

MONEY IN CIRCULATION

Question No. 194—**Mr. Latulippe:**

What was the amount of money in circulation (a) in coins (b) in bank bills (c) total money

(Millions of Dollars)	Currency Outside Banks		Total Canadian Dollar
	Coin	Notes	Deposits at Chartered Banks plus Currency Outside Banks
At Oct. 31, 1934	27	161	2,140
“ “ “ 1944	58	914	5,690
“ “ “ 1954	96	1,360	10,374
“ “ “ 1964	222	1,988	17,494
“ “ “ 1967	326	2,392	24,182
“ July 31, 1968	359	2,535	26,330

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supply in Canada, on October 31, 1934, 1944, 1954, 1964, 1967, and on July 31, 1968?

**Hon. E. J. Benson (Minister of Finance):**  
(a), (b) and (c):

COST OF BOND ISSUE

Question No. 196—**Mr. Latulippe:**

What was the cost of the issue of Government Bonds in the amount of \$500,000,000 as advertised in newspapers of September 15, 1968, for delivery on October 1, 1968, and bearing interest of 6%, 6½% and 6¾% (a) for brokers' fees (b) for newspaper advertising (c) for lawyers' fees (d) for other expenses (e) for printing of the Bonds?

**Hon. E. J. Benson (Minister of Finance):** The amount of the government of Canada loan dated October 1, 1968 was set by the Minister of Finance at \$535,000,000. The costs incurred under each of the specified categories are as follows: (a) \$1,454,082.00; (b) \$20,018.80; (c) nil; (d) \$19,931.17; (e) \$37,622.50.

SPECIAL CLAIMS, NORTHERN ONTARIO PIPE LINE

Question No. 205—**Mr. Schreyer:**

1. Subsequent to the construction of the Northern Ontario Natural Gas Pipeline, were any special claims submitted to the government of Canada by contractors involved in the construction thereof?

2. If so (a) were any of these claims accepted as valid and consequently paid (b) what were the amounts of special payment in each of these cases (c) was Treasury Board approval obtained in each case?

**Hon. J. J. Greene (Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources):** 1. Yes.

2. (a) Yes. (b) \$6,681.68; \$17,956.40; \$420,222.38; \$65,243.00; \$692,496.01; \$112,950.00. (c) Yes.

Note: While the government of Canada initially paid these claims, all these payments were recognized costs of the pipeline and reimbursement therefor was made to the government of Canada by Trans-Canada Pipe Lines Limited.

CANADIAN DELEGATION TO UNITED NATIONS

Question No. 214—**Mr. Schreyer:**

1. What was the cost to the Government of Canada for the maintenance of the Canadian Delegation at the 22nd Session of the United Nations General Assembly?

2. What was the size of the Canadian Delegation?

3. How many persons on this Delegation were recruited from outside of the Canadian Civil Service and the Parliament of Canada?

4. What was the cost to the Government of Canada (showing both emolument and expense allowance) of maintaining each of them in New York during the 22nd Session of the U.N. General Assembly?

5. What is the budgetary allowance for 1968 to cover the cost of maintaining the Canadian Delegation at the 23rd Session of the United Nations General Assembly and, specifically, what is budgeted to cover the cost of maintaining those members of the Canadian Delegation who are not members of the Canadian Civil Service?

**Hon. Mitchell Sharp (Secretary of State for External Affairs):** 1. \$158,090.

2. The official delegation, approved by cabinet, comprised a chairman, a vice-chairman, three representatives, and five alternates. The delegation was assisted by advisers from the Departments of External Affairs and Finance and administrative support staff. Also attending for periods of approximately two weeks each were twenty eight parliamentary observers.

3. Two.

4. No emoluments were paid. Travel expenses for a period of 90 days, including accommodation and meals, were \$4,971.33 and \$4,813.62, respectively.

5. \$175,000. It has been estimated that \$22,000 will be required out of the 1968 budgetary allowance for five members of the delegation who are not members of the Canadian public service.