

"We have also reached agreement with the Romanian Government to negotiate at an early date a settlement of outstanding financial claims between the two countries. The negotiations will take into account, inter alia, claims of the Canadian Government and of persons who were Canadian citizens at the time of loss in respect of pre-war debts as well as property nationalized, expropriated or otherwise taken by the Romanian authorities. In accordance with well-established international rules and practices in this field, the Canadian Government will be able to take into consideration only claims in respect of property which belonged to persons who were Canadian citizens at the time when the property was nationalized or otherwise taken.

"Further details on these claims, together with forms and instructions, are available from the Claims Section of my Department."