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General.

Recognition of the increased cost of living west of the Great Lakes has been made in the case of the Dominion Police stationed at Esquimaux. The special allowance being 20%.

A substantial bonus has been given by the Justice Dept. to all keepers in penitentiaries getting less than \$1,000 per annum.

The automatic gauges maintained by the Public Works Dept. on the Great Lakes has been transferred to the control of the Dept. Naval Service. Mr. F. R. Burgess, officer in charge, has been transferred to the latter Dept.

There seems to be a general disposition on the part of the government to meet the increased cost of living by increasing salaries and revising classification.

THE WORLD IS WORRIED.

In our last number we referred to the enquiries which are being made in Canada as to the increased cost of living, and it now appears that New Zealand is also bent on tackling the problem. A Royal Commission has been appointed by the Dominion Government to see whether the cost of living has increased within the last twenty years; if, so, has the increase been greater than in other English-speaking countries; how far the increase is due to the higher standard of living, or to monopolies, trusts, tariff, price of land, or labour legislation; also what steps should be taken towards reducing the cost of the necessities of life. New South Wales is also investigating the subject. In the United States there has been a proposal to send a commission round the world to study the subject. There will evidently in due course be a vast accumulation of evidence, and