

General's Office, was an expert; Christie, who was brought into the Department after a background of training in the United States public service, was an expert. But no other officials were brought into the Department, until Dr. Skelton first replaced Christie and then replaced Pope. The fact that there were no accretions to the senior staff was sufficient evidence that there was no public, no parliamentary, and no governmental demand for such Departmental experts, while leaders like Borden, Meighen and Mackenzie King did the policy-making and had Pope, Walker, Christie or Skelton at their elbow to give them technical advice.