

GOVERNMENT IMMIGRATION OFFICE
IN MONTREAL.

INQUIRY.

Hon. Mr. CHOQUETTE inquired:

1. What was the number of employees in the Government Immigration Office, 172 St. Antoine street, Montreal, on the 1st October, 1911?
2. The names and salaries of these employees?
3. What was the number of such employees on the 1st March instant, their names and salaries?
4. The names of the employees dismissed since the 1st December, and for what reason?
5. The names of the employees appointed since the 1st November last?
6. What is their salary, and on whose recommendation have they been appointed?

Hon. Mr. LOUGHEED—The answers are:

1. Eighteen.
2. John Hoolahan . . . \$1,200 per annum.
A. Regimbal . . . 1,400 " "
A. Geoffrion . . . 1,500 " "
C. Choquette . . . 1,000 " "
Dr. A. D. Stewart . . 1,600 " "
Dr. G. Gurd . . . 1,500 " "
Gaston Deville . . . 1,000 " "
J. H. Ellice . . . 900 " "
Daniel Callaghan . . 800 " "
John Kuhlman . . . 700 " "
Geo. C. Smith . . . 45 per month.
Mrs. E. Blackmore . . 45 " "
Mrs. H. McLaughlin . 15 " "
M. Masse . . . 15 " "
Sam Golt . . . 5 " "
Z. Mathieu . . . 1.75 per day.
Geo. Bergen . . . 1.50 " "
R. S. Kellie . . . 1.50 "
3. Thirty, including three officers on active military service overseas:
John Hoolahan . . . \$1,400.00 per annum.
A. Regimbal . . . 1,800.00 " "
J. E. Sevigny . . . 1,800.00 " "
Emile Belanger . . . 1,500.00 " "
L. N. Beard . . . 1,600.00 " "
J. J. Shea . . . 1,600.00 " "
Gaston Deville . . . 1,400.00 " "
E. Gordon . . . 900.00 " "
Fred Dalby . . . 900.00 " "
D. Lalonde . . . 600.00 " "
John Kuhlman . . . 800.00 " "
Daniel Callaghan . . 1,000.00 " "
Miss Agnes Brennan . 780.00 " "
Mrs. A. Desnós . . . 720.00 " "
Dr. G.E. Beauchamp . 1,500.00 " "
Dr. D. Gurd . . . 1,500.00 " "
E. Tartak . . . 720.00 " "
J. P. Jackson . . . 720.00 " "
Z. Mathieu . . . 720.00 " "
Samuel Thompson . . 600.00 " "

The SPEAKER.

R. S. Kellie . . .	638.75	per annum.
H. B. Costello . .	660.00	" "
G. Monette . . .	638.75	" "
Jos. Byrne . . .	900.00	" "
H. Souaillard . .	480.00	" "
R. McKenzie . . .	600.00	" "
Mrs. M.L. Larocque	456.25	" "
Mrs. Susan Gamble.	360.00	" "
Mrs. Mary Brizole..	360.00	" "
Wong Ham . . .	200.00	" "

4. On January 31, 1916, on grounds of economy, the department dispensed with the services of Dr. A. D. Stewart, C. Choquette, E. Shallow, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mrs. Blackmore and Miss J. Boyd.

5 and 6. On December 8, 1915, the agent engaged temporarily as cook, Robert McKenzie, to replace Robert McDonald who had resigned. The services of Robert McKenzie having been found satisfactory, he has been continued in the position at \$50 per month.

On October 31, 1915, Guard Perry, whose salary was \$55 per month, resigned, and on December 1, 1915, Samuel Thompson was engaged as guard-fireman at \$50 per month. His recommendation was that he was a certificated fireman.

THE \$75,000,000 LOAN.

INQUIRY.

Hon. Mr. McSWEENEY inquired:

1. The names of the syndicate which took the \$75,000,000 issue, what commission did they get?
2. Why was not the issue offered to public tender?

Hon. Mr. LOUGHEED—The following are the answers to the hon. gentleman's questions:

1. Messrs. J. P. Morgan and Company, Brown Brothers and Company, Harris, Forbes and Company, Bank of Montreal, First National Bank, National City Bank, Guaranty Trust Company. The total commission covering underwriting, banking and brokerage charges, and for distribution by selling agencies, legal and all other expenses will be slightly in excess of 2½ per cent.

2. Such a course is regarded as inexpedient and impracticable and has not been followed for many years by the Dominion in the flotation of its loans.

THIRD READING.

Bill No. 34, An Act to authorize certain extension of time to Insurance Companies.
—Hon. Mr. Lougheed.