

# ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, June 28, 1923

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## INQUIRIES

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### FIRST DISTINCT SITTING

No. 1.

By the Honourable Mr. David:—

June 22—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the questions to be discussed at the next Imperial Conference in connection with the military and monetary co-operation of Canada in the war measures which may be proposed, and will ask what position the Canadian Government intends to take in the discussion of those questions.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Mr. Taylor:—

1. Does the Crown as represented by the Soldier Settlement Board hold any land within the boundaries of the jurisdiction of the Commissioners of the Dewdney Dyking District. If yes, what is the acreage so held by the Crown.

2. Have any such lands held by the Crown been assessed for dyking taxes. If yes, what is the amount claimed and unpaid for each year of assessment.

3. Does the Crown dispute liability for dyking taxes of the district named, on crown properties within the boundaries of the jurisdiction of the commissioners.

4. Were these lands or any part of them subject to dyking tax at the time of acquirement by the Crown.

5. What if any offers have been made on behalf of the Crown to compensate the commissioners for the cost of making or maintaining the dykes protecting any crown property held not to be subject to dyking assessment.

No. 3.

By the Honourable Mr. Bennett:—

June 27—That he will call attention to the advertised sale of some twenty old Government ships and inquire if the Government propose to sell the said vessels.

No. 4.

By the Honourable Mr. Gordon:—

June 27—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the payments made since November 1st, 1922, by the Province of Ontario to Mr. Justice Riddell and Mr. Justice Latchford, and inquire if the Government will submit to this House the opinion of the Department of Justice as to the right of the above named judges to receive such sums.