

of Selkirk, Manitoba, to be commissioners to inquire into and report upon the existing requirements and conditions of the fisheries in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the said Edward Ernest Prince to be chairman of the commission. Sept. 18. Jabez Bowen Hugg of Winnipeg to be a member of this commission in the room and stead of Thomas Llewellyn Metcalfe, resigned.

Aug. 24. The Right Hon. Lord Balfour of Burleigh, K.T., the Hon. William Stevens Fielding (Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada), the Hon. William Paterson (Minister of Customs of the Dominion of Canada), Sir John Poynder Dickson-Poynder Bart., D.S.O., M.P., and Sir Daniel Morris, K.C.M.G., to be commissioners to inquire into the question of trade relations between the Dominion of Canada and the West Indian Colonies. Hubert Russell Cowell, B.A., to be secretary to the commission.

Nov. 9 1908. The dignity of a knighthood of the United Kingdom was conferred upon Hugh Graham of Montreal and (July 28 1909) upon the Hon. Richard William Scott, K.C., LL.D., member of the Senate of the Dominion of Canada and lately Secretary of State of Canada. ^{Imperial honours and decorations.}

June 25. To be Companions of the Order of St. Michael and St. George: Edmund Leslie Newcombe, K.C., LL.B., Deputy ^{C.M.G.} Minister of Justice of the Dominion of Canada, Matthew Joseph Butler, Deputy Minister and Chief Engineer of Government Railways and Canals, Dominion of Canada. Nov. 9. William Wallace Cory, Deputy Minister of the Interior, Dominion of Canada. Aylesworth Bowen Perry, Commissioner of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, Dominion of Canada.

June 25. To be members of the Imperial Service Order: William John Gerald, Deputy Minister of Inland Revenue, ^{I.S.O.} Dominion of Canada. George Ross, Chief Post Office Superintendent of the Post Office Department, Dominion of Canada.

The following have been awarded the Imperial Service Medal instituted by His Majesty the King for the recognition of long and meritorious service on the part of members of the civil service not belonging to the administrative or clerical branches: ^{Imperial Service Medal.}

Jan. 6. Charles John Clarke, section foreman, I. R.; Thomas Henry Hill, keeper of the light at Lancaster, Ontario; Frederick Lay, lockmaster, Welland Canal; Andrew McCabe and John George McDonald, engineers, I. R.; George Shannon, assistant keeper of light at Grosse Point, Valleyfield; Edward Shaw, crossing watchman, I. R.

April 6. Workmen of Intercolonial Railway: Stanislas Bedard, Daniel Culligan and Joseph Guillemette, section foremen, Thomas Hibbits, carpenter; James Francis McShane, letter carrier, Post Office Department; Albert Pearl, keeper of the light at Tancock, N.S.; Albert Root, keeper of light at Rockport, Ontario; Workmen of the Intercolonial Railway: David Proulx, section foreman, Cyprien Rouillard, trackman, Robert Williams, brakeman and John Wilson, checker.

June 25. George Price Barrett, messenger, office of the king's printer for New Brunswick; John McNab, hospital attendant, Department of Public Works, Nova Scotia. Oct. 1. Ludger Renois, Post Office Department of Canada.