

the present session, for consideration and report to the House; provided however that nothing in the resolution shall be construed to curtail in any way the full right of discussion in Committee of Supply; and that the said Committee consist of: Messrs. Donnelly, Dubuc, Durocher, Emmerson, Ferland, Gray, Hanson (Skeena), Harris (Danforth), Hazen, Howden, Jackman, Lockhart, Michaud, McCulloch, Maybank, Nicholson, Parent, Pouliot, Roebuck, Ross (Middlesex East), Sanderson, Shaw, Sissons.

Mr. Mackenzie (Vancouver Centre), a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copy of Order in Council passed under the authority of the War Measures Act, Chapter 206, R.S.C., 1927, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2/602, approved January 31, 1944: amending regulations *re* allowances authorized to be awarded by the War Veterans' Allowance Board.

And also,—Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1/602, approved January 31, 1944: amending Regulations made under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act, Chapter 39, Statutes of 1928.

Mr. Ilsley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement of the Superintendent of Insurance concerning the operations of the Civil Service Insurance Act for the year ended March 31, 1943, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 23, Section 21, R.S.C. 1927.

Mr. Mulock, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Postmaster General for the year ended March 31, 1943. (English and French Editions.)

He also presented,—Return to an Order of the House of June 16, 1943, for a Return showing:—

1. How many rural mail carriers have been appointed since January 1, 1942?
2. How many such appointments were made, (a) by the mere renewal of existing contracts; (b) following the acceptance of competitive bids; (c) in any other manner?
3. How many contracts granted under 2 (c), guaranteed payments in excess of two hundred dollars per annum?
4. How many contracts were renewed at a higher rate of payment than that guaranteed in the original contract?
5. What steps are taken to ascertain the probability of any individual, who tenders a bid for rural mail delivery, being able to render essential service for the amount of his bid?
6. What are the arrangements with respect to any rural mail carrier who requests leave of absence to enlist in the armed forces?

Mr. Martin, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Labour, presented,—Final Return to an Order of the House of April 14, 1943, for a Return showing:—

1. Who is presently the Director of National Selective Service for Canada?
2. Have any associate directors or assistant directors been appointed in connection with this service? If so, how many, and what are their names?
3. Does any director, associate director or assistant director hold any other public office, and if so, what office?
4. How many administrative divisions are there under the National Selective Service administration of Canada?
5. What officers, professional or other, and what other employees, are engaged in each division in Canada? In the city of Ottawa?