

## EXTRACTS FROM THE CANADA GAZETTE, 1916 AND 1917

natural and manufactured, which may be needed for the work of reconstruction in the said countries during and after the war, and also as to sources of supply in those countries for commodities needed in Canada and which formerly were obtained from Germany and Austria, and to report upon the same. July 13. Alfred Holland Smith, of New York, U.S.A.; Sir Henry Lumley Drayton, of Ottawa; Sir George Paish, of London, England, to be commissioners to inquire into, investigate and report upon the general problem of transportation in Canada, the status of each of the three transcontinental railway systems, the reorganization of any of the said railway systems or the acquisition thereof by the State, and all matters pertinent or relevant to the general scope of the inquiry. Sept. 1. John K. L. Ross, of Montreal; Col. Robert H. Labatt, of Hamilton, Ont. and Major John L. Todd, of Ottawa, to be pension commissioners to constitute the commission provided for by the pension regulations, the said John K. L. Ross to be chairman of the said commission, and the appointments to take effect from and after September 11, 1916. 1917: April 16. Robert A. Pringle, of Ottawa, to be a commissioner to inquire into and report concerning the manufacture, sale, price and supply of news print paper within Canada. Oct. 3. Adam Shortt, C.M.G., of Ottawa; Arthur G. Doughty, C.M.G., of Ottawa; Prof. Charles W. Colby, of Montreal; Thomas Chapais, of Quebec, and Prof. George M. Wrong, of Toronto, to constitute a board in connection with the Public Archives, to be called The Historical Documents Publication Board, with power to select and publish, with notes or otherwise as they may deem best, documents connected with the history and development of the constitution, trade, commerce, finance, industries and defence of Canada, the said Adam Shortt to be chairman of the said board.

**Imperial Honours and Decorations.**—To be Barons of the United Kingdom: Jan. 28, 1916. Sir Thomas George Shaughnessy, K.C.V.O. (Baron Shaughnessy of Montreal and Ashford, county Limerick, Ireland). May 15, 1917. Sir Hugh Graham (Baron Atholstan of Huntingdon, Quebec, and of the city of Edinburgh, Scotland). Nov. 18, 1916. The dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom was conferred upon Henry Vincent Meredith, president of the Bank of Montreal. To be Knight Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George (G.C.M.G.): July 28, 1916. His Grace the Duke of Devonshire, K.G., G.C.V.O., on appointment as Governor-General of Canada. To be Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George (K.C.M.G.): June 3, 1916. His Honour Pierre E. Leblanc, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. The Hon. James A. Lougheed, of Calgary, Alberta. September 14. Col. Arthur Percy Sherwood, C.M.G., M.V.O., Chief Commissioner of the Dominion Police. Feb. 12, 1917. The Hon. Albert Edward Kemp, Minister of Militia and Defence. The Hon. William Howard Hearst, Premier of Ontario. June 4. Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) Arthur W. Currie, C.B. Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) Richard W. Turner, V.C., C.B., D.S.O. Robert Alexander Falconer, LL.D., C.M.G., President of the University of Toronto. The dignity of a Knighthood of the United Kingdom was conferred upon the following: Jan. 1, 1916. Brig.-Gen. Alexander Bertram, Deputy Chairman of the