

4. If not, whether it is the intention of the Government to endeavour to arrange for a special rate.

**212.** Return to an Order of the House of the 6th May, 1918, for a Return showing:—

1. The amount paid by the Government to each of the following newspapers:— *Charlottetown Guardian*, *Charlottetown Examiner*, *Island Patriot*, *Summerside Journal Agriculturist*, *Pioneer and Farmer*, *Charlottetown Herald*, *Charlottetown Watchman*, from the 1st of August, 1914, to the 1st of January, 1918.

2. The portion of the amount so paid for advertising in connection with the war.

**213.** Return to an Order of the House of the 7th April, 1919, for a Return showing:—

1. The nature of the irregularities of which Major L'Heureux is charged in connection with the administration of the 167th Battalion.

2. Whether the Government is aware that the Adjutant of the said Battalion, Captain J. A. Poirier, who shared the Commanding Officer's confidence, was not at all disquieted, but; on the contrary, was sent overseas immediately after the termination of Lieut.-Colonel Readman's trial.

3. The charges alleged against the said Major L'Heureux and who investigated said charges.

4. Whether Major L'Heureux was called to enter a plea of defence.

5. Whether the Government is aware that on several occasions said Major L'Heureux demanded an investigation, and that the reply was that there was nothing for which to reproach him.

**214.** Return to an Order of the House of the 18th April, 1918, for a Return showing:—

1. The number of clerks employed during each year from 1911 to 1917 in the following Post Offices: Victoria, Vancouver, Regina, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton, Montreal, Quebec, Fredericton and Halifax.

2. What sums have been paid as salaries to the clerks of the above offices in each year of the said period.

**215.** Return to an Order of the House of the 1st May, 1918, for a Return showing:—

(a) Whether the Canadian Government Railways Employees Magazine, published at Moncton, N.B., is owned by the Government; (b) if so, the names of the Editor, Business Manager, Advertising Solicitor, and of other persons engaged in connection with the magazine and the amounts of salary or other remuneration paid to them, respectively, since its establishment; (c) the positions, if any, such persons also occupy in the Canadian Government Railways Service, and what salaries they receive in such service; (d) the revenue and expenditure in connection with the publication of the magazine from its inspection to December 31, 1917, showing separately the amounts received from advertising, subscriptions, and from other sources respectively, also separately the amounts disbursed for personal service, printing and other expenses of publication; (e) the sums of money paid by the Government or by the Canadian Government Railways in connection with the publication of the magazine with dates and amounts and showing for what purposes such payments were made; (f) a copy of the correspondence between the Minister of Railways and Canals, any officials of that Department, particularly the Purchasing Agent, the General Manager and other officials of the Canadian Government Railways and any officials or employees of the Magazine and of all correspondence from the Minister or from any officials of the Department or from any officials of the Canadian Government Railways for the purpose of inducing manufacturers and others to advertise in the magazine; and (g) whether the Post Office Department has admitted the Magazine to second-class postal privileges, and if so, on what date, and whether such privileges extend only to copies sent to bona fide subscribers or if they include copies supplied gratuitously to Canadian Government Railways officials and employees.