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TEXAS LEAGUE STARTS SEASON

Galveston, Texas, April 12--The initial games were played today in what is expected by the baseball club owners of the Texas League to be the most successful season in the history of the organization. The taking over by Beaumont of the franchise held by Oklahoma City last year has made the circuit more compact. Changes have been made to strengthen the weaker clubs and all signs point to a spirited race for the pennant. The season opens with San Antonio at at Beaumont, Fort Worth at Austin, Dallas at Waco and Houston at Galveston.

THE OPPOSITION LEADER MOVES VOTE OF CENSURE

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The orchards were now going behind the responsibility must rest with the present government. He read from the report of 1908 that the orchards in the different counties of the province had been found in a satisfactory condition in 1908.

THE STANDARD'S PULL.

The agricultural department, instead of encouraging home breeders of live stock had been favoring people from outside the province. It was the practice of the department to pay the freight on live stock brought to the point of sale from outside the province and also to have it cared for while awaiting the date of sale, but the home breeders were not given that advantage and had to pay their expenses themselves. In referring to public printing while addressing the House, he had omitted to refer to the items which made up \$2,976, charged to Farmers' Institute and agricultural encouragement. Included in the payments were the following amounts paid to The Standard, Ltd.

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The Standard had been paid to publish readers and to send out papers which had kind and flattering words to say for this government and its work in the encouragement

of agriculture and the money to pay for it was taken out of the agricultural grant when it should have gone through the proper channel to in some way assist agriculture in this province. The agricultural department was managed as a political machine, the agricultural societies were being made political organizations and at the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association meeting officials of the agricultural department were busy canvassing the members to vote in the election of officers for certain candidates because of their political affiliation. The sooner that the importance of keeping the agricultural department out of politics was realized the better it would be for the province.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The government was proud of its record regarding the administration of the public works department. Hon. Mr. Maxwell--"Hear, hear!" Mr. Copp--"I suppose the hon. chief commissioner asked you to say, 'Hear, hear!'" Hon. Mr. Morrissey--"I'm not built that way and you know it. I can talk for myself." Mr. Copp, continuing, said that the public works department had been administered in a way that was not satisfactory to a large majority of the people of the province and the reason was that friends of the government in the different sections of the province had been allowed to have money expended when it was not necessary and in such a way that the province did not receive any benefit. Regarding the auditor general's report it had been said that last year it gave a wrong impression as to the payments for public works and this

year the report appeared with the expenditure for bridges not given in detail when detailed expenditures were the information that the people really wanted. Instead of the auditor general's reports of 1909 and 1910 containing too much information, they had not contained enough. He read from the report to show that the government had not given complete information. There were several accounts charged to "Various Persons" and expenditures for lumber without any idea whatever of the details of these amounts.

INFORMATION CONCEALED

The government could figure up the total and tell hon gentlemen that this bridge cost so much but they would not tell how much lumber had been used and what amount was paid as well as those receiving the payments. The Auditor General's report of 1911 is even worse than those of 1909 and 1910 because it deprived the people of the information they had a right to know. Several people in the province felt that the government was paying 1 1/2 and 2 prices for public works to friends of the government and it was the duty of the government to give full information which the people demanded. The last year was the worst of all and while his hon friends criticized the old government over their extravagance and the methods employed in giving the information to the public the Auditor General's report for 1911 was almost identical with 1907. Even the Standard newspaper had said that the report was practically the same under the old administration and the opposition should not on that account offer any criticism of its contents. One could peruse the report from cover to cover but could find no detailed statements of expenditure. That was not fair, reasonable nor right, as the people had the right to know how much money was being used and how it was being expended. Last year the government had discovered that the information given in previous reports was not popular from their standpoint. The opposition had been able to take the reports of 1909 and 1910 and after a great deal of work figure out how much had been paid to superintendents and foremen. When that information had been given his hon friends had been astounded to know that they paid so much but that was not surprising when it was realized that the government employed barristers of the Supreme Court.

LAWYERS AS SUPERINTENDENTS

Hon. Mr. Fleming--And they don't know much about it. Mr. Copp said that this government had selected a barrister in Dorchester as a bridge Superintendent and while the Hon. Surveyor General condemned the old government and claimed that they had appointed men who knew little about bridge work, they had also appointed superintendents who must have been less familiar. If the Washademoak Bridge had been constructed under proper superintendents it would not have collapsed as was the case this week.

The question seemed to be to hand over the control of the money to persons who will expend it in a manner that will result most beneficially to getting support for this government.

His hon. friend the Provincial Secretary had said the government was anxious to give the fullest information but they did not show that by their actions. For four weeks the Opposition had been attempting to secure the information of public expenditures but the government had refused to give it. The public wanted the information because they were

dissatisfied with the enormous amounts expended for roads and bridges and he had numerous letters from people saying that the bridges had cost more than they should and asking him to secure the details. His hon. friends had said that the Public Works accounts were open for members the selves that wanted the information. He (Copp) knew that the money was being squandered and that thousands and tens of thousands of dollars were being wasted in Westmorland to give pay to friends of the government. The people of Westmorland as well as the people of other counties had a feeling of unrest over these great expenditures but still the report hid the information from the public.

THE TENDER SYSTEM

His hon. friends when in opposition had claimed that the only proper course was to build the bridges by contract and had made that promise a paramount plank in their platform. They had condemned days work, but today they were carrying out the

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TEN STOREY BUILDING TO COST MILLION

(Vancouver World)

A million dollar, ten-storey modern office building a hundred foot corner will be the culmination of negotiations which yesterday ended in the transfer of one of the most valuable corners in Vancouver to the Canadian Investment Company, Limited. The property involved is the northeast corner of Dunsmuir and Howe streets, comprising four lots and covering an area of 100x120 feet. This is one of the most valuable corners in the city, being in the heart of the business section.

The company has for some time been working on plans for a large office building and has had its architects at work designing a structure to cost a million dollars. These plans are practically complete, and have only awaited final decision on the site to be chosen, the company having had several under consideration. Now that the deal is concluded the plans will be forthcoming at once.

The entire area of the site purchased will be built upon. The structure will be a "Class A1" building of steel and reinforced concrete. The interior and exterior finish will be of the very best quality, and the ten-storey building when complete will be a credit to the city. It will be the largest in point of floor space in the city, and as large as any in the country.

When the building is completed it is the purpose of the Canadian Home Investment Company to occupy the basement floor, part of the ground floor and the mezzanine floor for the head offices and Vancouver business of the company. The top, or tenth floor, will be reserved for club quarters for the employees of the company. The remainder of the space in the building will be apportioned in suites of offices for which leases will be made.

Preparing for this new project the capital stock of the Canadian Home Investment Company was recently increased from \$100,000 to \$1,100,000 for the purpose of organizing and erecting this building. On completion of the Vancouver building it is the intention of the company to proceed with the erection of a similar building in the metropolis of each of the other provinces of the Dominion. The company now has branches established from coast to coast throughout Canada, but it is essentially a British Columbia institution and the head office will remain in Vancouver.

The Canadian Home Investment Company is completing the work of organizing its United States company, which is projected on the same lines which have proven so successful

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ful in the parent concern. This new enterprise will start active operations in a few days. The growth of the Canadian Home Investment Company has been little short of marvelous since May last year, its business showing an increase of 3400 per cent. over the year previous. This indicates the management is not only progressive, but stable, as it has appealed to the confidence of its many thousands of clients.

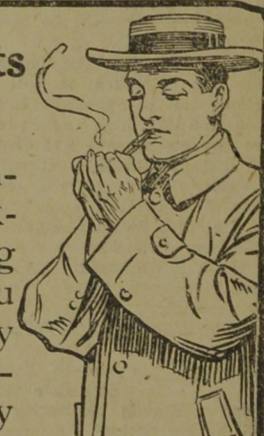
The increased capital stock of the company has already been aggressively sought by local capitalists as well as by English and United States investors. The company proposes to have the plans for its monster million-dollar building rushed to completion post haste, as it is the intention to try and be in their new home within eighteen months. The officers and directors of the Canadian Home Investment Company

Limited, are all well known British Columbians. They are: J. R. Seymour, president; W. J. King, first vice-president and general manager, Lieut. Col. J. Duff-Stuart, second vice-president; Dr. R. E. MacKechmie, third vice-president; A. MacKechmie, secretary-treasurer. All of these together with J. A. Harvey, K. C., and Geo. T. Rogers, form the board of directors of the company.

At the present time the company is crowded for office space, having had to go outside for additional accommodation for the growing staff, though the major part of the second floor of the Pacific building is occupied by the head offices. Officials of the company announce that the new building will not be built by money taken from the earnings of the company, but with funds acquired by the increased capitalization.

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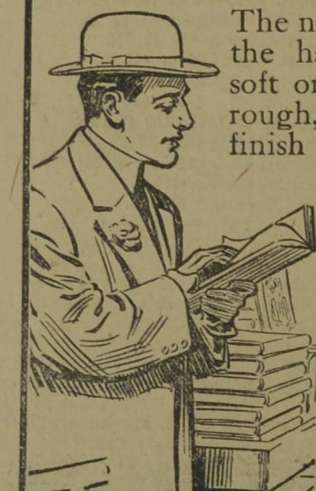
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