

## LEGISLATURE MAKES GOOD PROGRESS WITH SUPPLY

**Agricultural Estimates Provoked some Discussion--Hon. Mr. Tweeddale Tells of Greater Production Campaign--Great Demand for Seed Wheat Imported by the Government--The Bonusing of Flour Mills--Mussel Mud as a Fertilizer.**

On account of the train from St. John being delayed an hour last evening by a washout, the House did not meet until 9.20 o'clock. A number of bills were disposed of, after which the House went into committee of supply and disposed of the agricultural estimates. Premier Foster handled the resolutions and Hon. Mr. Tweeddale was ready with complete and satisfactory explanations of every item of expenditure in his department. It was after one o'clock when the House adjourned.

The House met on Monday at 9.30 p. m.

Hon. Mr. Byrne introduced a bill to amend the Schools Act in order to permit of the raising of the assessment

for school purposes for the City of Fredericton.

Hon. Mr. Smith introduced a bill to amend the Game Act, which prohibits the shooting of wood duck and conforms in this respect with the treaty made between Great Britain and the United States, and also increases the size of horns below which limit no moose may be shot.

Hon. Mr. Byrne moved for suspension of rules to permit of the introduction of a bill to amend the Act incorporating the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company.

Leave having been granted, he introduced the bill.

Hon. Mr. Smith introduced a bill an

## KING PRAISES WORKINGMEN

London, June 18.—The King in a farewell message to the Lord Mayor of Newcastle, on concluding a visit to the northern industries, said:

"The outspoken sympathy of the citizens of thenortheast coast fills me with courage and confidence. I was never more convinced that the industrial army of the nation is strong in loyalty, fortitude and devotion which have built up the empire and will, under God's guidance, help us to victory."

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According to Miss Edith M. Burtis, who lectured yesterday on the serviceability of this garment at the Wanamaker auditorium, this article of wearing apparel will prove all-in-all to the average woman.

Act in addition to the General Mining Act.

The House went into committee with Mr. Smith (Sunbury) in the chair and agreed to the bill relating to the appointment of civic officers in the City of Fredericton, and reported progress on the bill authorizing the destruction of dilapidated buildings.

The House again went into committee with Mr. Magee in the chair, and agreed to the bill to permit the C. P. R. to extend its round house in the Parish of Lancaster; and also to the bills relating to dilapidated buildings, sidewalks and elections in the town of Woodstock.

Drainage of Land.

The House again went into committee with Mr. Leger (Westmorland), in the chair, and took up consideration of a bill to facilitate the drainage of farm lands.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale explained that when it became necessary to secure the proper drainage of any farm land the bill provided that a drain could be run through an adjacent property. In order to do this, the owner of the land would have to make application to the Municipal Council. Upon the application being received, the Council would appoint an engineer to conduct an investigation and prepare an estimate of the cost. In case of a disagreement between the land owners the Council would have power to make an order binding on both parties. The applicant would be required to deposit a sum sufficient to cover all damages to the adjacent land together with the cost of the investigation.

Mr. Murray (Kings) said he recognized that some such plan as outlined to facilitate drainage of farm lands was necessary.

Mr. Hetherington pointed out that municipal councils only met twice a year. It seemed to him that the bill contained too much machinery.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale explained that it would be imperative on the part of municipal councils to appoint an engineer on the application of the party requiring drainage. Under the terms of the bill, which he felt provided ample safeguards, it would be possible to improve lands now of little value.

Mr. Baxter expressed himself as being strongly in favor of the principle of the bill as outlined by the Hon. Minister of Agriculture.

The bill was agreed to.

Supply Items Passed.  
On the order of the day being called, the House went into Committee with Mr. Leger (Westmorland) in the chair, and took up further consideration of supply.

Hon. Mr. Foster, on the item of \$1,450 for Equity Chambers, St. John, said that the government's lease of the property was about to expire, and an application had been made for increased rental.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale on the item of \$1,750 for miscellaneous and insurance in connection with the Agricultural Department, said that this included six months' salary for Mr. Judson Manzer, who represented the province in (Continued on Page 6)



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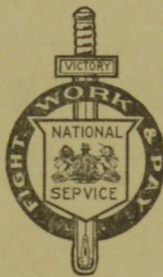
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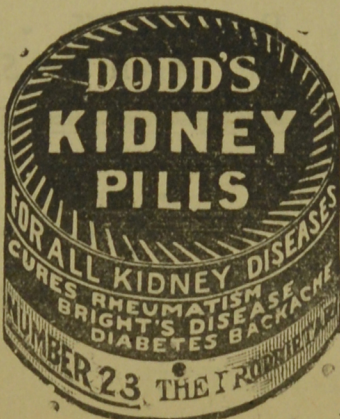
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