

Questions

(a) (1) Deposits under \$1,000; (2) Deposits over \$1,000 to \$5,000; (3) Deposits over \$5,000 to \$25,000; (4) Deposits over \$25,000 to \$100,000; (5) Deposits in excess of \$100,000?

(b) What is the number and value of deposits payable after notice in Canadian banks in the same size groups?

Mr. RHODES: The answer to this question will be found in the return which was tabled on the first of March.

Mr. SPEAKER: Answered.

SOLDIER SETTLEMENT BOARD

Mr. SPENCER:

How many parcels of land in the following categories have been forfeited to the soldier settlement board through the inability of the farmer to meet his liabilities since the soldier settlement board started operations (a) soldier grants; (b) homesteads; (c) second homesteads?

Mr. SPENCER: Dropped.

Mr. SPEAKER: Dropped.

NEWMARKET CANAL—CONSTRUCTION

Mr. TUMMON:

1. Through what territory was the Trent Valley canal extension, better known as the Newmarket canal, intended to be constructed?

2. How far did the construction of this canal proceed?

3. In what years was the construction carried on?

4. Who represented the constituency of North York during the years construction work was carried on?

5. Did the engineer's report provide for pumping the water into the said canal, or reservoirs, and what was the estimated cost of such service?

Mr. MANION:

1. County of York, province of Ontario, from lake Simcoe to Newmarket.

2. Total estimated capital cost, \$1,011,642.87; expenditure against capital, \$818,642.87; percentage completed, 81 per cent.

3. 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911 and 1912.

4. Sir William Mulock resigned his seat and portfolio as Postmaster General on appointment to the bench, October 16, 1905. Hon. A. B. Aylesworth succeeded Sir William Mulock as member for North York at the by-election of November 22, 1905, and remained until the defeat of the Laurier government in September, 1911. Mr. J. A. M. Armstrong, Conservative, succeeded Mr. Aylesworth, now Sir Allen Aylesworth, senator.

5. Yes, pumping, capital cost, \$17,000; annual operation and maintenance cost, \$4,000.

[Mr. Coote.]

NEWMARKET CANAL—EXPENDITURE

Mr. PECK:

1. What has been the total expenditure made on the Trent Valley canal extension, better known as the Newmarket canal?

2. Has the amount expended on the Newmarket canal extension been charged to the capital account of the Trent Valley canal?

3. Has any use ever been made of the Newmarket canal?

4. Has any money been expended on this enterprise since October, 1911?

Mr. MANION:

1. Capital expenditure.. . . .	\$818,642 87
Maintenance and supervision to February 28, 1935.. . . .	17,678 36

Total..	\$836,321 23
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2. Yes.

3. No.

4. Following decision in December, 1911, to abandon the enterprise, unavoidable capital expenditure on road approaches, etc., necessitated by the closing out of contracts, were made to the amount of \$27,929.48. Additional expenditures for maintenance and supervision since December, 1911, have amounted to, approximately, \$17,700.

NEWMARKET CANAL—INITIAL GRANT

Mr. STINSON:

1. In what year was the initial grant made to the Trent Valley canal extension, better known as the Newmarket canal?

2. Who was the sitting member of the riding of North York at the time the initial grant was made?

3. In what year was the work commenced and how much money was spent in that year?

4. Has there been any return from the said expenditure for power, rentals, or otherwise?

Mr. MANION:

1. Initial surveys—1904.

2. Hon. William Mulock.

3. In 1906; expenditure fiscal year 1906-07—\$12,282.23.

4. Yes, \$5,971.10 to date, from land leases and pasturage privileges.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF—QUEBEC MUNICIPALITIES
—DORCHESTER COUNTY

Mr. GAGNON:

Has the Department of Labour ever requested the Quebec provincial government to take proceedings against some municipalities of the county of Dorchester with respect to the expenditures of relief moneys, since 1930?

Mr. GORDON: No.