possible manner the necessity for the

release from requisition of the steam-

"Additional frepresentations were

Winnipeg Strike

D. D. MacKenzie said the reports

that he had received a telegram from

Senator Robertson this morning indi-

William Duff of Lunenburg, inquir-

ed if any steps had been taken to re-

er interrupted to say that this was

Hon. Charles Murphy was informed

by the Premier that he had asked Sir

James Lougheed who is the minister

in charge of soldiers' civil re-establish-

ment for a statement as to the resig-

nations of Colonel McKelvey-Bell and

Captain J. Grant Cunninghom. The

statement would be laid on the table

Stanley, June 16-The funeral ser-

vice of the late Howard T. Douglass

was held at the Church Sunday after

noon and was attended by the largest

Where the deceased was known his

value was recognized and the whole

county and surrounding country em-

life was to render service to others.

lage was a hard one and the vacancy

thus caused will be hard to fill. As a

church worker he was foremost in every effort. His pastor Rev. Mr.

Robinson who conducted the service

assisted by Rev. Mr. McPherson made

reference in most appropriate terms

to the great loss sustained by the re-

moval of so useful a life. Although

many times pressed to his utmost

capacity by the immense business

which he so successfully carried on,

he could always find time for his

Sunday School and other services

which he considered part of his life's

work. He is at rest from his labor but

his works will follow him. The entire

community joins in expressing sym-

pathy for the widow and all the mem-

bers of the family in their very sudden

The Bride's Surprise

Halifax Echo: A rather startling occurence took place not long since on a train which runs out of Halifax. On board was a rather swarthy looking soldier boy with his wife—a French girl possibly from "over there." On reaching a certain station the young man was efficient, and after returning the greeting he turned to his

but by a typical African, and after the fourning the greeting he turned to his bride and introduced him as his father. The look of startled bewilderment which went over the young woment which went over the young wo

man's face was most intense.

and sad bereavement.

of the house.

tion of the orders of the day.

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The Opposition Leader Declares That He is in Full Accord With the Tariff Policy of Sir Wilfrid Laurier — Would Encourage Industries and Develop Natural Resources of the Country —Discrimination Against St. John.

Ottawa, June 16-In the house this 5,000 as at present. The bill was read fternoon J. H. Sinclair, Guysboro, a first time. called the attention of the government | Mr. Burnham asked if it was a fact to the fact that the American Ship- that returned soldiers who have been ping Board has fixed a rate on raw su- given their old positions at the Trent gar from the north side of Cuba to Canal at Peterboro were paid less than New York at 381/2 cents per hundred- those in similar positions alongside weight and to Halifax and St. John at them. The answer of the government 81/2, a discrimination of twenty cents was in the negative. The Canadian National Railways to Mr. Wigmore asked what represen meet this have agreed to carry sugar tations, if any, had been made to the from Cuba for the Montreal refineries British government by the Canadian for the 381/2 cent rate, while Halifax government respecting the return to and St. John have to pay 581/2. Mr. the Sydney-St. Lawrence route of the Sinclair asked if the government was coal ships Rose Castle, Lord Strathaking any action in connection with cona, Daghild, Wabana and Kamourthe New York Shipping Board decid- aska. ing the rates at Candian ports, and if Mr. Ballantyne—"The high commis-the government means to use govern-sioner for Canada in London was rement ships for the benefit of Montreal quested by cable to urge upon the refiners to the injury of competitors ministry of shipping in the stronges n Halifax and St. John.

### Favors Laurier Policy

That he is in favor of the tariff polcy advocated by Sir Wilfrid Laurier made through the secretary for the was a statement made by D. D. Mac- colonies asking for the return of the Kenzie, opposition leader, in continu- Kamouraska, it is understood that ing the debate on the budget in the none of the vessels have been recommons today. He further put him- turned." self on record as being in entire accord with the principles of the Liberal party on the tariff questions and regarding the strikes at Winnipeg explained that in a recent speech in were conflicting and he asked if the which he made a reference to the government could give any definite tariff which has been the subject of information. mach comment he had used the word | The premier replied that at the mo-'protection" when he should have ment he could not say any more than aid "bounty."

Wants Industries Encouraged He was in favor he said of encour- cating the steps that had been taken aging industries which developed the by him. Apparently matters were natural resources of the country by progressing in a satisfactory way. bounty or otherwise.

Mr. McKenzie said he stood by the McMaster amendment both in its pres- lease the seven sailors who were beent form, and in the more specific form ing kept in jail at alHifax. The speakin which it was moved earlier in the session. The amendment expressed in purely a local matter and not a quesa compact way, he said the attitude; of the Liberal party at present. Mr. MacKenzie criticized the government in connecton wth expendtures, the cost of lvng and labor troubles. He once more expressed the opinion that a court should be established to deal with labor troubles.

Major W. D. Cowan, Regina, who receded Mr. MacKenzie said he would oppose the amendment because demands of the western members had APPRECIATION OF made tariff changes that will save the people \$17,000,000 per annum.

John Harold of Brant, in opposing he amendment, predicted that Canadian makers of agricultural implements would be driven out of the field by American competitors if they do not receive some encouragement.

Mr. Kennedy, Liberal member for North Essex, did not mention the tariff, but criticized the government gathering ever witnessed in Stanley. for its method of handling war loans.

Some Questions Asked

Major-General Mewburn, in the braced the opportunity of being preshouse this afternoon, introduced the ent, to give expression to esteem and bill to amend the militia act as to love for one whose main ambition of provide for a permanent force in Canada or not exceeding 10,000 instead of The blow which has struck this vil-

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