

PORT CREDIT, ONT.—CONSTRUCTION AND  
OPERATION OF DOCKS

## C.N. TELEPHONE SYSTEMS, ATLANTIC PROVINCES

## Starred Questions

## Question No. 315—Mr. Batten:

1. Does the Canadian National Telegraphs operate telephone systems in any areas of (a) Nova Scotia (b) New Brunswick (c) Prince Edward Island?

2. If so, what are these areas?

3. What is the population and the number of subscribers served in each area?

4. What is the total main line mileage in each system?

**Hon. Leon Balcer (Minister of Transport):** The management of Canadian National Railways advise that the answer to part 1 is that Canadian National Telegraphs does not operate telephone systems in the provinces mentioned.

Parts 2, 3 and 4 are, therefore, not applicable.

FEDERAL ADVANCES TO UNEMPLOYMENT  
INSURANCE COMMISSION

## Question No. 316—Mr. Caron:

1. Have any advances been made by the government to the unemployment insurance commission during the fiscal year 1960-61, and since the beginning of the present fiscal year?

2. If so, what is the amount of each such advance, and the date on which it was made?

**Hon. Donald M. Fleming (Minister of Finance):** The answer to question 1 is yes. The answer to question 2 consists of a long list of dates and amounts. I could read this, but perhaps it would suffice if the information were placed in *Hansard* without being read.

**Mr. Speaker:** It consists of one page?

**Mr. Fleming (Eglinton):** Yes, Mr. Speaker.

**Mr. Speaker:** Has the minister leave to have the figures printed?

**Some hon. Members:** Agreed.

[*Editor's note: The table above referred to is as follows:*]

## 2. Fiscal year 1960-61

Date	Amount
April 19, 1960 .....	\$ 4,000,000
April 25, 1960 .....	12,000,000
April 29, 1960 .....	3,000,000
May 6, 1960 .....	1,000,000
May 11, 1960 .....	4,000,000
May 18, 1960 .....	3,000,000
May 26, 1960 .....	4,000,000
May 30, 1960 .....	2,000,000
May 31, 1960 .....	4,000,000
February 20, 1961 .....	3,000,000
February 22, 1961 .....	2,000,000
February 23, 1961 .....	2,000,000
February 24, 1961 .....	3,000,000
February 27, 1961 .....	4,000,000
February 28, 1961 .....	4,500,000
March 2, 1961 .....	3,000,000

## Question No. 313—Mr. Hellyer:

1. What is the cost of construction of docks and related facilities at Port Credit, Ontario, from July 1, 1957, to December 31, 1960?

2. What has been the cost to the federal government of maintaining and operating the docks and allied facilities at Port Credit, Ontario, from July 1, 1957, to December 31, 1960?

3. How much cargo was unloaded at the Port Credit docks in each of the three calendar years, 1958, 1959, and 1960?

**Hon. D. J. Walker (Minister of Public Works):**

1. \$568,701.84.

2. \$37,825.20. This amount was paid out for "allied facilities at Port Credit" but it was not associated with the main wharf in question. The work was done to maintain the channel to the inner harbour at the mouth of the Credit river.

3. 1958—Nil; 1959—Nil; 1960—6,509 tons of rock salt.

These figures do not include cargo over private wharves.

## SALES PROMOTION CONFERENCE, OTTAWA

## Question No. 314—Mr. Argue:

1. How many companies sent representatives to the sales promotion conference held in Ottawa last November by the Minister of Trade and Commerce?

2. What is the name of each company, and the business in which they are engaged?

3. Are any of these companies (a) American subsidiaries (b) controlled by American companies?

4. If so: (a) which ones? (b) what is the name of the parent company? (c) what is the extent of the control?

5. Have any companies not followed through after prospective sales were initiated at the sales promotion conference or afterwards?

6. If so, which ones?

7. What sales have taken place as a result of this conference?

**Mr. E. L. Morris (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Trade and Commerce):**

1. 1,133.

2. It is not deemed advisable nor in the public interest to publish this list.

3. This question relates to internal matters of private companies.

4. See number 3.

5. Yes. Approximately 367.

6. It is not advisable to name these companies. As the Minister of Trade and Commerce has already intimated, he is following up these cases with the hope that further action may be stimulated.

7. Approximately 52 commodities to 22 different countries largely at this time in the category of trial orders for over \$2 million.