

# RETURN

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To AN ORDER OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, dated the 10th May, 1899, for a return showing the number of contracts entered into by the Government since the 30th July, 1897, in which there is a clause prohibiting "sweating"; the total amount involved in such contracts; the name of the respective departments in which these contracts have been awarded, the names of the companies or firms or individuals to which such contracts have been given.

R. W. SCOTT,  
Secretary of State.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE,  
OTTAWA, 27th June, 1899.

The Under Secretary of State,  
Ottawa.

SIR,—In returning to you, herewith, the Order of the House of Commons, dated 10th May last, asking for information respecting contracts entered into by this department since the 30th June, 1897, in which there is a clause prohibiting "sweating." I have the honour to submit, hereon, the information asked for, viz. :—

Messrs. Marsolais & Monday, Montreal,—Clothing...	\$ 11,035 00
Messrs. Knight & Munro, Halifax, N.S.—Oliver Equipment.....	32,250 00
Messrs. Adams Bros., Toronto, O.—Oliver Equipment.	161,250 00
Messrs. The Sanford Mnfg. Coy., Hamilton.—Clothing.	79,522 00
Mr. Mark Workman, Montreal.—Clothing.....	36,932 00
Mr. Philip Jameson, Toronto.—Clothing.....	1,500 00

I have the honour to be, sir,  
Your obedient servant,

L. F. PINAULT, Lt. Colonel,  
Deputy Minister of Militia and Defence.