

APPENDIX II

The Ministry

1.—Members of the Seventeenth Ministry as at Feb. 15, 1950

(According to precedence of Ministers)

Office	Occupant	Date of Appointment ¹
Prime Minister and President of the Privy Council.....	Rt. Hon. LOUIS STEPHEN ST. LAURENT, K.C.	{ Dec. 10, 1941 Nov. 15, 1948
Minister of Trade and Commerce.....	Rt. Hon. CLARENCE DECATUR HOWE.....	{ Oct. 23, 1935 Jan. 19, 1948
Minister of Agriculture.....	Rt. Hon. JAMES GARFIELD GARDINER.....	Oct. 28, 1935
Member of the Administration and Minister without Portfolio.....	Hon. JAMES ANGUS MACKINNON.....	{ Jan. 23, 1939 Apr. 1, 1949
Minister of Labour.....	Hon. HUMPHREY MITCHELL.....	Dec. 15, 1941
Minister of Public Works.....	Hon. ALPHONSE FOURNIER, K.C.....	Oct. 6, 1942
Minister of National Defence.....	Hon. BROOKE CLAXTON, K.C.....	{ Oct. 13, 1944 Dec. 12, 1946
Minister of Transport.....	Hon. LIONEL CHEVRIER, K.C.....	Apr. 18, 1945
Minister of National Health and Welfare.....	Hon. PAUL JOSEPH JAMES MARTIN, K.C.....	{ Apr. 18, 1945 Dec. 12, 1946
Minister of Finance.....	Hon. DOUGLAS CHARLES ABBOTT, K.C.....	{ Apr. 18, 1945 Dec. 10, 1946
Minister of National Revenue and Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys.....	Hon. JAMES JOSEPH McCANN, M.D.....	{ Apr. 18, 1945 Jan. 18, 1950
Leader of the Government in the Senate.....	Hon. WISHART McLEA ROBERTSON.....	Aug. 29, 1945
Minister of Veterans Affairs.....	Hon. MILTON FOWLER GREGG, V.C.....	{ Sept. 2, 1947 Jan. 19, 1948
Minister of Fisheries.....	Hon. ROBERT WELLINGTON MAYHEW.....	June 11, 1948
Secretary of State for External Affairs.....	Hon. LESTER BOWLES PEARSON.....	Sept. 10, 1948
Minister of Justice and Attorney General.....	Hon. STUART SINCLAIR GARSON.....	Nov. 15, 1948
Minister of Resources and Development.....	Hon. ROBERT HENRY WINTERS.....	{ Nov. 15, 1948 Jan. 18, 1950
Secretary of State of Canada.....	Hon. FREDERICK GORDON BRADLEY.....	Apr. 1, 1949
Solicitor General of Canada.....	Hon. HUGUES LAPOINTE.....	Aug. 24, 1949
Postmaster General.....	Hon. GABRIEL EDOUARD RINFRET.....	Aug. 24, 1949
Minister of Citizenship and Immigration.....	Hon. WALTER EDWARD HARRIS.....	Jan. 18, 1950

¹ Where two dates are shown, the first indicates the date of first appointment as a Minister of the Crown and the second the date of appointment to the portfolio held at present.

Parliamentary Assistants to Ministers as at Feb. 15, 1950.—G. Belzile—Minister of Finance; J.-A. Blanchette—Minister of National Defence; P.-E. Côté—Minister of Labour; J. W. MacNaught—Minister of Fisheries; R. Maybank—Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys; R. McCubbin—Minister of Agriculture; G. J. McIlraith—Minister of Trade and Commerce; L. A. Mutch—Minister of Veterans Affairs; G. Prudham—Minister of Resources and Development; J. Sinclair—Minister of Finance.