
sums as may be required in the hands of the Accountant, House of Commons, to be disbursed under certificate of the Clerk of the Committee, as the work progresses from time to time, and to be accounted for in the Annual Balance Sheet, and as the period at which the printing work can be finished must entirely depend upon the time at which Parliament is called together, and the duration of the Session, there can be no specified limit for the closing of the accounts, but it is recommended they be closed annually, as practicable, saving only that such accounts must be finally settled and ready for audit by the succeeding Session ; and as it is most desirable the cost of the Printing Services of the Parliament of the Dominion should be shewn from the commencement of that era, the Sub-Committee recommend that the Accountant do transfer to the above account all sums paid or to be paid for printing purposes, as well as the charges consequent on the working of the Printing Department, as recommended above, the whole payments, costs and charges to be computed from the first day of July, 1867, the date of the inauguration of the Dominion.

The Sub-Committee would also recommend that, in the "Annual Balance Sheets," the Clerk of the Committee do shew the whole cost of the "Printing of Parliament," and also the proportionate cost of either House.

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