

## Questions

Mr. VENIOT:

1. No.

2 & 3. Answered by No. 1.

INDIANS IN PICTOU COUNTY, N.S.

Mr. CANTLEY:

1. How many Indian reserves are in the county of Pictou, Nova Scotia, and where are they situated?

2. How many Indians are on such reserves?

3. How many Indians are in the county of Hants, Nova Scotia?

4. What was the value of the principal items supplied for destitute Indians in Nova Scotia during the year 1929, separately stated as to clothing, food and medicine?

5. What was the value of each of above classes of supplies provided for Indians in Pictou county, Nova Scotia?

6. Who furnished such supplies and who made the distribution to Indians in Pictou county, Nova Scotia?

7. Who supplied the medical services rendered during the year 1929 to Indians of Pictou county?

8. How many Indians in Pictou county received medical attendance and medicine?

9. What was the cost of: (a) medical attendance; (b) medicine given to Indians of Pictou county, Nova Scotia, during the year 1929?

Mr. STEWART (Edmonton):

1. Fisher's Grant Reserve No. 24, Head of Moodie cove, south side of entrance to Pictou harbour; Fisher's Grant Reserve No. 24A, at Boat harbour; Fisher's Grant Reserve No. 24B, lies between and adjoining 24 and 24A; Fisher's Grant Reserve No. 24C, east of and adjoining 24A; Fisher's Grant Reserve No. 24D, east of and adjacent No. 24; Fisher's Grant Reserve No. 24E, at Boat harbour; Fisher's Grant Reserve No. 24F, west of and adjoining 24A; Merigonish harbour No. 31, in Merigonish harbour.

2. 158 Indians.

3. 56 Indians.

4. Clothing \$3,851.16; food \$38,552.16; medicine \$1,255.97.

5. Clothing \$133.73; food \$2,415.46; medicine \$300.

6. Clothing supplied by Kentville Dry Goods Company and Joseph Cohen; purchased and distributed by Nova Scotia sanatorium.

Food supplied by D. Logan & Co., and milk by Mrs. N. Campbell, Mrs. J. Murray, Mrs. D. Reynolds, and Mrs. C. Falconer; purchased through local Indian agent, Rev. R. C. MacGillivray.

Medicine furnished by Dr. G. W. Whitman.

7. Dr. G. W. Whitman, Stellarton, N.S.

8. There are 158 Indians in Pictou county, presumably all came under medical treatment at some time during the year.

9. (a) \$500; (b) \$300.

[Mr. H. A. Stewart.]

QUESTIONS PASSED AS ORDERS FOR RETURNS

PULPWOOD SHIPMENT

Mr. MacNUTT:

What was the total number of cords of pulpwood shipped by water from Nova Scotia and destined to United States ports, since January 1, 1921, and up to December 31, 1929, giving: (a) name of shipper; (b) name of port of clearance; (c) number of cords shipped each year from each port during above dates?

ACTIVE MILITIA

Mr. WARD:

1. What is the total number of persons in the Canadian active militia?

2. How many of these are commissioned officers?

3. What is the number of each rank of commissioned officers, and what pay and allowances do officers of each rank receive?

4. How many non-commissioned officers are there in the service?

5. What is the number of each rank of non-commissioned officers, and what pay and allowances do such officers receive?

6. What other ranks or occupations are there in the service and what pay and allowances do each receive?

7. In the amendment to amend the Militia Pension Act, who would be affected by the amendment?

8. What amount is there involved?

EXPORT ACT AMENDMENT

OMISSION FROM RECORD OF DECLARATION OF PAIR

On the orders of the day.

Mr. H. B. SHORT (Digby-Annapolis): I wish to call attention to an omission made in Hansard in the vote of March 25 on the Export bill. I rose in my place and announced that I was paired with the hon. member for Victoria-Carleton (Mr. Foster) and that had I voted, I would have voted for the motion. This is omitted to be noted although all the others who announced their pairs were noted.

Mr. SPEAKER: Might I say to the house that according to May, twelfth edition, page 336, pairs are not officially recognized by the Chair, and it is not necessary after a division has taken place, to rise and state that so-and-so is paired with so-and-so. The custom is for the whips to leave with the Clerk of the House a list of pairs, and it is inserted in next day's Hansard.

Mr. SHORT: In this case about a dozen are announced as being paired, and my name is omitted.

Mr. SPEAKER: The trouble is there are too many rising together. The correction will be made.