

SUPPLY—TRADE AND COMMERCE—*Con.*

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Minister of Finance)—8809.

Once in every seventeen days, 8809.

Sproule, T. S. (East Grey)—8809.

How often are these trips made, 8809.

Steamer service between Prince Rupert, B.C., and Queen Charlotte Islands, \$7,600—8809.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Minister of Finance)—8809.

These boats are subsidized to carry the mails without extra pay, subsidy \$200 a trip, 8809.

Taylor, G. (Leeds)—8809.

There is an increase of \$2,600—8809.

Winter steamship service between Rivière du Loup and Tadousac and other points, \$4,500—5711.

Crosby, A. B. (Halifax)—5712.

Very glad to hear there is a chance of a winter service to the Magdalen Islands, 5712. Very essential that the service should be attained, 5713.

Currie, J. A. (North Simcoe)—5712.

Asks about the winter service to the Magdalen Islands, 5712. Advisable to have a vessel capable of breaking the ice at any stage, 5713.

Edwards, J. W. (Frontenac)—5713.

Asks if this is not the vote items 197, 201 in the main estimates, 5713.

Fisher, Hon. Sydney (Minister of Agriculture)—5713.

The one is a summer service the other is a winter one, 5713.

Haggart, Hon. J. (South Lanark)—5711.

This vote open to the objection that the contract was entered into before the money was voted by parliament, 5711-12.

Lemieux Hon. R. (Postmaster General)—5711.

This service opens the River St. Lawrence below River Ouelle in the winter, 5711. The contract contains a clause making payment conditional on the approval of parliament, 5712. It is the intention of the government to erect a wireless station on the Magdalen Islands, 5713.

Sproule, T. S. (East Grey)—5712.

Asks if they have a subsidy for the summer service, and how long this has been running, 5712.

Winter steam service between Rivière du Loup, Tadousac and other St. Lawrence ports, \$2,500—8809-10.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Minister of Finance)—8810.

This is a new service contract; will come within next annual report, in the usual way, 8810.

Taylor, G. (Leeds)—8810.

Asks for contract, 8810.
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SUPPLY—ADDITIONAL JUDGES IN MONTREAL.

Inquiry by Mr. Monk, 332.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Finance Minister)—333.

Asks that the enquiry be renewed when the Minister of Justice is present, 333.

Monk, F. D. (Jacques Cartier)—332.

Asks when it is intended to give effect to the Quebec statute, 332. And to comply with the request of the Bar of Montreal, 333.

SUPPLY—ADMINISTRATION OF DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Statement by Hon. Sydney Fisher, 7191.

Armstrong, J. E. (Lambton East)—7193.

Rises to a point of privilege. Is the minister going to quote a lot of statistics, 7193. Unless they can ask questions as they go along does not see how they can criticize the statistics, 7194. His object was to ask questions along the line on which the minister was talking, 7195. Has any one a right to discuss estimates on going into Supply? 7197. Wanted to ask if he had done anything to remove the cattle embargo, 7202. Thinks the minister most unfair. It was a straight question, 7203. The minister has taken the position of the Czar or a suffragette, he has not quite decided which, 7234. He knows they told the people if they came into power the cattle embargo would be removed, 7235. He knows our products have been allowed to remain on the wharves in England, 7236. Let them point to one market they have opened up. They cannot do it, 7237. The swine industry has been declining until to-day we hardly export any, 7238. Instead of having an aggressive seed policy we have the one he has described this afternoon, 7239. Quotes the minister as reported by the Montreal 'Herald,' 7240. This man has been at the head of the agriculture of the country for fourteen years and what has he done? 7241. He has made that speech in order to send it out to the people of Canada, 7242.

Borden, R. L. (Halifax)—7194.

A most unusual course for a minister to take. It will not facilitate his work. 7194.

Burrell, M. (Yale-Cariboo)—7242.

The minister assumed the air of a martyr, though he thanked the gods this House always stood by him, 7242. The minister's speech might have included 'men may come and men may go, but I go on forever,' 7243. It would have been better for the minister to have dispensed with his three hours speech, 7244.

Fisher, Hon. Sydney (Minister of Agriculture)—7191.

Wishes to make a statement in corrected form free from interruption, 7191. An