NIAGARA FALLS MAIL DELIVERY. Mr. NESBITT:

1. When was a mail or letter delivery establishd at Niagara Falls, Ontario?

2. What was the population at the time?

3. What was the revenue at the time?

4. What was the population at the time the last Dominion census was taken?

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. On the 30th May, 1911, under the late Government, when the population was less than 12,000, and the revenue a little less than \$20,00C. It is presumed that this was done for political reasons.

2 10,036-municipal census, 1910.

3. \$19,684.50.

4. 9,248.

THREE RIVERS MAIL DELIVERY.

Mr. NESBITT:

1. When was a mail or letter delivery establishd at Three Rivers, Quebec?

2. What was the population at the time?

3. What was the revenue at the time?

4. What was the population at the time the last Dominion census was taken?

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. The letter delivery in Three Rivers was established on the 22nd August, 1907, under the late Government, when the revenue of the office was under \$20,000. It is presumed that this was done for political reasons.

2. 12,200.

3. \$11,096.

4. 13,691.

FREDERICTON MAIL DELIVERY.

Mr. NESBITT:

1. When was a mail or letter delivery established at Fredericton, N.B.?

2. What was the population at the time?

3. What was the revenue at the time?

4. What was the population at the time the last Dominion census was taken?

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. 7th May, 1913. This was done because the rule as to population does not apply when the service is, as in the case of Fredericton, for the capital of a province.

2. 7,250-census, 1901.

3. \$21,072.

4. 7,208.

ST. HYACINTHE MAIL DELIVERY.

Mr. NESBITT:

1. When was a mail or letter delivery established at St. Hyacinthe, Quebec?

2. What was the population at the time?

3. What was the revenue at the time?

4. What was the population at the time the last Dominion census was taken?

[Mr. Coderre.]

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. 29th August, 1907, under the late Government, presumably for political reasons.

2. The population of St. Hyacinthe was 9,500, and the villages of St. Joseph de Hyacinthe and La Providence, both of which are in the area to which the letter carrier service was given, had a population of 1,500 and 1,000 respectively, making the total 12,000.

3. The revenue of St. Hyacinthe was \$10,799.91 and that of St. Joseph de Hyacinthe \$346.80, making a total of \$11,146.71. There was no post office in the village of La Providence; the residents used the St. Hyacinthe post office.

4. The population of St. Hyacinthe was 9,797 and that of St. Joseph de Hyacinthe and La Providence 514 and 894 respectively, making a total of 11,205.

OWEN SOUND MAIL SERVICE.

Mr. NESBITT:

1. When was a mail or letter delivery established at Owen Sound, Ontario?

2. What was the population at the time?

 What was the revenue at the time?
What was the population at the time the last Dominion census was taken?

Mr. PELLETIER:

No. 1. June 1, 1910.

No. 2. 12,091-Municipal census, 1909.

No. 3. \$23,633.72.

No. 4. 12,558.

SAULT STE. MARIE MAIL DELIVERY.

Mr. NESBITT:

1. When was a mail or letter delivery established at Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario?

What was the population at the time?
What was the revenue at the time?
What was the population at the time the last Dominion census was taken?

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. February 8, 1912.

3. \$22,751.

2 and 4. At that time the census of 1911 showed that the population was 10,984, but the Postmaster General received very reliable information that the population was over 12,000, and acted on that information.

CHARLOTTETOWN MAIL DELIVERY.

Mr. NESBITT:

1. When was a mail or letter delivery established at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island?

2. What was the population at the time?

3. What was the revenue at the time?

What was the population at the time the 4. last Dominion census was taken?

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. November 26, 1907.