

INTERVIEWER  
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LETTERS

WOULD LIKE YOUR OPINION

(CIRCLE APPROPRIATE NUMBERS  
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SUGGESTED INTRODUCTION: I'm taking a Gallup Poll. I'd like your opinion on a few leading topics of the day.

TIME INTERVIEW BEGUN.....  
(HOUR)

1a. Do you think discipline in the public schools in this community is too strict or not strict enough?

TOO STRICT.....1  
NOT STRICT ENOUGH.....2  
ABOUT RIGHT.....3  
DON'T KNOW.....4

IF "NOT STRICT ENOUGH", ASK: N/S 5 = 100%

1b. Whose fault do you think this is?

IF 11/2

TOTAL ONLY 12

ASK EVERYONE:

2. Are there any children in this household attending public school?

YES.....1  
NO.....2

NOT NEEDED

IF NO KIDS TAKE TO No = 2

3. At the present time church properties are exempt from taxation. Some people think that church property should be taxed, others disagree. What is your opinion?

SHOULD BE TAXED.....1  
SHOULD NOT.....2  
NO OPINION.....3

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4. A noted historian predicted that the free enterprise system will disappear due to plundering of the earth's irreplaceable natural resources, and that an authoritarian government would have to impose a regimented way of life to conserve resources. Do you think this will or will not happen?

YES, WILL HAPPEN.....1  
NO, WILL NOT.....2  
ALREADY HAS HAPPENED.....3  
DON'T KNOW.....4

N/S 5

5. Do you think the R.C.M.P. - the Royal Canadian Mounted Police - has too much power and authority, or not enough?

TOO MUCH.....1  
NOT ENOUGH.....2  
ABOUT RIGHT.....3  
NO OPINION.....4

N/S 4

6a. In cases involving national security, which of the following do you think should happen:

The R.C.M.P. should immediately take whatever action they feel is necessary...1  
The R.C.M.P. should obtain permission from an authorized source to take the action that is felt necessary.....2

DON'T KNOW.....3

IF "AUTHORIZED SOURCE", ASK: = 100% N/S 4 IF 17/2

6b. Which of these would you consider to be the most satisfactory authorized source: HAND CARD "A"

THE FEDERAL CABINET.....1  
THE PRIME MINISTER.....2  
A FEDERAL COURT JUDGE.....3  
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.....4  
A TRIUMVIRATE OF PRIVATE CITIZENS SPECIALLY APPOINTED FOR SUCH EMERGENCIES.....5

DON'T KNOW.....6

N/S 7

7a. Have you, or have you not watched any session of the House of Commons since they started showing them on television?

YES.....1  
NO.....2

IF "YES", ASK:

b. How would you describe the sessions you saw - just your own impression of how the members of parliament acted?

IF 19/1

ASK EVERYONE:

7c. In the future, do you think you will watch the televised House of Commons sessions fairly regularly, from time to time, or almost never?

FAIRLY REGULARLY.....1  
FROM TIME TO TIME.....2  
ALMOST NEVER.....3  
DON'T KNOW.....4

N/S 5

8. Some people have suggested that the Province of Quebec will be separated from the rest of Canada in about five years. In your opinion, is this likely or unlikely?

LIKELY.....1  
UNLIKELY.....2  
UNDECIDED.....3

D/K

N/S 4

ASK EVERYONE:

9 a. As a result of the 1967 war, Israel now controls land that was formerly controlled by Arab Nations. What do you think Israel should do - give back part of this land, give back all of this land, or keep all of this land?

GIVE BACK PART OF LAND.....1  
GIVE BACK ALL OF LAND.....2  
KEEP ALL OF THIS LAND.....3  
DON'T KNOW.....4

N/S 5

9b. As you may know, one of the major questions in the Middle East situation concerns Palestinian people. Do you think a separate, independent Palestinian Nation should be established or do you think the Palestinians should continue to live, as they do now, in Israel and the neighbouring Arab Nations?

ESTABLISH SEPARATE NATION.....1  
CONTINUE AS THEY DO NOW.....2  
NO OPINION.....3

N/S 3

10a. Which of these three policies would you like to have Prime Minister Trudeau follow? HAND CARD "B" AND RECORD BELOW

b. And which of these three policies do you think Mr. Trudeau will follow? RECORD BELOW

GO MORE TO THE RIGHT - BY FOLLOWING MORE OF THE VIEWS OF BUSINESS AND CONSERVATIVE GROUPS?..... 1 1  
GO MORE TO THE LEFT - BY FOLLOWING MORE OF THE VIEWS OF LABOR & OTHER LIBERAL GROUPS?..... 2 2  
FOLLOW A POLICY HALF-WAY BETWEEN THE TWO?..... 3 3  
NO OPINION..... D/K 4 4

N/S 5 5

11a. As you probably know, any amendments to Canada's Constitution must be approved by the British Parliament in London. How important do you think it is that we change our Constitution so that changes may be made in Canada - very important, fairly important or not important at all?

VERY IMPORTANT.....1  
FAIRLY IMPORTANT.....2  
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL.....3  
DON'T KNOW.....4

N/S 5

b. Do you, or do you not think that if we brought the Constitution home and gave ourselves the power to amend it, we could do a better job on national unity?

COULD DO BETTER JOB.....1  
COULD NOT.....2  
DON'T KNOW.....3

N/S 4

c. Do you, or do you not think that a revised Constitution should incorporate a Canadian Bill of Rights?

YES, SHOULD.....1  
NO, SHOULD NOT.....2  
DON'T KNOW.....3

N/S 4

d. Do you, or do you not think that language rights should be one of the things protected by the Constitution?

YES, SHOULD.....1  
NO, SHOULD NOT.....2  
DON'T KNOW.....3

N/S 4

continued on back...

One table include No of Q 7a at bottom of Q. 7b

**BASIC DATA:** INTERVIEWER: Introduce this section as follows: "Now may I ask you a few questions so that I can be sure I am getting the right sample of people in this community?"

If a Federal Election were held today, which party's candidate do you think you would favor? **64**

LIBERAL .....1 OTHER PARTY  
 PROG. CONS.....2 \_\_\_\_\_6  
 N.D.P.....3 (WRITE IN)  
 CREDITISTE.....4 UNDECIDED.....7  
 SOCIAL CREDIT...5 REFUSED.....*NIS* 8  
 NOT ELIGIBLE.....9

Did you vote in the last Federal election on July 8th, 1974? **65**

YES .....   
 NO .....1  
 TOO YOUNG TO VOTE....2

**IF "YES" ASK:**

Which party did the candidate for whom you voted represent?

LIBERAL.....3 OTHER PARTY  
 PROG. CONS.....4 \_\_\_\_\_8  
 N.D.P.....5 (WRITE IN)  
 CREDITISTE.....6 DON'T REMEMBER....9  
 SOCIAL CREDIT...7 REFUSED...*NIS* 0

What is your marital status? **66-**

SINGLE.....1  
 MARRIED.....2  
 WID, DIV, SEP.....3  
 \_\_\_\_\_*NIS* 4

Mother tongue - What was the language you first spoke in childhood and still understand? **67-**

ENGLISH.....1  
 FRENCH.....2  
 OTHER(WRITE IN) \_\_\_\_\_3  
 \_\_\_\_\_*NIS* 4

Now for a question on religion. What is your religious preference - Protestant, Roman Catholic or Jewish? **68-**

PROTESTANT.....1  
 JEWISH.....2  
 ROMAN CATHOLIC.....3  
 OTHER(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_4  
 \_\_\_\_\_*NIS* 5

What was the name of the last school you attended? How far did you go?

	Some	Graduated
Public School (grades 1 - 8).....1		2
Secondary or high school (grades 9-13)....3		4
Technical school.....5		6
University.....7		8
No formal schooling.....9		
Refused..... <i>NIS</i> 0		

Any additional schooling? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (WRITE IN)

OCCUPATION OF HEAD OF FAMILY:  
 Specific job \_\_\_\_\_ **70-**  
 Type of Company \_\_\_\_\_ *coded*

How many people, including yourself, are there in this household?

**71** 1 2 3 4 5 6OR MORE **7**

How many would be under 10 years?  
**72** 0 1 2 3 4OR MORE **5**

How many would be between 10 & 17 years?  
**73** 0 1 2 3 4OR MORE **5**

Are you (or is any member of your family) a member of a labor union?  
 YES.....1  
 NO.....2 *NIS* 3

What was the year of your birth?

YEAR \_\_\_\_\_ **75/76** *NIS* 99

INTERVIEWER: RECORD FROM YOUR OWN OBSERVATION: **77**

SEX: MAN.....1 } **100%**  
 WOMAN.....2 }

HAND CARD "R" **78 -**

Which letter on this card corresponds to your total annual family income from all sources, before tax deductions?

A. Under \$4,000...1 E. \$10,000-\$12,999..5  
 B. \$4,000-\$5,999..2 F. \$13,000-\$14,999..6  
 C. \$6,000-\$7,999..3 G. \$15,000-\$19,999..7  
 D. \$8,000-\$9,999..4 H. \$20,000 & OVER...8  
 REFUSED.....*NIS* 9

INTERVIEWER CHECK IF: **79**

FARM.....1 } **100%**  
 RURAL NON-FARM...2 }  
 URBAN.....3 }

TIME INTERVIEW ENDED \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF RESPONDENT \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ PROVINCE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF INTERVIEW \_\_\_\_\_

I HEREBY ATTEST THAT THIS IS A TRUE AND HONEST INTERVIEW

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (INTERVIEWER'S SIGNATURE)

CHARACTERISTICS OF SAMPLE

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	<u>No.</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
<u>NATIONAL</u>	<u>1010</u>	<u>100</u>
Atlantic	94	9
Quebec	279	28
Ontario	375	37
Prairies	167	17
British Columbia	95	9
18 - 29 years	297	29
30 - 49 years	334	33
50 years and over	330	33
Not stated	49	5
Over 500,000	326	32
100,000 - 500,000	160	16
10,000 - 100,000	88	9
1,000 - 10,000	80	8
Under 1,000	356	35
Male	507	50
Female	503	50

REGION: (Col. 1)

- 0 Newfoundland
- 1 P.E.I.
- 2 Nova Scotia
- 3 New Brunswick
- 4 Western Ontario
- 5 Northern Ontario
- 6 Manitoba
- 7 Saskatchewan
- 8 Alberta
- 9 British Columbia

COMMUNITY SIZE: (Col.2)

- 1 Over 500,000
- 2 100,000 - 500,000
- 3 30,000 - 100,000
- 4 10,000 - 30,000
- 5 1,000 - 10,000
- 6 Under 1,000 (Rural non-farm, Farm)

OCCUPATION: (Col. 70)

- 1 Professional
- 2 Business Executive, Owners/Managers
- 3 Sales
- 4 Clerical
- 5 Skilled Labour
- 6 Unskilled Labour
- 7 Farmer
- 8 Other (armed forces, unemployed)
- 9 No in labour force (housewife, retired, widow, spinster, separated, student)
- 0 Refused, did not state

AGE: (Col. 75, 76)

- 98 1900 & prior
- 99 Did not state

Exact year of birth

Q.1b - Whose fault that discipline is not strict enough. Based on those who said "not strict enough" (Col. 11/2)

- V Teachers
- X School boards/directors/principals
- 0 Educational system
- 1 Parents/homelife/the home
- 2 Students/children
- 3 Society generally/sign of the times
- 4 Government/ministry
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9 No comments

Q7b - Impression/description of T.V. House of Commons  
Based on those who have ever watched (col. 19/1)

- V Much wasted time in Parliament/nothing accomplished
- X Long/boring/uninteresting/childish/too much on same subject/rude
- 0
- 1
- 2 Theatrical/overplay/comedy/overdoing their act/as if playing a part
- 3 Take things lightly/some of them not serious enough/comical
- 4 Very interesting/good/(Nothing Specific) favorable impression of politicians
- 5 Educational/good way to keep informed
- 6 Very democratic/polite/well-mannered/well run
- 7
- 8 It's alright/ordinary/what I expected/camershy
- 9 Can't remember/don't know