

fresh air. However as a result of the board's studies it was recommended that the tackle regulations be amended to govern the use of internal combustion engines used in cargo holds.

5. Section 63(3) of the tackle regulations, made under the Canada Shipping Act by order in council P.C. 1961-188 of February 9, 1961, provides that "where internal combustion engines are used in cargo spaces the carbon monoxide gas concentration shall not exceed 100 parts per million".

INVITATIONS TO MEETING RESPECTING
HALIFAX HARBOUR

Question No. 233—**Mr. Forrestall:**

1. Was the government of Canada or any of its departments or interested agencies, other than the national harbours board, invited to attend a special meeting arranged by the city of Halifax on June 3, 1967, for the purpose of discussing declining port activity and, if so, which departments were invited and which attended?

2. Were any departments invited who were not able to send representatives and, if so, why were they not present?

Hon. Judy V. LaMarsh (Secretary of State): I am informed by all departments as follows:

1. No.

2. Answered by No. 1.

VOTE BY CHAIRMAN OF LABOUR RELATIONS
BOARD

Question No. 245—**Mr. Simard:**

Has the president of the Canada Labour Relations Board the right to vote in the case of a dispute among unions where the members of a union are not unanimous in their choice of representation, so that employers will not be required to decide the matter for their employees?

Mr. B. S. Mackasey (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Labour): All members of the board have the right to vote on any matter coming before the board.

UNION DISPUTE BETWEEN C.L.C. AND C.N.T.U.

Question No. 246—**Mr. Simard:**

In the case of an inter-union dispute involving an affiliated member of the CLC and an affiliated member of the CNTU, must the CNTU and the CLC be represented in equal numbers, that is, two for the CNTU and two for the CLC?

Mr. B. S. Mackasey (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Labour): Every matter coming before the board is dealt with on its merits by the board as a whole without distinction as to the nature of the issue involved.

Questions

CANADIAN FOREIGN AID

Question No. 270—**Mr. Ballard:**

1. What was Canada's contribution to foreign aid in the years 1956, 1961 and 1966?

2. What were the amounts contributed in the years 1956, 1961 and 1966 to each country or international agency receiving such aid?

3. What amounts, in aggregate, for each of the years 1956, 1961 and 1966, were tied to the procurement of goods in Canada?

Hon. Paul Martin (Secretary of State for External Affairs): 1. The Canadian government made the following amounts available during the fiscal years 1956-57, 1961-62 and 1966-67 for Canada's development assistance program:

	(\$ Canadian millions)		
	1956-57	1961-62	1966-67
Bilateral assistance	35.88	56.81	207.77
Multilateral assistance	6.57	15.25	41.49
ECIA section 21A long term credits		42.69	61.77
Total	42.45	114.75	311.03

2. The following amounts were allocated to developing countries and international agencies for development assistance during the fiscal years 1956-57, 1961-62 and 1966-67.

1956-57

Countries

Ceylon	\$ 2,000,000
India	18,800,000
Pakistan	12,680,000
Other countries	400,000
Technical assistance	2,000,000

International agencies

ETAP	1,770,000
UNICEF	650,000
UNRWA	130,000
UN-Korean Reconstruction Agency	500,000
IFC	3,520,000

1961-62

Countries

South and South-East Asia	
India	\$ 25,000,000
Pakistan	15,000,000
Ceylon	2,000,000
Malaya	1,000,000
Other	1,850,000
Technical Assistance	2,000,000
Indus Basin	3,000,000
West Indies Federation	1,600,000