

SUPPLY—RAILWAY COMMISSION—*Con.*

*Monk, F. D.*—*Con.*

was the Phoenix Construction Company who suggested Mr. Cooper, 3087. Will endeavour to get absolute proof of what he is saying, 3088.

*Shaffner, J. L.* (Souris)—3072.

Asks if the road is now hauling wheat from Winnipeg to Port Arthur, 3072.  
Quebec bridge—construction, \$500,000—8821.

*Graham, Hon. Geo. P.* (Minister of Railways and Canals)—8821.

Explains that full estimates of the cost of the Quebec bridge have not yet been placed in his hands; will cost at least \$10,000,000—8821.

*Sproule, T. S.* (East Grey)—8821.

Remarks that parliament has not yet had anything like a definite statement as to what the Quebec bridge is expected to cost when erected, 8821.

## SUPPLY—NATIONAL TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILWAY.

Surveys and construction, \$27,000,000—3065.

*Borden, R. L.* (Halifax)—3067.

The interim report practically non-existent; thinks the item had better stand, 3067. Would like to have information of cost brought down to date, 5200. Asks the classification so far as returned, 5232. Does the hon. minister (Mr. Graham) remember the date when this was 8352.

*Foster, Hon. Geo. E.* (North Toronto)—3065.

Asks amounts spent on surveys in 1909-10, 3065. Asks how surveys and construction were divided in last year's expenditure, 3066.

*Graham, Hon. Geo. P.* (Minister of Railways and Canals)—3065.

The amount asked last year, and expenditure; statement laid on the table, 3065. If he would consult the interim report laid on the table he would have the matter pretty well in hand, 3066. Wants to get his estimates through whilst his deputy is with him, 3067. Gives total expenditure on eastern division up to December 31, 1909, 5230. Gives engineers estimate of solid rock, &c., 5231-2. Reads statement, 5233-4. The last estimate as a whole was \$63,437 per mile, 5235. Reads statement from the secretary of the Railway Commission, 8352-3-4-5-6-7-8-9. So far as the security is concerned that has been adhered to, 8360. The three arbitrators went out on the question of overbreak, 8361.

*Haggart, Hon. J. G.* (South Lanark)—3065.

Have not seen the report, 3065. We require a statement of the expenditure and how it compares with the estimate,

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3066. The first he has seen of the statement; has not had a chance of looking at it, 3067. Asks estimated quantities and quantities actually returned, 5231. Asks what quantities are exactly the same as the estimates, 5232. The estimated cost to complete will not exceed Mr. Lumsden's last estimate, 5235. There was a clause in the agreement by which the Grand Trunk Pacific were to put up \$20,000,000 of rolling stock upon the road, 8360-1.

*Lennox, Y.* (South Simcoe)—8360.

What is the position of the arbitration proceedings of the three engineers under as the minister alleges clause 7 of the agreement, 8360.

## SUPPLY — PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RAILWAY.

Branch line Harmony to Elmira, \$150,000—3063.

*Barker, S.* (East Hamilton)—3064.

If the minister had asked for estimates in the office, he would not have to make them up here, 3064.

*Crocket, O. S.* (York, N.B.)—3064.

Asks the name of the engineer in charge, 3064. And how much has been paid to the contractor so far, 3065.

*Foster, Hon. Geo. E.* (North Toronto)—3063.

Asks concerning the contract, and estimates of quantities, 3063. Wants to see how near the engineer came to the contractor's price, 3064.

*Graham, Hon. Geo. P.* (Minister of Railways and Canals)—3063.

Ten miles in length; contract given to lowest tenderer. Work is only starting, 3063. The total estimate, rails, clearing, close cutting and grubbing, \$315,000, 3064. Contract fixes time, but period is likely to be extended, 3065.

*Sproule, T. S.* (East Grey)—3063.

That would be about \$40,000 a mile for a narrow gauge railway, 3063.

Collection of revenue, \$400,000—3102.

*Blain, R.* (Peel)—3102.

Asks how much is taken from the consolidated fund for this purpose now, 3102.

*Graham, Hon. Geo. P.* (Minister of Railways and Canals)—3102.

Each year a certain amount must be contributed out of the Consolidated Fund to give a service to Prince Edward Island, 3102-3.

## SUPPLY—ROYAL NORTHWEST MOUNTED POLICE.

Rifle range required, \$15,000—8802.