

Superintendent of cordage industry..	\$1,200	Inc. from \$1,000.
Chief trade instructor..	1,000	No change.
Trade instructors..	800	Inc. from \$700.
Chief keeper..	1,000	No change.
Chief watchman..	800	Incr'd from \$600.
Gate keeper and armourer..	700	" 650.
9 keepers..	700	" 600.
Watchmen..	650	" 500.
Guards..	600	" 500.
Stable guards..	600	" 500.
Temporary guards..	500	" 400.

Hon. Mr. LOUGHEED—Do these officers get their meals in the penitentiary?

Hon. Mr. SCOTT—I think so. Of course the surgeon and the chaplains do not.

Hon. Mr. LOUGHEED—Are the increases in the other penitentiaries in the same ratio?

Hon. Mr. SCOTT—On the same lines.

Hon. Sir MACKENZIE BOWELL—I learned that these officers do not get their meals in the penitentiary except they are detained there and cannot get home.

Hon. Mr. SCOTT—St. Vincent de Paul is on a slightly lower scale.

The schedules were adopted.

On clause 32,

32. No officer, on the permanent staff of a penitentiary, shall carry on any trade or calling of profit or emolument other than his employment in the penitentiary, except by consent of the Governor in Council; provided always that in cases where such exemption shall be granted a reduction of at least twenty per cent shall be made from the salary attached to the office or position held by such officer.

Hon. Mr. POWER—It may be well enough in the case of some of the smaller penitentiaries to allow some of the subordinate officers, perhaps a surgeon or chaplain or some other officer who lives outside, to engage in other occupations, but the warden and the deputy warden who reside in the penitentiary should certainly not be allowed to do any other business, and I would suggest that we add at the end of this clause words to this effect:

And provided that no such exemption shall be granted to any officer who resides in the penitentiary.

If the surgeon is a permanent officer and lives in the penitentiary, he should not be allowed to practice outside. Clause 28 provides that the warden and the deputy warden

shall live in the penitentiary, and this proviso would prevent them from engaging in any other business.

Hon. Sir MACKENZIE BOWELL—It seems to me that this clause as it reads can only apply practically to surgeons and to clergymen. It may be possible that surgeons for the smaller penitentiaries might not have their whole time occupied in attending to them. And they might be appointed at smaller salaries than \$1,200 because there is provision that the salaries may be regulated not to exceed those provided in the schedule, and clergymen if they are appointed to the penitentiary might be appointed at a lower salary than \$1,200 and allowed to perform other duties at the particular stations in which they are located. I do not know any other officers connected with the penitentiary who should have that exemption. But the proviso suggested by the hon. gentleman from Halifax should be inserted to prevent the possibility of allowing the warden or deputy warden who reside in the penitentiary from doing any other business. Their time, of necessity, must be fully occupied.

Hon. Mr. SCOTT—The explanation given by the minister in the other House reads as follows:—

We provide an exception so that in case of some of the smaller penitentiaries where the work of the penitentiary would not fully occupy the whole time of the medical man or surgeon he might be allowed to continue in general practice outside.

Hon. Sir MACKENZIE BOWELL—I had not read that, but it is just what I supposed it was. Does the hon. gentleman accept the suggestion made by the hon. gentleman from Halifax?

Hon. Mr. SCOTT—Oh, Yes.

The clause was adopted.

On clause 45,

45. The warden shall receive into the penitentiary every convict legally certified to him as sentenced to imprisonment therein (unless certified by the surgeon of the penitentiary to be suffering from any dangerously infectious or contagious disease) and shall there detain him, subject to the rules, regulations and discipline thereof, until the term for which he has been sentenced is completed, or until he is otherwise legally discharged.

Hon. Mr. LOUGHEED—What about this clause?