

Questions

5. When was it first imposed and what variations in it have there been, specifying dates and nature of such variations?

6. What negotiations have been undertaken by the government of Canada with the government of the United States since April 23, 1963 related to these quotas, and with what result?

Hon. Robert Winters (Minister of Trade and Commerce): 1. The (a) quantity (b) dollar value, of cheese imported into Canada from the United States in each of the years 1962, 1963, 1964, and January to September 1965 (latest figures available) was:

	(a) Quantity Cwt.	(b) Value \$'000
1962	17,180	1,143
1963	15,928	981
1964	19,938	1,221
Jan.-Sept. 1965	18,338	1,136

2. The (a) quantity (b) dollar value, of cheese exported to the United States in each of the years 1962, 1963, 1964, and January to November 1965 (latest figures available) was:

	(a) Quantity Cwt.	(b) Value \$'000
1962	5,662	312
1963	5,842	333
1964	7,312	396
Jan.-Nov. 1965	5,453	273

3. Imports of Canadian cheddar cheese into the United States are subject to quota restrictions.

4. The United States has an annual global import quota for cheddar cheese amounting to 2,780,000 pounds. Canadian participation in this quota is approximately 614,000 pounds at the present time.

5. The present quota restrictions were imposed in 1953 under Section 22 of the United States Agricultural Adjustment Act. Up until 1964, Canadian participation was approximately 514,000 pounds. However, during that year, through a revision of import licensing procedure, Canadian participation was increased to about 614,000 pounds.

6. Formal representations have been made to the United States on several occasions, the latest in September 1964. We have continued to press the matter in the GATT and within meetings of the U.S.-Canada joint committee on trade and economic affairs, as well as through our embassy in Washington.

[Mr. Bell (Carleton).]

The increased Canadian participation referred to in No. 5 is largely a result of these representations.

CERTIFICATES BY INDUSTRY MINISTER UNDER INCOME TAX ACT

Question No. 596—**Mr. MacInnis (Cape Breton South):**

1. How many certificates have been issued by the Minister of Industry under the provisions of section 71 (a) (6) of the Income Tax Act?

2. What is the name of each company to whom a certificate has been issued?

3. What is the nature of the new manufacturing or processing business being carried on by each such company, and what is the description of the designated area in which each such manufacturing or processing business is being carried on?

Hon. C. M. Drury (Minister of Industry):

1. Seventy-one certificates establishing the date of commencement of commercial production of new businesses in designated areas have been issued. Four of these businesses have now been in commercial production for a minimum of one year and have been issued certificates granting exemption from income tax for one year under section 71(a)(6) of the Income Tax Act.

2 and 3. The names of the four companies and the nature and locations of the businesses are: (a) J. J. C. Electric (Canada) Limited Manufacture of control panels for automated equipment Windsor designated area; (b) Daal Specialties Limited Manufacture of automotive accessories Windsor designated area; (c) Compo Records (Ontario) Limited Stamping of phonograph records Cornwall designated area; (d) Massey-Ferguson Brantford Limited Assembly of combine harvesters Brantford designated area.

*PAYMENT TO MACLAREN ADVERTISING, TORONTO

Question No. 597—**Mr. Irvine:**

Was the amount of \$151,510 paid to MacLaren Advertising, Toronto, as set forth in answer to Question No. 49 (2) and printed in *Hansard* on February 2, 1966, paid as a fee or as a commission?

Mrs. Margaret Rideout (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of National Health and Welfare): The details of the \$151,510.00 gross fee of the MacLaren Advertising Company Limited are: Fees for services paid by the Department of National Health and Welfare, \$7,500; Commission earned from news media, design and production, and distributing agencies, \$144,010.