

SUPPLY — INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY—
Con.*Macdonald, E. M.*—Con.

ter has the right to interfere and his right must be respected, 2861. The I. C. R. was not built for the purpose of giving a man a local rate, 2862. The little surplus no advantage compared with the development of trade routes, 2863. The minister will realize the importance of the difficulties he has pointed out, 2864.

Maddin, J. W. (Cape Breton South)—2864.

The annual philippic of the Minister of Railways, 2864. The fast express taken off the Halifax-Sydney route. The appointment of the board, 2865. Quotes an answer of the minister. This line of railway does not pay, 2866. Not exhibiting the same anxiety for the reduction of grades as before the elections, 2867. The railway has suffered from the lack of ministerial interference, 2868. Road wants purging from the administration of politicians and ex-politicians, 2869. The Hudson Bay Railway construction will only delay that of the Georgian Bay Canal, 2870. It certainly never was contemplated that the I.C.R. would be made a revenue paying concern, 2871. Trusts that the minister will see that the grades on the George's river are reduced immediately, 2872.

SUPPLY—INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY —
BRANCH LINES.*Graham, Hon. G. P.* (Minister of Railways and Canals)—8828.

Desires to move a motion in reference to message from Senate, 8828-8829.

Speaker, His Honour the—8828.

Informs the House of resolution received from the Senate re their amendment to Bill (No. 17), 8828.

SUPPLY—INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY—
IMPURE WATER ON PASSENGER
TRAINS.

Attention called to the quality of water.

Mr. J. B. Black, 1303.

Black, J. B. (Hants)—1303.

Calls attention to the quality of the water at Montreal. Water tank filled at Montreal, 1303. Typhoid fever. Quotes Montreal 'Star.' An easy thing to remedy, 1304.

Graham, Hon. G. P. (Minister of Railways and Canals)—1304.

A very important matter, especially as passengers can only drink water, 1304. Will investigate, 1305.

SUPPLY—INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY—
TRAIN SERVICE.

Attention called to a resolution of the Dartmouth Board of Trade. *Mr. R. L. Borden*, 332.

SUPPLY—INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY—
TRAIN SERVICE—Con.*Borden, R. L.* (Halifax)—332.

Calls attention to the resolution respecting a change in the time table, 332.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Finance Minister)—332.

Will see that the attention of the minister is drawn to the matter, 332.

SUPPLY—INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY—
TRAIN SERVICE.

Remarks—*Mr. R. L. Borden*, 343.

Borden, R. L. (Halifax)—343.

Asks if the minister has received the resolution of the Dartmouth Board of Trade. Its nature, 343. Not inclined lightly to interfere with the Commission, better service necessary, 344.

Graham, Hon. G. P. (Minister of Railways and Canals)—344.

Does not know if resolution has been received, if so it has been sent to the Commission, 344.

SUPPLY—INTERIM SUPPLY BILL.

Motion for the resolution, *Hon. W. S. Fielding*, 5529.

Borden, Hon. Sir Frederick (Minister of Militia)—5532.

The 25 per cent applies to every branch of the service, 5532.

Crosby, A. B. (Halifax)—5531.

Asks if these items cover the civil service for the coming year, 5531. Civil service sometimes held up for some time, particularly military salaries, 5532.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Finance Minister)—5529.

Asks a vote of one quarter of the estimates for the new year and items for current year, 5529-30. For the moment will not proceed with the supplementary estimates, 5531. Not in a position to say anything regarding main supplementary estimates, 5532.

Lennox, H. (South Simcoe)—5531.

Understood that they would discuss any item at a later stage, 5531.

Sharpe, W. H. (Lisgar)—5532.

Asks what amount is put in the estimates for Hudson's Bay Railway, 5532.

Taylor, Geo. (Leeds)—5530.

Quite willing to let one quarter of main estimates pass, but not supplementary, 5530. Would hardly like to consent to their passing in his leader's absence, 5531.

SUPPLY—LACHUTE POST OFFICE.

Remarks on the office not being opened, *Mr. G. H. Perley*, 5639.