

Hon. Mr. STEWART: (Argenteuil):

1. Pre-emptions, 596; purchased homesteads, 94;
2. Pre-emptions, \$321,379.74; purchased homesteads, \$26,760.49; total, \$348,140.23.
3. Pre-emptions, 363; purchased homesteads, 14.
4. Pre-emptions, 440; purchased homesteads, 25.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS—DIRECTORS

Mr. GRIMMER:

1. Is the Mr. Talbot who has been appointed a director of the Canadian National Railways, the same Mr. Talbot that was appointed to the department of the collector of provincial revenue of the province of Quebec in the district of Quebec, on November 18th, 1911, at a salary of \$2,500 per year, and whose name appears in the Comptes Publics, 1921-22, of the province of Quebec, at page 257, as being still employed at the same salary of \$2,500?

2. If the fact is that this employee of the provincial government of Quebec has been appointed to the board of the National Railways, does the government propose giving other provincial governments similar representation on the board by appointing one of their servants to that body?

Hon. Mr. GRAHAM:

1. No information, but probably he is the same gentleman.
2. No director has been appointed to represent a provincial government.

LIVE STOCK INDUSTRIES—CANADA

Mr. HODGINS:

1. What did the trip of Messrs. Dryden and Marshall to South America and return, in the interests of the live stock industry of Canada, cost the government?
2. How long were they away?
3. What countries did they visit?
4. Has any report on the possibilities of developing a trade in live stock with South America been made? If not, when will such report be made?

Hon. Mr. MOTHERWELL:

1. Mr. Dryden, only, visited South America; cost of trip, \$2,127.76.
2. 72 days.
3. Brazil, Uruguay and Argentine.
4. Yes.

POSTMISTRESS—ST. CLAIRE

Mr. BOYS:

1. Was Miss Evangeline Cayouette, postmistress at Ste. Claire, county Dorchester, Que., before December 25th, 1922?
2. If so, has she been since relieved of her duties?
3. Were any accusations made against her or for what reason was she discharged?
4. Have any petitions either for or against Miss Cayouette been sent to the department?

Hon. Mr. GRAHAM (for the Postmaster General):

1. Yes.
2. Yes.

3. Representations were received that the post office was not centrally located and after inquiry the office was removed to a more convenient site.

4. Yes, both for and against.

CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Mr. ARTHURS:

1. How many men were enlisted in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces in Canada?
2. How many men so enlisted went overseas?
3. How many men so enlisted went to England only?
4. Was any record kept of men who returned to Canada and afterwards went overseas for a second time?
5. If so, what number so returned?

Hon. Mr. GRAHAM:

1. 590,572.
2. 418,052.
3. This information is being tabulated but will not be available for some time.
- 4 and 5. This information has not been tabulated.

SOLDIER SETTLEMENT—CARLETON

Mr. GARLAND (Carleton):

1. How many farms were sold by the Soldier Settlement Board to returned men of the county of Carleton, Ontario?
2. What price was paid for each of these farms?
3. From whom were they purchased?
4. What inspectors or inspector recommended paying the purchase price?
5. Who were the purchasers?
6. Are any of said farms now vacant?
7. If so, in what township or townships?

Hon. Mr. STEWART (Argenteuil):

1. Twenty-eight.
2. Price paid by the board: \$3,050, \$2,700, \$4,500, \$2,880, \$2,970, \$4,500, \$4,300, \$2,970, \$3,600, \$3,150, \$4,500, \$3,240, \$1,970, \$4,300, \$4,500, \$2,700, \$2,565, \$3,600, \$3,150, \$4,000, \$2,645, \$3,600, \$3,600, \$1,800, \$3,550, \$4,500, \$4,140, \$4,500.

3. M. Leduc, J. S. Moxby, J. Robillard, W. J. Buell, M. T. Power, Mrs. E. M. McLatchie, B. Shanahan, A. Brown, W. J. Bradley, W. J. Bradley, G. D. Armitage, Andrew Brown, W. J. McCurdy, J. MacArtney, James Bradley, M. J. O'Meara, H. Lusk, R. Graham, J. Plunkett, F. S. Richardson, James McNeil, W. Conlin, J. Hunt, Mrs. Godfrey, Peter Anderson, John Graham, O. H. Switzer, A. Dolan.

4. E. F. Leidy, E. F. Leidy, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, D. J. Mather, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, Geo. Hopper, Geo. Hopper, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, G. N. Aeyue, E. F. Leidy, D. J. Mather, W. J. Spratt, E. F. Leidy, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, Geo. Hopper, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt, D. J. Mather, W. J. Spratt, W. J. Spratt.