

Q. He came originally from the United States, did he not?

A. No, I think, originally, he was a land commissioner or something of that kind in Ireland before he came to Canada, at least I understood so from himself.

Q. How many agents are there in Scotland?

A. Mr. Murray, in Glasgow, who has full charge of the work in Scotland.

By Mr. Clancy :

Q. Has the province of Manitoba or the North-west any agencies of their own there?

A. No, I think not.

Mr. CLANCY:—The province of Ontario has one, I think, in England.

By Mr. Wilson :

Q. Is that all in Scotland?

A. No, we have, besides Mr. Murray, Mr. Duncan, of Manitoba, who went there last summer, and Mr. Grant, who was formerly with the Governor General here, and, up to the first of this month, we had Mr. Fleming in Dundee and Mr. Stewart in Inverness. They are all on salary.

By Mr. Davin :

Q. What salary do you pay them?

A. Mr. Murray gets \$2,000 a year; he is in charge. Mr. Duncan get \$100 a month; Mr. Grant, \$100 a month, and Mr. Fleming and Mr. Stewart—I am not certain—but I think they get the same.

Q. What salary does Mr. Jury get?

A. \$1,800 a year.

By Mr. Wilson :

Q. Mr. Devlin's salary is about the same?

A. His salary is \$2,000 a year.

By Mr. Hughes :

Q. Are these agents in Scotland commissioned to look after immigration in all parts of that country?

A. They go everywhere.

By Mr. Davin :

Q. Do they get their expenses besides the salary?

A. Yes, they get travelling expenses.

Q. What work does Mr. Grant do that you pay \$100 a month for?

A. He goes through the districts of Scotland, under the direction of Mr. Murray, visiting places from which information comes to the office of persons likely to move. He also visits the steamship agents and keeps in touch with them. I think he is working in Forfarshire more especially.