

WATER CARRIAGE OF GOODS—*Con.*

Henderson, D. (Halton)—13508.

Does not see why W. F. Maclean should have special privileges—13508.

Johnston, A. (Cape Breton)—13509.

Senator Campbell, sponsor for the Bill, states that the shipping interests have agreed to it—13509.

Lancaster, E. A. (Lincoln)—13509.

Should at least have a special committee of the House to take evidence in this matter—13509. If no exception could be made for his Railway Bill, none ought to be for this Bill—13510.

WATSON, MR., K.C.

Inquires regarding appointment to assist in Marine Department investigation—Mr. W. B. Northrup—6848.

Brodeur, Hon. L. P. (Minister of Marine and Fisheries)—6848.

Knows nothing about that—6848.

Northrup, W. B. (East Hastings)—6848.

Asks concerning connection of Mr. Watson with West Elgin investigation—6848.

WAYS AND MEANS RESOLUTIONS.

House in committee on the resolutions—Hon. W. S. Fielding—6118.

Beattie, Thomas (London)—6124.

Cigar men in his constituency object to the changes—6124. Reads a petition from cigar makers using foreign leaf exclusively—6125. They are manufacturers of all kinds of leaf—6126. You cannot tell the Canadian from the imported leaf cigars—6127.

Bergeron, J. G. H. (Beauharnois)—6120.

Asks concerning a recent deputation *re* excise changes—6120. Will encourage the cultivation of better Canadian tobacco—6121.

B'ain, R. (Peel)—6124.

Understands the changes in no way affect the price of cigarettes or tobacco—6124. Would that apply to cigars as well—6135. Understood the black stamp represented cigars made in Canada out of foreign leaf—6137. The effect is that it is a misrepresentation to the public—6138.

Bristol, E. (Toronto Centre)—6120.

Asks if any protest has been received on the ground that the consumer will not be able to see what he is buying—6120. Has a strong protest from some unions—6121. Does he understand that the protests have been fully considered—6124. If it happened to be the best kind the brand would protect the smoker—6130. Reads a communication from Cigarmakers' Union No. 27 of Toronto—6131. Desires to lay the matter before the minister—6133.

WAYS AND MEANS RESOLUTIONS—*Con.*

Brodeur, Hon. L. P. (Minister of Marine and Fisheries)—6121.

The object of the change is to give Canadian tobacco growers a better advantage—6121. It is a matter which the manufacturers themselves should see to—6122. Change will prove of great benefit to the Canadian grower—6123. In future the cigars will be sold on their own merits—6125. The petition says they are manufacturers of foreign leaf exclusively—6127. Mr. Fisher taking steps to increase the curing and growing of tobacco—6135. The law has been in existence many years—6136. A man licensed as a manufacturer of foreign leaf is supposed to use foreign leaf exclusively—6137. There is under this clause no reduction of duty—6138. It will be an advantage to the Canadian grower—6139.

Clarke, A. H. (South Essex)—6126.

In favour of this resolution that it is opposed by manufacturers of foreign leaf—6126. Cannot imagine manufacturers of Canadian leaf being opposed to the change—6127. The policy has been in effect a discrimination against Canadian tobacco—6128. Tobacco a most profitable crop, growers entitled to encouragement—6129. The consumer not yet educated to a proper appreciation of Canadian tobacco—6130. It is not a fraud—6139. The object of this stamp is to regulate the amount of duty—6140. The law says that Canadian tobacco may be taken in—6141.

Clements, H. S. (West Kent)—6138.

The manufacturer of chewing tobacco would be worse off than before—6138. Has long advocated the scheme advocated by the government—6141.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Minister of Finance)—6118.

Moves the resolution—6118-19.

McLean, A. A. (Queens, P.E.I.)—6136.

Any man having a license for foreign leaf could mix Canadian with the foreign—6136-7. Fail to see how it can be done without the knowledge of the officials, but it is every day—6139. A fraud connived at by the officials of the Inland Revenue Department—6140.

Monk, F. D. (Jacques Cartier)—6123.

No doubt the change to one stamp has been long sought in the interest of Canadian tobacco—6123. The government has been very slow in remedying that injustice—6133. The packing for the European market is a matter of the utmost importance—6134. If we are to develop as we ought we must go a step further—6135.

Templeman, Hon. Wm. (Minister of Inland Revenue)—6120.

Now to one stamp and one license for tobacco manufacturers—6120. Have received some protests, one from London