenders were called and received for machinery for the plants, table them
- Answer, 1026
- If tenders were not called for the supply of machinery or equipment for the plants, provide the reason
- Answer, 1026
- If tenders were not called, were contracts in writing entered into by the government for the supply of machinery; if so, table copies of each contract
- Answer, 1026
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- Answer deferred, 61, 132
- Provide the number of Newfoundlanders presently employed in the above-mentioned plants
- Answer deferred, 61
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- Answer deferred, 709, 741
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- Answer deferred, 61
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- Answer, 1026
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- Answer, 1026
- What amounts, if any, have been raised by way of government guaranteed loans by companies listed above, and what amounts if any have been paid back to the government by said companies on account of monies advanced by government, interest on monies loaned or advanced by government
- Answer deferred, 61
- What is the total value of machinery brought into Newfoundland by companies listed above, and who certified as to said value; give a statement in the case of each company showing invoice, cost, freight, insurance, duty and cartage; table a copy of all mortgages held by

government on machinery and buildings of said companies  
Answer deferred, 61  
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Whether there has been another agreement with Chester Dawe that has not been tabled  
Answer deferred, 1764, 1839  
Superior Rubber Company  
Is the plant owned by Superior Rubber Company yet in production, and if so on what date did it go into production  
Answer, 855–856  
Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan, Director of Hanning Electric and of the Superior Rubber Company and Mr. Ludwig Grube, a Director of the Superior Rubber Company  
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Answer, 1030

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Answer, 132

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Answer, 343

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Answer, 1027, 1028

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Answer, 1028

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Answer, 1026

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What is the cost to date to the Treasury of this plant

Answer, 215, 1866

What number of Newfoundlanders are employed at the plant, and how many non-Newfoundlanders are employed; give the total wages and salaries paid out since March 31 1953 to each group

Answer deferred, 132

Answer, 215, 314

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has been removed from the Board of the company, and if so, state the date of said change

Answer, 532

Who are the directors

Answer deferred, 131

Answer, 215, 532

Who is the manager of the plant, and what is his salary

Answer, 215

**Atlantic Hardboards Industries Ltd.**

Whether the name of Dr. A. Valdmanis has been removed from the board, and if so, on what date

Answer, 532

Who were the Directors as of May 27 1953

Answer, 532

### **Birch Plant**

Can government give any assurance to the House that those people recently laid off work at the plant will shortly be re-employed by the company

Answer deferred, 62

Number of men and women employed at the plant as of March 22nd 1954, and the exact number of men and women laid off on March 23rd

Answer deferred, 62

State the amount of salaries being paid to Manager Baird, Mr. Merrit and Mr. Bell

Answer deferred, 62

State the rates of pay for the different classifications of work performed at the plant

Answer deferred, 62

Table copy of agreement for the construction of the birch plant at Donovan's, and a copy of the agreement providing for its operation

Answer, 1353, 1865-1866

Table statement showing: a) salaries and wages paid out by the birch plant since March 31st 1953; b) the amount of monies paid for birch and other materials for said plant since said date, as well as amounts owing to suppliers of birch and other goods and materials for said plant for same period; c) amount of money received for birch products of said plant since March 31st 1953, as well as amounts due for goods delivered; d) the value of stocks of birch on hand both raw and manufactured as of the present date; e) the exact amount of cash working capital on hand as of this date

Answer deferred, 62

What reason did company give for the lay-offs

Answer deferred, 62

### **Board of Liquor Control**

On what date did the Board of Liquor Control purchase the five hundred barrels of Jamaica rum; who is the local agent of J. Wray & Nephew Ltd.

Answer deferred, 437, 472

Answer, 501

What was the total amount of duties paid by the Board of Liquor Control on account of all alcoholic liquors purchased between April 1st 1953 and February 28 1954

Answer, 501

When can we expect an answer to a request sent to the government to hold a plebiscite in a certain area regarding the sale of liquor in Mount Pearl

Answer, 1840

**British Newfoundland Corporation Limited**

Give the names and addresses of all Directors of British Newfoundland Corporation Limited, and list the shareholders in same, with number of shares held by each

Answer, 63

To what extent has British Newfoundland Corporation Limited exercised its option to take up exploration leases as granted under section No. 3 of their agreement with government

Answer, 62

What is the total monies thus far expended by this corporation on the exploration and investigation of natural resources contained in the 60,000 square miles of exploration leases given to said corporation by the government

Answer, 63

What is the total number of paid-up shares to date of the British Newfoundland Corporation Limited

Answer deferred, 62–63

**Cement Plant**

Table itemized accounts presented to the government by W.J. Lundrigan Ltd. in connection with all goods and services supplied by them in connection with the building of the plant

Answer, 880, 1161

Table report on all transactions between the government or any of the government departments and the firm of W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. as to the purchase of cement, showing the number of bags, the prices charged, and the total amounts charged for each listed amount of cement appearing in the various invoices on the following accounts: a) cement plant construction; b) gypsum plant construction; table an itemized account of W.J. Lundrigan's claim for the sum of \$177,123.54 cents as final claim, and also a similar account of another final claim for \$53,468.68 dated 25/8/52

Answer, 1906–1907, 1924

Table statement showing total amounts of money in each year since April 1949 paid to W. J. Lundrigan Ltd., also on what accounts were these monies paid, whether for the building of plants, construction or repair of roads, or for any other cause

Answer, 880, 1161

**Economic development**

Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

How much was paid by government for each of the films done by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Answer, 140

Is Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited under contract with government to make any further films, and if so, state the amount of money involved

Answer, 140–141

Table statement showing the number of documentary films made for the government by the Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Answer, 140

What is the amount of interest paid to date by Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited on account of loans or advances from government

Answer, 141

What is the number of people employed by Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited

Answer, 141

What was the total amount of money loaned, guaranteed, or advanced to Atlantic Films and Electronics Limited apart from monies paid for said films

Answer, 141

Hanning Electric

How many men and/or women are presently employed at this plant

Answer, 856

What is the total amount of government monies paid to this company and/or to Mr. Hanning personally; give the dates on which monies were paid to this company, and the separate amounts paid on each date

Answer, 856

Industries

Give the names of plants in full production, and the value of goods manufactured to date; give dates when said plants went into full production

Answer, 1281

Give the names of plants referred to in the budget which are in partial production, and the value of commodities manufactured in these plants to date

Answer, 1281

Has Benno Schilde returned the \$150,000 or not

Answer, 1368–1369

Have any ex-gratia awards been made to the following companies on account of work done and/or on account of price changes in commodities,

- and/or on account of advances in wage rates since the commencement of construction on the cement plant and the gypsum plant: the firms of MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd.  
 Answer, 1367
- How much money has been advanced to the following three companies by the government since March 31st, 1953, either as working capital or on capital account: Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., and the North Star Cement Co.  
 Answer deferred, 61, 105  
 Answer, 132
- If ex-gratia payments have been made to MIAG, Benno Schilde; and W.J. Lundrigan & Co. Ltd., state the amounts involved with each company, the date of the award, and the date of payment, and on what account  
 Answer, 1367-1368
- If tenders were called and received for machinery for the plants, table them  
 Answer, 1026
- If tenders were not called for the supply of machinery or equipment for the plants, provide the reason  
 Answer, 1026
- If tenders were not called, were contracts in writing entered into by the government for the supply of machinery; if so, table copies of each contract  
 Answer, 1026
- Provide the number of men and women presently employed in the above-mentioned plants  
 Answer deferred, 61, 132
- Provide the number of Newfoundlanders presently employed in the above-mentioned plants  
 Answer deferred, 61
- Table a copy of agreement or contract between the provincial Government of Newfoundland and/or the Dept. of Economic Development with the firm of W. J. Lundrigan Ltd. for the building and erection of the gypsum plant and the cement plant  
 Answer deferred, 1353, 1493  
 Answer, 1514
- Table balance sheets and profit and loss accounts to the end of February as from March 31st, 1953 of the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd. and Atlantic Gypsum Ltd.  
 Answer deferred, 61, 132
- Table certified copy of government payment voucher 15/363 of 50/51 account, together with a certified copy of all documents which form part of same, and having to do with the voucher as it relates to the Birch Plant, the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Chester Dawe, Chester Dawe Ltd., and the Government of Newfoundland  
 Answer deferred, 709, 741
- Total amounts to date paid out to, advanced to, or loaned the following industries, including capital account expenditures and working capital: Eckhardt Mills Ltd., Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd. Ltd., Atlantic Gypsum Ltd., Newfoundland Tanneries - William Dorn, Atlantic Gloves Ltd., Canadian Leather Goods Ltd., Koch Shoes Ltd., Superior Rubber Co., Hanning Electric Co., Canadian Machinery and Industrial Construction Ltd., North Star Cement Co., Atlantic Hardboard Industries Ltd., United Cotton Mills Ltd., Atlantic Films and Electronics Ltd., and Terra Nova Textiles Ltd.  
 Answer deferred, 61  
 Answer, 132, 136-137, 140
- Were tenders called for the construction of the gypsum plant and the cement plant  
 Answer, 1026
- Were tenders called for the supply of machinery to be installed in the gypsum plant and the cement plant  
 Answer, 1026
- What amounts, if any, have been raised by way of government guaranteed loans by companies listed above, and what amounts if any have been paid back to the government by said companies on account of monies advanced by government, interest on monies loaned or advanced by government  
 Answer deferred, 61
- What is the total value of machinery brought into Newfoundland by companies listed above, and who certified as to said value; give a statement in the case of each company showing invoice, cost, freight, insurance, duty and cartage; table a copy of all mortgages held by government on machinery and buildings of said companies  
 Answer deferred, 61  
 Answer, 133-136

- Whether there has been another agreement with Chester Dawe that has not been tabled  
 Answer deferred, 1764, 1839
- Superior Rubber Company  
 Is the plant owned by Superior Rubber Company yet in production, and if so on what date did it go into production  
 Answer, 855–856
- Will the minister inform the House as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Max Braun Wogan, Director of Hanning Electric and of the Superior Rubber Company and Mr. Ludwig Grube, a Director of the Superior Rubber Company  
 Answer, 532–533
- Table statement showing the total salary paid to Dr. Alfred Valdmanis as Director of Economic Development, since employment by the Newfoundland government, giving the date when he entered and ended his services with the government as well as the total amount of travelling and living allowances paid to him during his term of service  
 Answer deferred, 65  
 Answer, 168
- Table statements showing how subhead of revenue 1953, 1953-1954 estimates of revenue, interest on industrial loans, is made up, giving the names of all individuals, firms or companies concerned, also the interest due date, as well as the amount paid in each case under this head of revenue  
 Answer deferred, 65  
 Answer, 167
- Tourist Development  
 How much was spent by the Director of Tourist Development for travelling expenses during the past fiscal year; give the date of trip, destination, and cost of each trip  
 Answer, 881
- What amounts of money have been paid by the government-built or government-assisted industries on account of a) principal, and b) interest to date; what amounts of interest have been returned; give the names of companies in each case  
 Answer, 249
- Whether the department will submit a report  
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- Finance**
- Canadian Machinery Holding Trust  
 Account for the payment of \$25,000 to Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Co. over and above the amount pledged in that company; give the number of men employed at present with this company, and the number in employment there at the end of 1953  
 Answer, 857
- Explain the reason for paying the trust an amount of \$25,000 in excess of the 2.5 million dollars called for under the terms of the Canadian Machinery Industries Ltd. Act  
 Answer deferred, 709, 741, 936
- What amount of money has been advanced by the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust to the government and the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., under agreement between the government, the North Star Cement Co. Ltd., and the Canadian Machinery Holding Trust, dated October 16, 1952  
 Answer deferred, 141  
 Answer, 551
- What is the total amount of insurance carried on the North Star Cement Plant and with what insurance company is said insurance carried; has the North Star Cement Company executed a first mortgage in favour of the government on the Cement plant, and if so, for what amount  
 Answer, 551
- Who is the president of the trust and who are the directors  
 Answer, 533
- Loans**
- Table a complete list of all guaranteed loans made by the government to individuals or corporations since April 1st 1949, whether for economic development, fishery development, or for any other purpose, showing the name of individual or corporation, the amount guaranteed, and the present situation with regard to said guaranteed loan  
 Answer, 138–139
- Table a complete list of all outright loans from the Treasury to individuals or corporations since April 1st 1959, whether for economic development, fishery development, or for any other purpose, showing name of individual or corporation, the amount loaned, and the present amount still outstanding on said loan  
 Answer, 137
- Provide statement of current and capital revenues and expenditures for the month of March 1954, including revenue and expenditure for April

applicable to 1953/1954 account,  
subject to final audit

Answer, 1865

### **Fisheries**

Fishery Development Authority

Give names of recently appointed authority

Answer, 170

Give the dimensions of the 23 foot boat recently purchased in Europe by said authority; from whom was the boat purchased at what price, and on whose recommendation

Answer, 170

State amount of salaries being paid to the Chairman and the members of the authority or committee, and state what if any contract has been entered into with these individuals by government; table copies of said contract or agreement

Answer, 170

State in detail the exact duties of the authority, and state under what section of the Consolidated Statutes the authority is set up

Answer, 170

Table amount showing the following particulars for the Charlotte and the Matthew: the original building or purchasing cost, the cost of machinery as installed in said boats, the running expenses during the period said boats were in possession of the government, the total earning of said boats and the amounts received on the sale of each boat; table a complete account of each of these boats as it exists at the Dept. of Fisheries

Answer, 170–171

On whose authority was each boat built or purchased and on whose recommendation; on whose recommendation were they ordered sold

Answer, 171

How much money has been loaned by the Co-operative Loan Board since its formation; give the names of individuals or societies to whom money has been loaned in each case, the amount of the loan, as well as the date of the loan

Answer, 169

How much money has been loaned to help fishermen to finance new and better methods, new and better boats and gear, by the Fisheries Development Loan Board since its inception; give the names of individual fishermen, address and amount of loan in each case

Answer, 168–169

How much money has thus far been placed at the disposal of the loan board, and what is the present status financially of each society to whom money was loaned relative to its association with the loan board

Answer, 169

How much money was loaned by each of the loan boards since March 31 1953

Answer, 169–170

What is the exact amount of money thus far placed at the disposal of the Loan Board for financing fishermen

Answer, 169

### **Foster homes and boarding homes**

Are regular inspections made, if so, how often and by whom

Answer, 1030–1031

Are these foster homes and boarding houses visited regularly by a medical officer; provide details

Answer, 1030, 1031

Does the government prescribe the diet to be supplied the children and adults in these foster homes and boarding homes

Answer, 1030

How many male and female adults are supported in boarding houses by the government at the present time

Answer, 1030

How many male and female children have the government placed in foster homes; what is the total number at present being cared for

Answer, 1030

State number and location of these boarding houses

Answer, 1030

What is the amount paid each month in respect of each adult

Answer, 1030

What is the amount paid each month, in respect of each child

Answer, 1030

### **Labrador Railway**

Whether Mr. Doyle of Canada has applied to the government for permission to build a spur on the Wabush shore of the Labrador railway

Answer, 1434

### **Memorial College Annex**

What is the total amount of money received by the Treasury during the past fiscal year for the hire or rent of the building

Answer deferred, 209, 283

### **MIAG**

Give itemized list of equipment and machinery shipped to Newfoundland by the German firm of MIAG, for the various new industries, including that which was shipped for the cement plant,

together with invoice values of said machinery and equipment

Answer, 573, 588, 618–619

What rate of insurance was charged on machinery shipped to Newfoundland by the German firm of MIAG, and what was the amount of insurance premium on each shipment of machinery and/or equipment

Answer deferred, 573

Answer, 619

### **Mines and Resources**

Geological survey

Give the total cost to the department of all surveys made by said department since March 31st 1953, together with locations of each separate survey, its cost and the number of men employed on each survey; list the total number of Newfoundlanders on each survey party

Answer, 132–133

To whom have loans been made for the purchase of livestock and land development purposes, and the purchase of farm equipment, giving the amount loaned in each case, conditions for repayment; the date of each loan; has a first mortgage been taken on borrower's real estate as security, and if not, state the reason; have other applications for loans been approved but not yet granted; who are these applicants and for what amounts have the loans been approved; who drafted the mortgages given by borrowers; was there any charge for same; if so, how much was the amount in each case; is there a registration fee on each mortgage; who pays for costs of mortgage and registering

Answer, 804

### **NALCO**

Did Canadian Javelin purchase any shares in Nalco, and if so, how many and at what price per share

Answer, 33

Give an itemized account of all expenditures made by NALCO since its incorporation, and table a statement showing income and the amount of money on hand at the present time by this Crown Corporation

Answer declined, 35

Give the names and addresses of the present Directors of NALCO, and how many shares are owned by each of these said Directors

Answer, 35

How many shares are owned in NALCO by private individuals and by corporations, and what price per share was paid

Answer, 33

How many shares in Nalco are presently owned by the government and how much was paid for each share

Answer, 33

How much money has been paid from the treasury to Nalco

Answer, 33

What salary was being paid to Dr. Alfred Valdmanis by Nalco at the time of his resignation

Answer, 34

What, if any concessions to date have been granted by Nalco, and state to whom such concessions were granted, the extent of the concession, and in what areas were such concessions granted

Answer, 34–35

Where has been situated the head office of NALCO during the past twelve months

Answer, 34

### **Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Ltd.**

Answer, 33

Table copies of correspondence between any members of government and Dr. Valdmanis relative to the corporation; also table correspondence between government and Canadian Javelin Company relative to their selection of mining leases

Answer, 164

### **Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd.**

Does the agreement with the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. contain any provision for representation from the government on the Board of Directors of the said company

Answer, 343

Does the agreement with the said company give the government any control over salaries paid to the managing director or any others

Answer, 343

Does the said agreement protect the government investment from liabilities incurred by the company

Answer, 343

Give an itemized statement with vouchers of the account of \$1497.17 travelling expenses incurred by Mr. Chester Dawe in the United States of America from January 9th to January 18th, 1951 in reordering machinery for the birch plant and in seeking markets for birch products; whether this amount has been paid Mr. Dawe

Answer, 1027, 1028

- Give detailed account of all travelling expenses paid to Mr. Dawe from Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Limited  
Answer, 1028
- Give the names and serial numbers or other identification marks of items referred to together with names of manufacturers and prices for each item  
Answer, 1026
- Has government received a copy of the annual report of said company, and if so, table a copy  
Answer, 343
- How much money has been advanced to Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. as working capital since March 31st 1953, and what amount, if any, has been paid back to the government on account of capital account and of working capital  
Answer deferred, 37, 62, 140
- Table copies of all correspondence between government and Chester Dawe, relative to granting amounts of working capital for the company  
Answer, 164, 165
- Table receipts, vouchers and payrolls concerning the construction and equipment for the manufacture of hardwood products at the Donovan's plant  
Supplemental, 553–554, 555
- What are the items referred to in Paragraph 39 of the Auditor General's report for 1951-1952 where it was observed that "goods other than those ordinarily sold by Chester Dawe Ltd. were supplied" to the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Ltd.  
Answer, 1026
- From what person or persons was the land purchased for the site of the Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Co. Ltd. building; what was the total acreage purchased and what was the amount paid for same  
Answer, 1027
- What salary is payable to the managing director  
Answer deferred, 343
- What was the value of sales for 1953, and what was the actual cost of goods sold by the company  
Answer deferred, 343
- Who are the directors of the said company  
Answer, 343
- Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.**  
Is Chairman of the committee Mr. Thompson to be paid a salary or fee, and if so in what amount or at what rate, and for what period  
Answer, 167
- Is Mr. James Thompson the Chairman of the Committee set up by the government to prepare Newfoundland's case to be laid before the Royal Commission on financial terms as called for in the Terms of Union  
Answer, 167
- List members of the committee, together with any agreement or arrangement with each individual member as to monetary or any other form of recompense for their services  
Answer, 167
- Table the total money paid out to Mr. James Thompson by the firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. since April 1st 1949 and the services performed by Mr. Thompson for said monies; give amounts paid to him in each fiscal year since April 1st 1949  
Answer deferred, 131
- Who is the secretary of the committee, and what salary or other recompense is he to receive for his services  
Answer, 167
- Petitions**  
Whether it is the intention to present to the House a petition from Burin as to whether or not there is to be a sale of alcoholic liquor in that area  
Answer deferred, 1840
- Public Works**  
Architects  
How much money, if any, was paid to architects for drawing plans, making specifications, supervising the construction of the buildings erected by or for the government in its industrial development programme; give the names of industry, name of architect, and amount paid to him  
Answer, 1024–1025
- Buildings in industrial development programme  
Were any tenders called for the construction of buildings in government's industrial development programme; if so, give the names of persons tendering with amount of each tender and the name of the one who was successful  
Answer, 1025–1026
- Were sub-contracts given for electrical wiring, heating, and plumbing for buildings in government's industrial programme  
Answer, 1026
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Table copies of all advertisements for tenders for road construction during the past fiscal year  
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Answer, 499

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Is Mr. James Thompson the Chairman of the Committee set up by the government to prepare Newfoundland's case to be laid before the Royal Commission on financial terms as called for in the Terms of Union

Answer, 167

**Sennewald, Dr. Lothar**

Has Dr. Sennewald abandoned the scheme to manufacture eye-glass frames in Newfoundland, and if so, why

Answer, 165

Has Dr. Sennewald paid back to the Government any of the money, and if so, what amount

Answer, 165

How much money was paid in customs duty on goods and machinery brought into this country from Dr. Sennewald; table all correspondence between the Dept. of Economic Development and the Federal Customs Dept. relative to the return of said duty; is it a fact that the Newfoundland government assisted Dr. Sennewald to get said duty refunded

Answer, 855

On what date did the machinery which was to be used in Dr. Sennewald's optical plant arrive in St. John's

Answer, 855

On what date was said machinery shipped out of Newfoundland, and by what route, and state its destination; in what insurance company was said machinery insured when shipped out of Newfoundland, and what amount of insurance was placed on same

Answer, 855

What is the present relationship between government and Dr. Sennewald, contractually and financially

Answer, 165

What is the total amount paid out to Dr. Sennewald for the establishment of the optical or eye-glass frame factory

Answer, 165

What was the amount of the declared customs value, and the value of machinery to be used in the plant, as appraised by the Minister, or other person on his behalf

Answer, 855

What was the exact amount of government monies transferred at any or all times

since Dr. Sennewald signed his contract

Answer, 854

**Superior Rubber Company**

Table a copy of all acts and/or agreements in connection with the setting up of each and every new industry and into which government monies have been paid or loaned since April 1, 1949

Answer, 856-857

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Roads

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Answer, 173

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Answer, 1027, 1028

Give dates of absence from the province of each ministerial head of department, showing number of days spent on each sojourn abroad, and amount of expenses charged to each said trip

Answer, 164, 247

Give detailed account of all travelling expenses paid to Mr. Dawe from Newfoundland Hardwoods Ltd. Limited

Answer, 1028

Give the total amounts of travel expenses incurred by each ministerial head of departments, indicating amounts incurred on each journey since March 31 1953

Answer, 164

How much was spent by the Director of Tourist Development for travelling expenses during the past fiscal year; give the date of trip, destination, and cost of each trip

Answer, 881

What is the number of trips made by the Premier since April 1, 1952; when were these trips made and how long did they last; give the names of places visited, the purpose for which each trip was undertaken, and the cost of each trip

Answer, 551-552

**Valdmanis, Dr. Alfred**

Table statement showing the total salary paid to Dr. Alfred Valdmanis as Director of

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Answer deferred, 65

Answer, 168

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Answer, 854

When did the machinery which was to be used in Dr. Sennewald's optical plant arrive in St. John's

Answer, 855

When was said machinery shipped out of Newfoundland, and by what route, and state its destination; in what insurance company was said machinery insured when shipped out of Newfoundland, and what amount of insurance was placed on same

Answer, 855

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Provide the names, nationalities and salaries of all engineers, architects, surveyors and draughtsmen employed by the Dept. of Public Works

Answer deferred, 63, 105

Answer, 142–143

#### Public building improvements

Were tenders called for electrical, plumbing and heating repairs made on public buildings during the fiscal year 1953-1954, and if so, table the details

Answer deferred, 1764

#### Roads

What progress has been made in the construction of bridges on the Trans-Canada Highway; state the number of bridges completed, the number of bridges under construction, and the type of each bridge, concrete or steel, the dimension and cost of each bridge, also state if this work has been contracted for or is being done by the Dept. of Public Works

Answer, 969

Table the number of contracts let for heating, plumbing and electrical installation from

April 1 1953 to March 31 1954, together with the names of persons or firms to whom contracts have been awarded; whether tenders were called for in each case; the amount for which the contracts were awarded in each case, and who was the successful tenderer; was the tender which was accepted the lowest in each case, and if not, why not; in how many cases were contracts awarded without tenders being called

Answer deferred, 1611

Answer, 1801

By what authority have reduced rates for trucks been made

Answer, 620

What is the rate of license fee for three ton trucks

Answer, 619

### **Transportation**

#### Ferries

Has government paid any monies to the operator of the ferry service across the Exploits River since July 1st 1953, by way of subsidy or otherwise, and if so, by what amount, and how was the amount arrived at

Answer, 166

Answer, 165–166

Has the operator of the Exploits River ferry service paid any money to government from the operations of this service, and if so, what amount, and how was the amount arrived at

Answer, 166

If any monies have been paid to the operators of the Exploits River ferry service, what person if any has certified to the correctness thereof

Answer, 166

Table number of persons crossing the Exploits River by ferry service

Answer, 166

Were tenders called for the construction of the ferry to operate on Placentia Gut, or for the construction of the terminals on each side; give the names, if any, of those who tendered, with the amount of each tender; provide the estimated cost of this project, and how much has been expended to date thereon

Answer, 439–440

#### Roads

Amount spent in each of the years 1950, 1951, 1952, and 1953 on the maintenance of the Deer Lake-Corner Brook Highway, including the paved section from Steady Brook to Corner Brook

Answer deferred, 62, 105

Answer, 141  
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Answer, 172  
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Answer, 172-173  
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Answer, 439  
Number of men employed at the Highroads Garage at Deer Lake during the winters of 1951-1952, 1952-1953, and 1953-1954  
Answer deferred, 62  
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Answer deferred, 62  
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Answer, 171  
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