

TELEPHONE QUESTION—COMMITTEE OF INQUIRY—*Con.*

Mulock, Hon. Sir William (Postmaster General)—*Con.*

impartial inquiry—2682. The committee may find grievances existing which their inquiry will help to remove—2683.

THESSALON, ONT., POSTMASTER.

Motion for leave to table documents concerning—6646.

Borden, R. L. (Carleton, Ont.)—6652.

It is a pity Mulock did not have an investigation made before the appointment, as he now proposes—6652.

Boyce, A. C. (West Algoma)—6649.

I had not any idea Mulock would bring the matter up at this late hour of the night—6649. I was hoping Mulock would have brought down all the papers—6650. It was a memo. asking that there be added to the papers to be brought down the salary warrants for six months—6651. Mulock will see that the papers now brought down must be defective—6652.

Mulock, Hon. Sir William (Postmaster General)—6646.

I found upon my table the report of the inspector for that month reporting irregularities at the Thessalon post office—6646. Quotes the report—6649. The inspector who in one month declared the postmaster guilty had in the previous month said he was not—6648. Mr. Ross will with some other inspector make an investigation and see where the fault lay—6649. I am not aware of any papers on file which have not been brought down, did not arrange or review the papers—6650. There can be no possible objection to the production of such papers—6651. It is very easy to be wise afterwards—6652.

THESSALON POSTMASTER.

Request that salary warrants accompany the papers. *Boyce, A. G.*, West Algoma—6239.

Boyce, A. C. (West Algoma)—6239.

Asks that salary warrants accompany these papers—6239-40.

THE GUARANTEE AND TRUST COMPANY.

House again in Committee on Bill (No. 99) to incorporate the Title Guarantee and Trust Company (Mr. Campbell)—4680.

Clause 17 reconsidered and amended and Bill reported—4684.

Borden, R. L. (Carleton, Ont)—4683.

Better leave the directors to their own discretion—4683. Would rather be a director under this than under a direct statutory direction—4684.

THE GUARANTEE AND TRUST COMPANY—*Con.*

Campbell, A. (West York)—4680.

Offers an amendment to clause 16—4680. Provisions of the bill the same as those of other bills of similar character—4681. Does not object—4683. Moves amendment to clause 17—4684.

Fielding, Hon. Wm. S. (Minister of Finance)—4681.

Distinction between company's own money and its trust money—4681. If there is anything in the Bill authorizing the company to issue debentures it should be considered—4682. Directors not relieved of responsibility—4683. Do not permit loan on security of personal property—4684.

Fitzpatrick, Hon. Charles (Minister of Justice)—4684.

Clause is reproduced in almost all the trust charters—4684.

Foster, Hon. Geo. S. (North Toronto)—4680.

Section 16 is almost unlimited in the scope of investment—4680. There can be almost anything incorporated in the parliament of Canada if it is properly taken hold of and consistently managed—4681. Section 17 might be considered as barring the company for issuing debentures—4682.

Gallihier, W. (Yale and Cariboo)—4683.

As it stands it is too wide—4683.

House in committee on Bill (No. 99) to incorporate the Title Guarantee and Trust Company—Mr. Campbell, A. (York Centre) 3651.

Borden, R. L. (Carleton, Ont.)—3653.

This is a description of business that is known very well in the United States where it is carried on quite extensively 3653. You are insured by a private company which undertakes that work for a consideration—3654. I do not think the criticism was exactly on that point—3657. How would it do to strike out the word 'prothonotary'—3661. The only danger is that to that extent it prevents the property being ear-marked and followed in case of necessity—3662. Individually, but they might be large in the aggregate 3663. Moves an amendment to section 18—3665.

Brodeur, Hon. L. P. (Minister of Inland Revenue)—3658.

In our civil code there is a provision with regard to privileges and hypothecs—3658. He exercises the power of appointing a tutor or guardian, instead of having the appointment made by a judge—3660. The prothonotary has the power of making some appointments of that kind—3661. The capital of a trust company not the trust moneys placed in its hands—may be invested in securities such as are mentioned—3664. I am inclined to think that we should as much as possible, protect the