

it became necessary, therefore, to make a change in the postmastership.

2. By Mr. Phillippe Heon.

Mr. BROUILLARD:

1. Why was Mr. Colbert Marchand dismissed as postmaster of Blandford?

2. By whom has he been replaced?

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. For political partisanship.

2. By Mr. Alphonse Provencher.

Mr. BROUILLARD:

1. Why was Mr. Benoit Lafond dismissed as postmaster at St. Marjorie?

2. Was there an investigation?

3. Who has been appointed in his place?

Mr. PELLETIER:

1. After an investigation by the Post Office Inspector, he reported that the postmaster resided at some distance from the post office and took no part whatever in the duties of the office, which were performed by another person. A new postmaster, who would give his attention to the duties of the office, was therefore appointed.

2. See answer to No. 1.

3. Mr. Elisée Frechette.

UNOPOSED AND UNDISCUSSED MOTIONS.

Mr. Murphy.—For a return showing how many persons, since October 10, 1911, have been appointed to positions in the inside Civil Service who had not passed the public competitive examination held by the Civil Service Commission in May and November of each year; and how many of such persons were appointed in each department.

Mr. Wm. Chisholm.—For a return showing how much money has been expended on public works in Antigonish County since October 11, 1911; of the amount so expended, how much was provided in the estimates for 1911-1912?

What amount was expended on public works in said County which was not included in the estimates for 1911-1912.

Mr. Macdonald.—For a return showing how many claims for Fenian Raid Bounties are still unpaid in Hants County, Nova Scotia?

Mr. McKenzie.—For a return showing the names and addresses of the persons who made application for the Fenian Raid Bounty, up to the end of the year 1913, from the Counties of Cape Breton and Victoria, Nova Scotia; how many of them were paid, and what are their names and addresses; how many were rejected, and what are their names and addresses, and the reasons assigned in each case for such rejection; what are the names and addresses of all applicants whose applications have not yet been adjudicated upon by the Militia Department, and when will those applications be considered.

Mr. Murphy.—For a return showing the total number of officials and employees in the Department of Public Printing and Stationery on February 1, 1914; and what increase in wages was granted to the several groups of employees during the year 1913.

[Mr. Pelletier.]

Mr. Ross.—For a copy of all letters, petitions, telegrams, evidence, reports, papers and documents, in the possession of the Post Office Department or any other Department, relating to the dismissal of Geo. Skates, Postmaster at Appin, Ontario; and if there was an investigation, the names of the investigator and witnesses, a copy of the evidence and of letters, papers, petitions, recommendations and other documents connected with the appointment of Mr. Skates' successor.

Mr. Kyte.—For a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, memorials, petitions, &c., relating to the sale or transfer of the Indian Reserve at Sydney, N.S., and the removal of the Indians therefrom.

Mr. Kyte.—For a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, recommendations and complaints since the 10th day of October, 1911, relative to the employment of H. G. Stanton as Resident Engineer of the St. Peters Canal.

Mr. Emmerson.—For a return showing the total earnings of the Intercolonial railway on Division 3 in connection with passenger traffic for the calendar years 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913 respectively, and the monthly passenger traffic earnings for each of the said years; the total expenses or expenditures connected with the said passenger traffic on said division during the said years respectively; together with a statement showing the monthly passenger traffic expenses or expenditures connected with said passenger traffic for each of the months during the said years; and showing, in addition, the loss and surplus for each of said years and the months thereof respectively, in connection with the passenger traffic on said division three between St. John and Halifax; also a statement of the revenue and expenditures on the transactions connected with said passenger traffic over said division during the months of December, 1913, and January, 1914, separately; and also a statement showing the gross passenger earnings for December, 1912, and January, 1914, respectively, and the gross expenditures with the passenger traffic for the said months respectively together with a copy of all reports, returns, letters and correspondence relating to the earnings, expenditures or losses or surpluses on said division either in connection with freight or passenger traffic.

Mr. Graham.—For a copy of the report of Geo. S. Hodgins, of New York, regarding the Transcona shops of the Transcontinental railway, dated June 10, 1912.

Mr. Graham.—For a copy of all correspondence between the National Transcontinental Railway Commissioner and the Minister of Railways, and between the National Transcontinental Railway Commissioner and the Canadian Pacific railway regarding the Joint Terminals at Quebec; also a copy of the Order in Council regarding Joint Terminals at Quebec, and for the final agreement regarding same.

Mr. Carvell.—For a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence, leases and other documents relating to the cutting of lumber by Mr. B. F. Smith from the so-called Tobique Indian Reserve, in the province of New Brunswick, and of all recommendations with reference thereto, made by the Indian agent for that portion of the province, or any other official of the department in the said province; together with a statement of the lumber cut by said Smith from said reserve, with the rates of stumpage charged and amounts paid since January 1, 1912.

Mr. Graham.—For a copy of all correspond-