

## Questions

**Mr. McIlraith:**

1. (a) (i), 959; (b) (i), 193; (a) (ii), 13; (b) (ii), 21.

2. (a) \$4,004,021; (b) \$436,941.35.

The increase in (b) ii over (a) ii is due to the fact that Lindsay arsenal is now a self accounting division of Canadian Arsenals Limited, and is also engaged in the tabulation of production data from other war plants.

## INCOME TAX AND SUCCESSION DUTIES—CALGARY AND EDMONTON DISTRICTS

**Mr. Dechene:**

1. What was the amount of income tax collected in 1948 in the province of Alberta (Calgary and Edmonton districts)?

2. What was the amount of succession duties collected in 1948 in the province of Alberta (Calgary and Edmonton districts)?

**Mr. McCann:**

1.	Income War Tax Act	Excess Profits Tax Act	Total
Calgary district .....	\$24,999,341 48	\$ 4,224,580 54	\$29,223,922.02
Edmonton district .....	15,698,181 44	2,459,620 77	18,157,802.21
Province of Alberta.....	\$40,697,522.92	\$ 6,684,201.31	\$47,381,724 23
2.	Dominion Succession Duty Act		
Calgary district .....	\$ 506,023 30		
Edmonton district .....	497,954.00		
Province of Alberta.....	\$ 1,003,977.30		\$ 1,003,977.30
		Grand Total	\$48,385,701 53

## INCOME TAX—ALBERTA

**Mr. Dechene:**

1. What was the total amount of personal income tax collected in the years 1946, 1947, 1948, in the province of Alberta?

2. How much of the above amount was collected from farmers and ranchers in the province of Alberta during the same years?

**Mr. McCann:**

1. Individual income tax collections for the province of Alberta for the fiscal years 1946, 1947 and 1948 are as follows:

1946 .....	\$31,861,739
1947 .....	35,124,816
1948 .....	30,858,199

2. No statistics are available for the amount of tax collected from farmers and ranchers in the province of Alberta. Statistics maintained are only those of taxes declared on filing. The latest available statistics are for the taxation year 1946 when farmers and ranchers in the province of Alberta reported declared taxes of \$2,570,000.

ENEMY SHIPS CAPTURED IN WORLD WAR II—  
PARTICIPATION OF CANADIAN PERSONNEL**Mr. Fraser:**

1. How many enemy ships were captured during world war II, in the capture of which Canadian personnel took part?

2. What was the nationality of each of such ships captured?

3. What was the amount of cargo seized in each case?

4. What disposition has been made to date of all such ships and cargoes?

**Mr. Baker:**

1 and 2. The total number of enemy ships captured in world war II, in the capture of which Canadian personnel took part, is not definitely known, as Canadian navy and air force personnel serving with United Kingdom units would participate in such actions.

Two enemy ships were captured by H.M.C. ships as follows: S.S. *Weser*, German merchant ship, 9,472 tons gross; S.S. *Capo Noli*, Italian merchant ship, 4,000 tons gross.

3. S.S. *Weser*, \$42,573.48 in value; S.S. *Capo Noli*, \$15,581.79 in value.

4. S.S. *Weser* renamed *Vancouver Island* under Canadian registry and operated by Canadian government merchant marine until torpedoed and sunk on October 15, 1941. Cargo sold for above amount.

S.S. *Capo Noli* renamed *Bic Island* under Canadian registry and operated by Canadian government merchant marine until torpedoed and sunk on October 29, 1942. Cargo sold for above amount.

## GOLD SUBSIDIES—BRALORNE MINES

**Mr. Irvine:**

1. Have any moneys been paid to the Bralorne Mines Ltd. under the gold subsidy act?

2. If so, what are the amounts and when were such amounts advanced?

**Mr. Maybank:**

1. Yes.

2. October 9, 1948, \$33,572.78; January 28, 1949, \$48,325.39; total, \$81,898.17.