

25. Copy of the Order in Council and the Contract entered into between Her Majesty and Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann for the construction of a railway from the Stikine River to Teslin Lake.

26. Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued since the last Session of Parliament, on account of the fiscal year 1897-98.

27. Report of the Commissioner, Dominion Police Force, for the year 1897.

28. Statement of Expenditure on account of Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses from 1st July, 1897, to 3rd February, 1898.

29. Return to an Order of the House of the 17th May, 1897, for copies of all papers, reports and correspondence respecting the illegal fishing by foreigners in the waters of British Columbia; and also, all papers, reports and correspondence respecting smuggling on the coast of British Columbia.

29. Statement in reference to Fishing Bounty Expenditure for 1896-97.

33. Statement of all Superannuations and Retiring Allowances in the Civil Service during year ended 31st December, 1897, giving name, rank, salary, service, allowance and cause of retirement of each person superannuated or retired, also whether vacancy filled by promotion or new appointment, and salary of any new appointee.

34. Detailed statement of all Bonds and securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada, since the last return, 5th April, 1897, submitted to Parliament in accordance with section 23 of Chapter 19 of the Revised Statutes of Canada.

35. Statement in pursuance of section 17 of the Civil Service Insurance Act for the year ending 30th June, 1897.

37. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 17th May, 1897, for copies of depositions, declarations, reports, Orders in Council, correspondence, etc.; concerning the dismissal of M. P. Laberge, late deputy postmaster at the City of Quebec.

37a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 14th February, 1898, for copies of all correspondence, charges, evidence and reports in connection with the case of Benjamin Palmer, formerly lighthouse keeper at Palmer's Point, King's County, N.B.

40. A statement of the affairs of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company, as on 31st December, 1897.

42. Return showing reductions and remissions made during the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1897, under section 141 as added to the Indian Act by section 8, chapter 35, 58-59 Victoria.

43. Return of all lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, from the 1st October, 1896, to the 1st October, 1897.

43a. Return of correspondence, etc., respecting the affairs of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, which the Department of the Interior has had since the previous return was presented to Parliament under the Resolution of the 20th February, 1882.

44. Return of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette*, in accordance with the provisions of clause 91 of the Dominion Lands Act, chapter 54 of the Revised Statutes of Canada—and its amendments.

44a. Return of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette* and in the *British Columbia Gazette*, in accordance with the provisions of subsection (d.) of section 38 of the Regulations for the survey, administration, disposal and management of Dominion Lands within the 40-mile Railway Belt in the Province of British Columbia.

45. Return of Orders in Council which have been published in the *Canada Gazette*, in accordance with the provisions of the North-west Irrigation Act, being 57-58 Victoria, chapter 30, etc.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN CARLING,  
*Chairman.*

On motion of the Honourable Sir John Carling, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Dickey, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.