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NEW IMMIGRATION BILL INTRODUCED AT OTTAWA

Immigrants Unable to Read will be Excluded From the Country—A Literary Test will be Set Up—Responsibility of Transportation Companies—Report of the Civil Service Commission Before Parliament—Daylight Saving.

Ottawa, April 7.—The government immigration bill was introduced into the house of commons today by Hon. J. Calder. The bill extends the restrictions on immigration now in force. It extends the time during which immigrants may be deported from three to five years.

Prohibited clauses are also extended under the bill. Those mentally or physically unfit will be excluded also people unable to read. Persons who believed in the overthrow of constitutional government or alien enemies who have been interned or deported from Canada or allied countries will be excluded.

The present law contains a provision defining the responsibility of transportation companies. "The term transportation company" is to be extended so as to include federal and provincial transportation facilities. Thus officials who may be in charge of government boats will be responsible for the carrying out of the law just as are officials of ordinary transportation companies.

The prohibited classes are extended under the bill. Those who for physical or mental reasons are not likely to be able to earn their own living will be excluded. A literary test will be set up and those unable to read will not be permitted entry. Persons will also be excluded who believe in the overthrow of legislative government by force or violence and enemy aliens who have been interned or deported from Canada or any Allied country.

Under the present law the government has power by order-in-council to prohibit certain persons from entering Canada. Government powers in this regard are extended.

Civil Service Commission
The tenth annual report of the Civil Service Commission tabled in the commons today, outlines the efforts of the commission to carry out civil service reform as promised by the prime minister in 1917 and as provided for by the Civil Service Act of 1918. After dealing with the patronage evil, which it says has been condemned by all royal commissions of investigation the report goes on to state that the first step towards the introduction of the merit system is a classification of positions on the basis of duties performed, employees doing like work receiving like pay.

Dealing with the reclassification of the service now in progress the report declares that the magnitude of this work cannot be realized without a knowledge of the conditions in all the ramifications of the civil service. Experts were secured and are working on the new scheme.

"The next grave responsibility of the commission, that of organization says the report "can never be finally discharged. It is necessary progressive and elastic."

This has been provided for by the creation of an organization branch, within the staff of the commission, in charge of classification, organization and special investigations. It adds that the legislation with regard to the placing of returned soldiers has been faithful.

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fully adhered to. In every case where a qualified soldier has been available he has been given the preference over other candidates.

The reports state that it was expected there would be violations of the law during the first few months that the new act was in force. Some confusion was inevitable and the violations in many cases unintentional. For this reason the commission feels justified in withholding particulars. With the 50,000 positions in the outside service suddenly transferred to the control of the commission, it was difficult to expand rapidly enough to meet the situation.

The commissioners in their report call attention to the "imperative necessity of a superannuation act."

In the house of commons, this afternoon, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux inquired if the government had come to any decision on the question of daylight saving. He said it had been stated that the railway commission having heard the pros and cons were now awaiting the action of the senate and if the senate was in favor of daylight saving the railway commission would be also.

Sir Thomas replied that he was not aware of any truth in the statement and he should doubt it very much. He said he had informed the house last week that after the decision of the railway commission had been given, the government would take such action as might be proper and might meet the views of the members.

A Kent County Case
A. T. Leger, of Kent (N. B.) brought to the attention of the government a case in Kent county where, he said, the military police had fired at a defaulter and had shot him in the leg. Mr. Leger asked if the military police had the right to fire at defaulters. General Mewburn said that so far as he was aware there were no military police arresting defaulters and they had not done so since the armistice was signed. He understood that the Dominion police had been making the arrests. The acting prime minister paid a tribute to the late Capt. Joseph Read, M. P. for Prince Edward Island who died on Sunday.

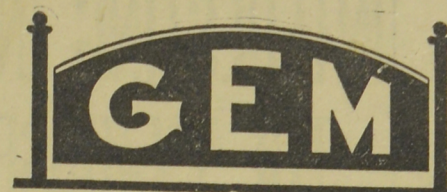
SALVAGE OF MEN AS WELL AS MATERIALS

New York Sun.

Unquestionable miracles have been wrought by surgeons during and since the war upon men who have had large pieces of their human tissues blown away; new noses, ears and jaws have been almost literally created by the cunning skill of these marvellous practitioners. The tale of these marvels lengthens daily.

As if to show that salvage in material as well as men should be striven for, and accomplished, one reads in the current news of an extraordinary bit of surgery done at the Robins dry dock in Brooklyn by the wedding of a complete new stern to the freighter Lord Dufferin, recently in collision with the transport Aquitania. Sixty feet of the hull had been cut away by the Aquitania's prow, but with oxy-acetylene torches a new part was added. The spectacular job was witnessed by a party of Japanese shipbuilders and engineers who have been visiting American shipyards.

At the same time word comes from Washington that a notable example of naval salvage is now on duty with the British fleet in H. M. S. Zubian, a composite ship, in which British shipbuilding skill is exemplified. The destroyer Nuban was run down and cut almost in half, and the after part of the ship, less than two-thirds of the original vessel, was brought into port. While work was in course of planning the destroyer Zulu, a sister ship, was also run down and about one-third of her stern chopped away. So these skillful sea surgeons stuck the two fragments of ship together and made an excellent job of it; and the composite destroyer was launched and commissioned as the Zubian.



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