

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Landry:—

November 16—That he will inquire of the Government—

1. What is the length of the channel known under the name of the Banc de Beaujeu channel, in the River St. Lawrence?
2. What is its width?
3. What is its depth at high and at low tide—
 - (a) at the time of the highest tides?
 - (b) at the time of the ordinary tides?
4. Has the work of excavation of the said channel been finished?
5. In what respect and how may the work which remains to be done change the figures given in the answers to the first, second and third questions?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Landry:—

November 16—That he will inquire of the Government—

1. What is the extent of the Federal properties situated in the City of Quebec?
2. Are these properties all subject to the payment of municipal taxes affecting the lands of ordinary taxpayers?
3. Or are they wholly or in part exempt from the payment of municipal taxes?
4. In the latter case, in what proportion?

No. 4.

By the Honourable Mr. Landry:—

November 16—That he will inquire of the Government—

1. When was Mr. Jos. P. Lavoie appointed to the immigration office at Quebec?
2. To what position was he then appointed?
3. Whom did he then replace?
4. What was his salary?
5. Since his first appointment has he been promoted, when, and to what position?
6. Whom did he replace, and what was his new salary?
7. What was the salary of his predecessor?
8. What is his present salary and since when has he received this salary?
9. Besides his actual salary, does he receive, by way of remuneration, or otherwise, any additional allowances, fees whatsoever, or compensations of any kind?
10. What is the nature and extent of these additional allowances, or of such compensations?

No. 5.

By the Honourable Mr. Landry:—

November 16—That he will inquire of the Government—

1. Is it the case that the Lévis forts, numbers 1, 2 and 3, have become uninhabitable for their caretakers, and that the Government has been obliged to rent, outside of their line of fortification, dwelling-houses to lodge the caretakers of these forts?
2. Where are these lodgings situated? At what distance from their respective forts are the caretakers in question lodged?
3. What is the amount of rent paid by the Government for the lodging of each of these caretakers?
4. To whom are these rents paid?