

amendment substituting a term of 21 years for the term of 10 years fixed by the Commons. The committee was informed that the Minister of Railways had given his consent to this amendment. I move that the amendment be concurred in.

The motion was agreed to.

SEED GRAIN PURCHASED BY THE GOVERNMENT IN 1914.

MOTION.

The notice of inquiry being called:

Hon. Mr. DAVIS inquired:

1. How much wheat, oats and barley has the Dominion Government purchased in 1914 for seed to be distributed in the West, giving the amount of each kind.
2. Where is said grain stored, and what rate of storage is the Government paying on same?
3. How much did the Government pay per bushel for oats, barley and wheat purchased for said provinces, and when was said grain purchased?
4. Have they given a contract for cleaning said grain, and to whom, and at what price?

Hon. Mr. LOUGHEED—The information asked for by this inquiry will be very voluminous; it is necessary to communicate with Winnipeg to obtain the information required. I suggest that the notice remain on the Order Paper as it is but in the shape of a motion for a return, and I shall have the papers prepared at once.

Hon. Mr. DAVIS—I am quite willing to meet the view of the leader of the House, and my motion will be that an order of the House be issued for the information asked for in my inquiry.

The motion was agreed to.

DOMINION REVENUES, ETC., 1909-1914.

MOTION.

Hon. Mr. GIRROIR moved:

That an order of the Senate do issue for a return of:

1. A statement of the Revenue of the Dominion of Canada for the years of 1909, 1910 and 1911, respectively.
2. A statement of the amounts voted and spent by the Dominion Government for agriculture during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911, respectively.
3. A statement of the Revenue of the Dominion of Canada for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914, respectively.
4. A statement of the amount voted and spent by the Dominion Government for agriculture during the years 1912, 1913 and 1914, respectively.
5. A statement of the amount granted and paid to each of the provinces of the Dominion

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by the Federal Government for the purposes of agriculture during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911, respectively.

6. A statement of the amount granted and paid to each of the provinces of the Dominion by the Federal Government for the purposes of agriculture during the years 1912, 1913 and 1914, respectively.

7. A full and detailed statement of all amounts spent for the purposes of agriculture by the Federal Government in the province of Nova Scotia during each of the years 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914.

8. A full and detailed statement of all amounts from Federal grants to the province of Nova Scotia spent by the provincial Government of said province under the direction of or agreement with the Federal Government or Department of Agriculture during each of the years 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, respectively.

9. Copies of all agreements entered into between the Federal Government or Department of Agriculture and the government of Nova Scotia with respect to the expenditure of Federal grants to agriculture in said province during the years 1912, 1913 and 1914, respectively.

10. Copies of all reports from the government of Nova Scotia to the Federal Government or Department of Agriculture with respect to agriculture and the expenditure of Dominion Government grants to said province for agriculture in the said province of Nova Scotia for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914, respectively.

The motion was agreed to.

NET FISHING IN LAKE OF TWO MOUNTAINS.

Hon. Mr. BOYER—I desire to call the attention of the leader of the Government to an answer given yesterday to a question put by me. I moved:

That an humble address be presented to His Royal Highness the Governor General, praying that His Royal Highness submit to the Senate, copies of all correspondence, telegrams and documents exchanged between the Department of Marine and Fisheries and the Minister of the Naval Service and the Department of Colonization Mines and Fisheries of the province of Quebec, relating to the rescinding of the prohibition of net fishing in the waters of the Lake of Two Mountains, St. Francis and St. Louis, as per Order in Council (197) passed in Ottawa, Thursday, 28th day of January, 1915.

The answer I received was that, on the 12th January last, the Minister of Colonization, Mines and Fisheries of Quebec, wrote urging that the regulation, which as it then existed, prevented net fishing in Lake of Two Mountains, as well as in other waters, should be amended so as to allow net fishing in that lake, etc. Cannot I get a copy of that letter, or is the department too busy? I want to see it myself.

Hon. Mr. LOUGHEED—Very well, it will be brought down.