

Questions

2. If so, what action, if any, has been taken by the Department on the recommendation of the commission?

3. (a) What was the cost of the commission; (b) how many sittings were held, and at what places?

4. What are the names of the individuals who took part—except witnesses—showing: (a) amount paid in fees for services; (b) amount paid for expenses in each case?

Mr. MICHAUD:

1. Yes.

2. The commission was a fact finding one and so made no recommendations.

3. (a) \$9,186.68.

(b) Newcastle, N.B.	7
Richibucto, N.B.	8
Buctouche, N.B.	10
Shediac, N.B.	9
Port Elgin, N.B.	4
Moncton, N.B.	1
Charlottetown, P.E.I.	5
Summerside, P.E.I.	7
Alberton, P.E.I.	11
Tignish, P.E.I.	3
	65

4.	Fees	Expenses
Hon. Judge A. T. Leblanc, Commissioner	nil	1,950.00
Hon. H. F. G. Bridges, Counsel	2,550	990.00
Miss J. Saindon, Sten.	845	712.96
Witness fees and expenses		2,138.72
	\$3,395	\$5,791.68

HORNBY, ONT., BROADCASTING STATION

Mr. GRAYDON:

1. What was the total cost of the new radio broadcasting station at Hornby, Ontario?

2. How many wave-traps have been supplied to date to owners of radio receiving sets in the vicinity of said station?

3. How many licences have been issued for radio receiving sets in the county of Peel for the current fiscal year?

Mr. HOWE:

1. P.C. 691, dated April 1, 1937, authorized an expenditure of \$282,123.00 for the establishment near Hornby, Ontario, of a 50 K. W. transmitter, complete with land and accessories. The total expenditure to this date is \$270,012.00.

2. Five hundred.

3. 2,498.

COST TO CANADA OF UNITED STATES RADIO PROGRAMS

Mr. BENNETT:

What is the cost to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation of United States radio programs presently heard over the Canadian network?

[Mr. Brooks.]

Mr. HOWE: The following information has been supplied by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation:

1. Nil.

DOMINION GOVERNMENT RECORDS OFFICE

Mr. HYNDMAN:

1. Has the government completed a building at Ottawa for the storing of records?

2. Have the records in the Auditor General's office increased in the past thirty-five years, and, if so, to what extent?

3. Was there a clerk of records employed in the Auditor General's office in the year 1917, and, if so, what is the name of such clerk?

4. How many years of service had this clerk in the Auditor General's office before he was appointed as clerk of records?

5. Was the position of clerk of records in the Auditor General's office abolished, and, if so, why?

6. Is there a clerk of records or record clerk employed in the government service at Ottawa according to civil service classification?

7. If so, will such clerk in the Auditor General's office receive a classification from the civil service commission covering the duties of his employment?

Mr. RINFRET:

1. Record storage building at central experimental farm now under construction.

2. No means of determining extent of increase.

3. H. Cottee was appointed temporarily clerk of records in 1917 under War Measures Act not Civil Service Act.

4. 19 years, as messenger.

5. On restoration to permanent staff, position was classified as senior file clerk.

6. There is no position in the civil service classification.

7. No change in classification considered necessary.

WEST TORONTO CUSTOMS PORT—APPOINTMENTS

Mr. ROSS (St. Paul's):

1. Will the collector of customs for the new port of West Toronto be appointed from the civil service?

2. Will all appointments to the staff of the port of West Toronto be made from the civil service?

Mr. ILSLEY:

1. The position of collector of customs and excise for the port of West Toronto will be filled by the civil service commission by promotion from within the customs excise services.

2. Appointments to the staff of West Toronto as vacancies occur will be made by the civil service commission by promotion from within the customs excise services, or if there is no one eligible for promotion, then by