

vigilance of the branch does not cease, however. At Liverpool, at London, at Glasgow and at Bristol are agents who meet the incoming ships, observe, record and report on the unloading of Canadian cargoes see that they are not let lie too long on wharves or in storage, and advise the shippers if there is any laxity in this respect. These **agents**, besides, keep the home office at Ottawa advised as to the markets for fruit and dairy produce in Great Britain and on the Continent.

The Dairy and Cold Storage Branch has nearly a hundred employees on its list, most of them in the outside service. The names of those in the inside service, by grades, are as follows:

Division 1A, J. A. Ruddick, Commissioner.

Division 1B, W. W. Moore, chief, markets division; Alex. McNeil, chief, fruit division; Geo. H. Barr, chief, dairy division.

Division 2B, W. A. Fraser, H. H. Sinclair, R. J. Cochrane, clerks; T. Trudel, J. G. Bouchard, C. F. Whitely, dairy experts.

Division 3A, Mrs. I. L. Henderson, clerk; Miss K. B. Robinson, stenographer.

Division 3B, Miss B. I. Langford, Miss A. Keir, Miss M. L. Elliott, Miss E. B. Collinson, stenographers; Miss M. G. Coulson, Miss F. M. Westman, Miss M. Macdonald, Miss V. Braceland, Mrs. A. H. Hubbell, Mrs. A. Schingt, Mrs. A. Trudel, R. E. Armstrong, clerks; E. W. Painter, messenger. Temporary, H. P. Arsenault and John H. Skuce.

Outside Service. The following are employed by the year: J. C. Chapais, assistant dairy commissioner; Joseph Burgess and J. N. Lemieux, dairy experts and inspectors; Wm. Macfarlane, chief cargo inspector; D. M. Macpherson, inspector of dairy products; Harvey Mitchell, V. Bojesen, V. West, I. L. Farrington, A. Hamel, A. L. Andress, H. W. Coleman, dairy experts; H. G. Shufelt,

cargo inspector; P. J. Carey, fruit inspector and packing expert; G. H. Vroom and W. W. Brown, senior fruit inspectors; E. H. Wartman, F. L. Dery, John McCabe, M. P. McNeill, D. M. Robertson, Chris. Campbell, Thomas A. Peters, fruit inspectors; J. G. Bunyan, W. J. Cook, J. H. McLeod (special) fruit inspectors.

There are also over twenty-six cargo inspectors fruit inspectors and refrigerator car inspectors and seven helpers to fruit inspectors who are employed for from seven down to four months in the year.

The foregoing are all employed in Canada. The Branch has also its staff in Great Britain, all employed by the year. These are: A. W. Grindley, chief cargo inspector; Thos. E. Davis, W. Carter, H. E. Shallis, J. A. Findlay, cargo inspectors.

OBITUARY.

Michael McNamara, born in County Clare, Ireland, 70 years ago last March, died in Walkerton on Sunday, Dec. 31st, 1911. He came to Canada when 11 years of age, and to Walkerton some 42 years ago. For some time he conducted a jewelry business, and 32 years ago was appointed collector of customs, which position he held up to the time of his death. He was a magistrate, and a high school trustee ever since the organization of the school. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, and four sons.

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