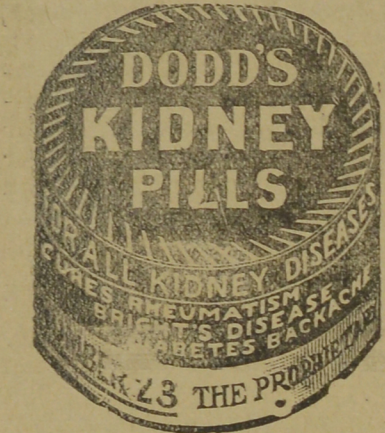


# MR. YOUNG DISCUSSES PROVINCIAL FINANCES

## Member for York Admits That the Old Government Made Some Mistakes-- Criticizes Highway Expenditures Made in His Parish--Thinks that Seed Should Have Been Distributed Free of Cost.

Following is the synopsis report of the speech delivered in the Legislature a few days ago by Mr. John A. Young, one of the members for York:

MR. YOUNG said the financial situation had been dealt with fully by the Hon. Provincial Secretary. If the picture of this province's financial condition was as black as he had painted it, it was time the members of the government got together and made a determined effort to raise the province out of the slough. There had been mistakes in the old government, but they had been of the head and not of the heart. That administration had handled fairly and properly the money of the people. Governments were as individuals—those which made no mistakes made no progress. The people expected the government to expend money and it was its duty so to do. As far as highway expenditure was concerned, he had not much to say, as little money had been spent in York. According to the accounts, \$50 had been spent on permanent work in his own parish, but he had



not yet been able to find where the expenditure had been made—perhaps concrete pipe had been put in or large galls made. If the highway work of last summer was classed as permanent, he could take the hon. minister of public works through the parish and show him permanent work which had been paid for out of current revenue between 1908 and 1917. The new highway act would not succeed unless different methods were adopted by the hon. minister. Roads could not be made without efficient men and money. That was where the minister had fallen down. In his (Young's) own district there was a superintendent, who was a personal friend of his and well fitted to handle men, but he was not a success as a road builder. The mistake had been in dismissing the old and competent road builders.

Reference had been made to the winning of the war. Members of the opposition were ready to do as much as any men in the Empire to win the war. One son of his had been in the service three years. He did not want to see another go; but it necessary would see the last one cross the sea. However, he wanted every section of Canada to be treated the same and the men left behind to do their best toward winning. Much had been said about increased production, but he could tell the hon. minister of agriculture that there would have to be something besides circulars and long speeches to bring about an increase. The minister took much credit for his seed grain policy, but it was not working out. The man who could pay a county council for seed grain could buy his own seed from a dealer.

HON. MR. TWEEDDALE — "And pay the dealer his profits, too."

MR. YOUNG continuing said that free seed should be distributed. It might be urged that the finances of the province would not permit of free distribution of seed and if the hon.

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minister would dismiss some of his officials, he would save enough to pay for it. Other departments were also over-manned. He had gone into the public works department and found it so crowded that some officials had to go out when he entered. The patriotic fund assessment of \$518,000 was not necessary. If the government needed the money for current revenue it should have taken the people into its confidence. The York County Council would have to borrow money to make up its allotment, as it had provided only for its proportion of \$400,000.

In conclusion the speaker urged strongly the free distribution of seed grain. He knew that a large number of small farmers would be unable to plant unless the seed were given them. He knew of one merchant in Stanley, a supporter of the government, who had not been paid for seed grain furnished a year ago, and who

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on that account, could not furnish grain at all this spring.

MR. PINDER moved the adjournment of the debate.

The House then went into committee with Mr. Melanson in the chair and agreed to a bill to amend the act relating to the town of Newcastle.

The House again went into committee with Mr. Leger (West.), in the chair and took up consideration of a bill to assist in carrying out the object of the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

HON. MR. ROBINSON said that the bill provided for an assessment on the municipalities of \$518,000, the same as last year. Of the amount the sum of \$400,000 would be paid over to the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the balance would be turned into the revenue of the province to be devoted to patriotic purposes.

MR. MURRAY (Kings) said he wished to go on record as being opposed to the bill. The government should not seek to impose direct taxation upon the province by going over the shoulders of the Canadian Patriotic Fund. He understood that in some municipalities the assessment was being arranged on a basis of \$400,000. If the government needed the additional \$118,000 it should obtain it by means of a separate bill, and if that were done he believed that the money would be forthcoming. He looked upon the proposed legislation as camouflage.

MR. BAXTER said that a feature of the bill to which he would direct attention was that requiring the total amount to be paid into the provincial treasury. Every government had experienced more or less trouble collecting from municipalities for the support of patients at the Provincial Hospital. Accounts had been kept standing for a long period and in the end there was usually a basis for compromise. The old act provided for the payment of the money direct to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, and that principle should be adhered to in the present bill with respect to the amount that was to be so disposed of. The balance could then be turned into the provincial treasury.

HON. MR. ROBINSON said he appreciated the force of the remarks of the two hon. members opposite, but wished to point out that the act was simply carrying out the arrangement of last year. The assessment would be for the same amount, viz., \$518,000 of which \$400,000 would go to the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the balance be paid into the provincial treasury to be used for patriotic purposes. It was simply using the old act for another year and he did not think any difficulty would arise.

The Bill was agreed to.

The committee next took up consideration of the bill to provide for auditing the accounts of the province and agreed to the same with some amendments submitted by the hon. premier. The bill relating to witness and evidence also was agreed to.

Adjourned at 11.30 p. m.

# OPENING AND CLOSING OF RIVER SINCE 1825

The dates of the opening and closing of the St. John river at Fredericton since 1825 are as follows:

Year.	Open.	Close.	Days.
1825.....	April 15	November 20.....	219
1826.....	April 17	November 14.....	215
1827.....	April 6	December 3.....	241
1828.....	April 20	November 19.....	213
1829.....	April 17	November 15.....	212
1830.....	April 18	November 29.....	225
1831.....	April 10	December 1.....	235
1832.....	May 3	November 15.....	196
1833.....	April 10	November 5.....	209
1834.....	April 11	November 17.....	220
1835.....	May 1	November 23.....	206
1836.....	April 28	November 19.....	205
1837.....	April 17	November 9.....	205
1838.....	May 1	November 25.....	208
1839.....	April 25	November 23.....	212
1840.....	April 16	November 23.....	221
1841.....	April 27	November 27.....	214
1842.....	April 24	November 22.....	212
1843.....	April 26	November 18.....	207
1844.....	April 14	November 27.....	227
1845.....	April 23	December 4.....	225
1846.....	April 6	November 28.....	236
1847.....	May 2	November 30.....	212
1848.....	April 19	November 10.....	205
1849.....	April 8	December 2.....	233
1850.....	May 2	November 27.....	209
1851.....	April 26	November 17.....	215
1852.....	April 26	November 25.....	213
1853.....	April 17	November 25.....	222
1854.....	May 7	December 10.....	217
1855.....	April 28	November 22.....	208
1856.....	April 25	November 17.....	206
1857.....	April 18	December 5.....	231
1858.....	April 22	November 13.....	205
1859.....	April 16	November 29.....	227
1860.....	April 23	November 27.....	214
1861.....	April 20	December 3.....	223
1862.....	April 18	December 3.....	225
1863.....	April 22	November 17.....	209
1864.....	April 20	December 9.....	223

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1865.....	April 6	November 10.....	218
1866.....	April 14	December 12.....	242
1867.....	April 22	November 17.....	209
1868.....	April 22	November 16.....	208
1869.....	April 20	November 26.....	220
1870.....	April 11	November 22.....	225
1871.....	April 10	November 24.....	228
1872.....	April 22	November 29.....	221
1873.....	April 23	November 12.....	203
1874.....	April 21	November 22.....	215
1875.....	April 27	November 19.....	206
1876.....	April 22	November 30.....	222
1877.....	April 13	December 4.....	235
1878.....	April 5	December 18.....	257
1879.....	April 27	November 22.....	209
1880.....	April 22	November 21.....	203
1881.....	April 2	November 22.....	234
1882.....	May 1	November 26.....	210
1883.....	April 18	November 15.....	211
1884.....	April 16	November 19.....	217
1885.....	April 23	November 27.....	218
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1887.....	April 27	December 1.....	218
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1889.....	April 25	December 1.....	225
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1903.....	March 24	November 27.....	247
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1915.....	April 12	December 11.....	243
1916.....	April 12	November 15.....	217
1917.....	April 19	November 23.....	218
1918.....	April 15		

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