

Questions

Mr. ROBB: Heretofore if a man was placed in gaol the Minister of Justice could sign for his release, but apparently that power was vested by section 4 in the Minister of Immigration and Colonization. It is by this amendment transferred back to the Minister of Justice.

Motion agreed to and bill read the first time.

QUESTIONS

(Questions answered orally are indicated by an asterisk.)

IMPORTED CHEESE

Mr. STEWART (Leeds):

1. Is the government aware that Canadian manufacturers (grinders) of loaf cheese make use of New Zealand cheese in the manufacture of their product?
2. Do these manufacturers (grinders) export the product so manufactured labelled as a Canadian product?
3. Are these manufacturers (grinders) entitled to a rebate of duty paid on imported cheese used in the manufacture of their product when such products are exported?
4. What is the amount of rebate of duty, if any, allowed in such cases?
5. When Canadian cheese is used in the manufacture of such products, what grade of such cheese is used?
6. Have any regulations been adopted relating to the manufacture, branding, grade of Canadian cheese to be used, or sale of this class of cheese?
7. Is it the intention of the Minister of Agriculture to make regulations relating to the manufacture, branding, sale and export of this class of cheese?

Hon. Mr. COPP:

1. Yes.
2. No.
3. and 4. Under regulations established by order in council under the provisions of the Customs Act a drawback is allowed of 99 per cent of the duties paid on imported materials used, wrought into, or attached to goods manufactured or produced in Canada, and exported.
5. First grade.
6. No.
7. The matter is under consideration.

TEMISCOUATA PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Mr. POULIOT:

1. What public buildings belonging (a) to the Dominion government; (b) to the Canadian National Railways, in the county of Temiscouata, are insured against fire?
2. For what amount are each of said buildings insured?
3. What is the amount of the yearly premium in each of the above cases?
4. What are the names of the insurance companies in which the said buildings have been insured?
5. What are (a) the names and (b) the address of the insurance agents who insured the above buildings?
6. What is the date of payment for each of the above insurances?

[Sir Henry Drayton.]

Hon. Mr. COPP:

1. (a) There are no public buildings insured against fire in the county of Temiscouata.

Location—Description of Property

(b) Riviere du Loup—Station, freight house, contents (freight), baggage express house, water tank, water tank, ice house, sand house, roundhouse (30 stalls), machine shop, power house, storehouse, contents (stores), car repair shop, contents (stores), bunk house (engineer's), casting shed, contents (stores), coal shed, shop B and B department, scale house and scales, yard office and switchman's shanty, tool and lunch room, stores in iron shed.

Cacouna, Que.—Station.

St. Arsene, Que.—Station.

Isle Verte, Que.—Station, water tank.

St. Eloi, Que.—Station, freight house.

Tobin, Que.—Station, freight house.

Trois Pistoles, Que.—Station, freight house, water tank, dwelling (agents), coal house (agents).

2.—Location—Description of Property

Riviere du Loup, Que.—

	Insurance on Building Contents	
Station	\$ 10,000	\$ 2,000
Freight house	14,000	
Contents (freight)		8,000
Baggage express house	3,000	
Water tank	3,000	
Water tank	1,500	
Ice house	7,000	1,000
Sand house	1,000	100
Roundhouse (30 stalls)	50,000	5,000
Machine shop	75,000	50,000
Power house	12,000	15,000
Storehouse	15,000	
Contents (stores)		55,000
Car repair shop	25,000	5,000
Contents (stores)		1,800
Bunk house (engineer's)	2,500	300
Casting shed	2,000	
Contents (stores)		8,000
Coal shed	600	500
Shop B&B Department	1,200	500
Scale house and scales	500	
Yard office and switchman's shanty	500	100
Tool and lunch room	500	200
Stores in iron shed		1,200
Cacouna, Que.—		
Station	6,000	
St. Arsene, Que.—		
Station	5,000	
Isle Verte, Que.—		
Station	5,000	
Water tank	1,500	