

ANSWER TO QUESTION

The following answer, deposited with the Clerk of the house, is printed in the official report of debates pursuant to standing order 39:

CANADIAN WHEAT BOARD MEMBERSHIP

Question No. 159—Mr. Argue:

1. Who are the members of (a) the Canadian wheat board; (b) the advisory council to the Canadian wheat board?
2. When was each member appointed?
3. With what grain companies is each member presently connected, and in what capacity?
4. With what grain companies was each connected before his appointment, and in what capacity?

Answer by: Hon. Gordon Churchill (Minister of Trade and Commerce):

Member—Date of Appointment

1. (a) William C. McNamara, September 15, 1945; William Riddel, August 1, 1950; W. Earle Robertson, November 1, 1953; John T. Dallas, P.C. 1958-981 of July 10, 1958, will assume duties effective September 1, 1958.

(b) John H. Wesson, July 6, 1955; William J. Parker, July 6, 1955; John E. Brownlee, July 6, 1955; Gordon L. Harrold, June 5, 1958; Alfred P. Gleave, June 5, 1958; Arnold W. Platt, June 5, 1958.

2. See answer to question No. 1 above.

3. *John T. Dallas, Continental Grain Company (Canada) Ltd., executive vice-president and director; John H. Wesson, Saskatchewan wheat pool, president; William J. Parker, Manitoba pool elevators, president; John E. Brownlee, United Grain Growers Limited, president and general manager; Gordon L. Harrold, Alberta wheat pool, president.

Not applicable to other members.

*Relinquishing responsibilities with Continental Grain Company (Canada) Ltd. before September 1, 1958.

4. William C. McNamara, Saskatchewan wheat pool, coarse grains sales manager prior to joining the staff of the Canadian wheat board; William Riddel, Saskatchewan wheat pool, assistant general manager; W. Earle Robertson, Federal Grain Co. Limited, assistant general manager; John T. Dallas, Continental Grain Company (Canada) Ltd., executive vice-president and director; John H. Wesson, Saskatchewan wheat pool, president; William J. Parker, Manitoba pool elevators, president; John E. Brownlee, United Grain Growers Limited, president and general manager; Gordon L. Harrold, Alberta wheat pool, president.

Not applicable to other members.

Supply—Items Passed

[The following items were passed in Committee of Supply]:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY

321. Departmental administration, \$612,876.
322. Purchasing, stationery and stores, \$1,193,937.
323. Distribution of official documents, \$394,663.
324. Printing and binding official publications for sale and distribution to departments and the public, \$620,000.
325. Printing of Canada Gazette, \$110,000.
326. Printing and binding the annual statutes, \$35,000.
327. Plant equipment and replacements, \$516,808.

LEGISLATION

The Senate—

The Speaker of the Senate—

181. Allowance in lieu of residence, \$3,000.
182. General administration, \$686,535.

House of Commons—

The Speaker of the House of Commons—

183. Allowance in lieu of residence, \$3,000.

Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons—

184. Allowance in lieu of apartments, \$1,500.
185. General administration—estimates of the Clerk, \$1,873,265.
186. Estimates of the Sergeant-at-Arms, \$859,599.
187. Subscriptions to publications of the commonwealth parliamentary association to be distributed to members of the House of Commons, and to provide for the Canadian share of expenses of the commonwealth parliamentary association, \$10,000.
188. Grant to the Canadian North Atlantic Treaty Organization Parliamentary Association, \$10,000.
189. To provide hereby, notwithstanding anything contained in the Financial Administration Act or the provisions of the Senate and House of Commons Act respecting the independence of parliament, for the payment out of the consolidated revenue fund to each member of the House of Commons appointed by the governor in council to be a parliamentary assistant (which appointment shall not render such member ineligible or disqualify him as a member of the House of Commons) to assist a minister of the crown in such manner and to such extent as the minister may determine and to represent his department in the House of Commons in the absence of the minister therefrom, a salary of four thousand dollars per annum and pro rata for any period less than a year, \$56,000.
190. To provide for an allowance to the Deputy Chairman of Committees, \$2,000.

Library of Parliament—

191. General administration, \$354,205.

Pensions and other Benefits—

192. Pension to the unmarried sister of the late Colonel Harry Baker, M.P., \$700.

House of Commons—

574. Grant to the Canadian North Atlantic Treaty Organization Parliamentary Association—further amount required, \$4,000.