

meet the printing costs of their respective volumes, all other costs having been absorbed by the Library.

4. B. *Indexing of Senate, House, & Joint Committee Proceedings and Reports*

This project, begun in 1965, has now reached the stage where the indexes should be printed as a part of the reports so that all may benefit from their preparation not Parliamentarians alone. Copies of these indexes have been supplied to interested personnel in the Senate and the House of Commons, to the National Library, and to the ten provincial legislative libraries, but so far only the Senate has taken an interest in printing them as in the *Final Report of the Special Committee of the Senate on Aging*, 1966, and *Phase I Proceedings of the Special Committee on Science Policy*, 1967-68. The Library is particularly well-suited to preparing these indexes, but their printing in conjunction with the reports is a matter for co-operation which has, so far, been difficult to arrange.

4. C. *Surplus Parliamentary Documents*

During 1968, 365 volumes were supplied to other libraries, during the first three months of 1969, 482 volumes. Among the recipients were the University of British Columbia, the University of Calgary, and York University Law Library.

4. D. *International*

The Parliamentary Librarian, as Canadian Correspondent, has continued to provide substantial current documentation to the Inter-Parliamentary Union's International Centre for Parliamentary Documentation in Geneva.

And, as noted in Section 3.F, the Parliamentary Librarian is the Canadian Correspondent for Parliamentary and Administrative Libraries for the International Federation of Library Associations at whose meetings he has made preliminary arrangements for the exchange of Parliamentary Documents and exchanged other information.

The Research Branch supplies information on Canada for inclusion in the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association's publication *Report on World Affairs* (formerly *Report on Foreign Affairs*). Specialists from the Research Branch have served such organizations as the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, the Canada-France Parliamentary Association, l'Association Internationale des Parlementaires de langue française, and the Inter-Parliamentary Union by preparing background papers relating to conference items, or articles for publication relating to Canadian affairs, and by providing advisory assistance to their Canadian representatives.

In 1968, a second and final shipment, 446 volumes of Canadian Federal Parliamentary Papers, was made to the University of Southampton, England.

5. ASSISTANCE TO ACADEMIC & DEPARTMENTAL LIBRARIES, ROYAL COMMISSIONS, TASK FORCES, ETC.

A. *Senate Special Committee on Science Policy*

The Parliamentary Librarian was requested to submit a brief to this important Parliamentary Committee. Consisting of 74 pages, it is recommended