

difficulties would no doubt be involved, but neither Murray Goldblatt nor I think these would be insuperable.

Two things I think External would have to undertake for the non-official sections: (1) the indexing, and (2) the translation of its material into French. This last would almost certainly be the case if the Parliamentary Centre did the job for us. As you know, with rare exceptions such as minor-length quotations, "International Canada" is published only in English. In fact CIIA headquarters admits they get complaints if much French appears in the publication!

To turn now to the all-important matter of costs. I propose to concentrate first on what these might be if we were to go in for automation, as expenditures involved in conventional printing methods are better known and easier to calculate.

My researches have brought me into contact with quite a number of experts in the field of computerized printing. We have in External several staff members who have been engaged for some time, either directly or indirectly, in putting out publications by automation: Everett Haner and Ken Checkland in Central Services, and J.B. Coutu in Management Services, to mention the leading ones. I have also consulted with R.G. Robinson, of Alphatext; Louis Forget and Edwin Buchinski, of