

ANYOX-ALICE ARM MAIL CONTRACT

Mr. BRADY:

1. Who holds the mail contract between Anyox, Alice Arm, and way points?
2. When does the contract expire?
3. What is the frequency of service?
4. What amount, annually, does mail contractor receive for his service?
5. Is the department aware that the mail service between points mentioned above has been discontinued since February 1, 1928?
6. If so, was this service discontinued with the knowledge and consent of the department?
7. What is the reason for the suspension?
8. When will this mail service be re-established?

Mr. VENIOT:

1. H. F. Kergin and H. R. Fowler.
2. Temporary arrangement.
3. Three trips per week.
4. \$1,200.
- 5, 6, 7, and 8. Contractors' boat laid up for repairs 1st February. However, prompt action was taken to authorize a temporary weekly service at \$25 per trip, the most reasonable offer obtainable and information on file shows that the temporary service commenced on the 9th February. The regular service will be re-established upon completion of repairs to the contractors' boat. It is reported it will take from six to eight weeks to complete these repairs.

SAWYERVILLE, QUE., POSTMASTER

Mr. HANSON:

1. Who is the postmaster at Sawyerville, Quebec?
2. When was he appointed and on whose recommendation?
3. Prior to his appointment who was postmaster at Sawyerville?
4. Was he dismissed?
5. If so, why, and on whose recommendation?

Mr. VENIOT:

1. John Smith Gilman.
2. December 20th, 1927, by the Civil Service Commission.
3. W. E. Marshall.
4. Yes.
5. By Postmaster General in interests of public service.

QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

HUDSON BAY EXPEDITIONS—PURCHASE OF SUPPLIES

Mr. QUINN:

1. Who was the federal government purchasing agent in Halifax during the year 1927?
2. Did said purchasing agent purchase supplies for the Hudson bay and Hudson straits expedition of that year?

3. What quantities of American anthracite and bituminous coal were purchased for these expeditions, from whom and at what price?

4. What quantity of potatoes was purchased for these expeditions, for what departments, what was the price paid, what quantity was American potatoes, and what quantity was Canadian potatoes?

MAIL CARRIER ROUTES, NOVA SCOTIA

Mr. SMITH (Cumberland):

1. How many mail carrier routes are now maintained in the county of Cumberland, Nova Scotia?
2. What points do these cover?
3. What is the mileage of each?
4. What is the remuneration paid for each route?
5. What is the name of the contractor?
6. When does the present contract cease in each case?
7. What is the average cost per mile for these routes where one-horse conveyance is used?

UNOPPOSED MOTIONS FOR PAPERS

CHIEF CUSTOMS PREVENTIVE OFFICER, ALBERTA

Mr. GARLAND (Bow River):

For a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, and all other communications between the government, any department of the government, or any minister or official of the government, and any other persons, respecting the appointment of Sergeant Forbes, of Calgary, Alberta, to the position of chief customs preventive officer for Alberta.

AUSTRALIAN TRADE TREATY

Mr. PRESTON (for Mr. Stewart, Leeds):

For a copy of all letters, telegrams, resolutions, petitions or other communications, between individuals, associations, companies, or organizations, and any department of the government of Canada, relating to the alleged injurious effects of the operation of the Australian trade treaty upon the interests of agriculture or dairying in Canada.

JOLIETTE POSTMASTER

Mr. McQUARRIE (for Mr. Cahan):

For a copy of all documents and correspondence on file in the Post Office department concerning the appointment of a postmaster at Joliette, Quebec, including any and all complaints received by said department against the present acting postmaster.

ST. PAUL DU BUTON POSTMASTER

Mr. McQUARRIE (for Mr. Cahan):

For a copy of all documents, including the correspondence on file 117 the Post Office department, relating to or concerning the appointment of a postmaster at St. Paul du Buton, county of Montmagny, Quebec.

CAP ST. IGNACE POSTMASTER

Mr. McQUARRIE (for Mr. Cahan):

For a copy of all documents, including the correspondence on file in the Post Office department, relating to or concerning the appointment of a postmaster at Cap St. Ignace, county of Montmagny, Quebec.