Hon. Mr. MACLEAN:

- 1. Yes.
- 2. Nineteen.
- 3. These cases will be settled as soon as necessary pay documents are received and checked up, and accounts balanced.

H.M.C.S. STADACONA.

Mr. TOBIN:

- 1. Was the H.M.C.S. Stadacona purchased by the Government during the period of the war?
 - 2. If so, from whom?

3. What was was the price paid?

4. Was the said steamer employed in connection with the Naval Service work?

5. What have the refit repairs to said steamer cost each year since being purchased by the Government?

Hon. Mr. MACLEAN:

- 1. Yes.
- 2. J. H. Ladew.
- 3. \$70,000.
- 4. Yes.
- 5. Refittings. \$39,025 14 1915-16. 7,529 57 1916-17. 11,262 57 1917-18. 17,844 01 1918-19. 7,465 67

H.M.C.S. MILDRED McCOLL.

Mr. TOBIN

- 1. Was the H.M.C.S. Mildred McColl purchased by the Government during the period of the war?
 - 2. If so, from whom?
 - 3. What was the price paid?
- 4. Was the vessel employed in connection with the Naval Service work?
- 5. What have the refit repairs to the said vessel cost each year?
- 6. What duties did this vessel perform dur-
- ing 1917 and 1918?
- 7. For what length of time has this vessel been in dockyard hands since being purchased?

Hon. Mr. MACLEAN:

- 1. Yes.
- 2. Canadian Sardine Co.
- 3. \$4,000.
- 4. Yes.
- 6. Despatch boat in Halifax Harbour.
- 7. Vessel under repairs from September 4th, 1918, to December 14th, 1918. Delayed waiting new parts for engine.

Mr. LOUIS KOHN.

Mr. TOBIN:

- 1. Has Mr. Louis Kohn of Winnipeg been appointed Secretary of an Economic Commission being sent to Siberia?
 - 2. If so, what salary is he receiving?3. What travelling expenses will be allowed
- him?
 4. What are his qualifications for this posi-
- tion?
 5. Is the Government aware that Mr. Kohn is a Russian?

Hon. Mr. MACLEAN:

- 1. Yes.
- 2. \$300 a month.
- 3. Actual expenses while engaged on Government work.
- 4. He is intimately acquainted with conditions in Russia and Canada, speaks and writes English well, is well versed in French, German and various Slav languages, and bears high recommendations for ability and efficiency.
- 5. Mr. Kohn is of Russian birth, but has been a naturalized Canadian citizen since 1910.

LT.-COL. ALFRED THOMPSON, M.P.

Mr. D'ANJOU:

- 1. What remuneration or salary, outside of Sessional indemnity and travelling expenses connected therewith, did Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Thompson, M.P. for Yukon, receive from the Government for services rendered in connection with the work of the Military Hospital Commission, or in any other capacity, during the fiscal years 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918?
- 2. What were the total amounts paid him for expenses during the years 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918 other than his travelling expenses as a member to and from the Yukon?
- 3. What were the amounts of money paid him for his travelling expenses as a Member of Parliament to and from the Yukon for the years 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918?

Hon. Mr. BURRELL:

- 1. As Medical Superintendent of the Military Hospitals Commission he was in receipt of pay of rank as Lieutenant-Colonel, \$7.50 per diem from March 27, 1916, the date of his appointment. His duties with the Military Hospitals Commission terminated on March 31, 1918, on which date he was in receipt of pay at the rate of \$7.70 per diem, amount of subsistence allowance having been increased as from November, 1917. The total amount paid to this officer by the Military Hospitals Commission was \$5,542.70.
- 2. For travelling expenses incurred as Medical Superintendent of the Military Hospitals Commission \$1,522.06.
- 3. 1912, \$750; 1914, \$630; 1915, \$420; 1916, \$630; 1917, \$630; 1918, \$675.

NAVAL SERVICE RECRUITING.

Mr. D'ANJOU:

- At the outbreak of hostilities did the Government receive requests asking permission to recruit ratings for the Canadian Naval Service?
- 2. If so, from whom were these requests received?
- 3. Did the Department grant the requests?
- 4. If not, why not?