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2 pkgs Corn Starch 25c
1 can Corn Syrup 25c
1 1/4 qts. Yellow Eye Beans 25c

HON. ROBERT MURRAY WILL BRING DOWN BUDGET THIS AFTERNOON

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Assembly Chamber,
March 23, 1920.

The House met at 3 o'clock.
HON. MR. MURRAY introduced a bill to amend the Provincial Loans Act, 1900. He explained that it was simply to authorize the issuing of debentures at a rate not exceeding 6 per cent, whereas the present Act stipulated that it should not exceed 5 per cent.

HON. MR. FOSTER introduced a bill to grant aid to the University of New Brunswick. He explained that the sum of \$5000 had been granted to the institution last session and it was proposed to grant a further sum making in all \$25,000.

HON. MR. FOSTER introduced a bill to provide an annuity to R. P. Steeves. He said that Mr. Steeves had served the Province for a period of forty years in connection with educational work, and it was proposed to recognize his long and faithful service by granting him an annuity.

HON. MR. FOSTER by command of the Lieutenant-Governor, laid on the table the report of the special committee appointed to enquire into the question of teacher's salaries.

HON. MR. BYRNE introduced a bill to amend the Juror's Act, 1919. In explanation he said that the law fixed the property qualifications of grand and petit jurors at \$600. Owing to the different systems of assessment in vogue in the different counties, it was felt by judges and other that the property qualification should be reduced. The bill fixed the amount at \$400, and it was his intention when it came before the committee to further reduce it to \$300.

HON. MR. BYRNE also introduced bills to amend the New Brunswick Election Act, to amend the Evidence Act and to amend the Children's Protection Act, 1919. In regard to the Election Act it was not provided that the revisors return the voters' lists to the Parish clerks. It was proposed under the amendment that a copy also be returned to the Provincial Secretary Treasurer. It was also proposed to have the Governor in Council pay a portion of the additional cost of revising made necessary by the enfranchisement of women. The proposed amendment to the Evidence Act would provide for the admission as evidence of the plans of a survey.

HON. MR. FOSTER moved that three hundred copies of the Journals be furnished for the use of the Legislature. He also moved that the time for the introduction of private bills be extended until Tuesday, March 30th. The House then went into committee with Mr. Leger (West) in the chair and took up further consideration of the bill to amend the Registry

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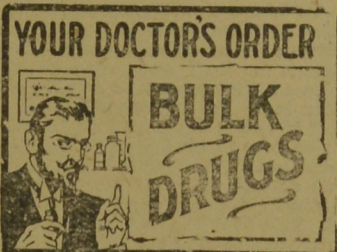
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Act. A number of sections were adopted and several were allowed to stand for further consideration.

HON. MR. BYRNE moved an amendment to Section 26 which had to do with the preparation and care of index books. The section as drafted provided that the Registrar after completion was to keep the books in proper condition without further compensation. Under the amendment he will be allowed such reasonable compensation as the Governor in Council may determine.

MR. MERSEREAU thought in view of the fact that Municipal Councils were called upon to pay for the cost of preparing index books they should be consulted as to who did the work.

HON. MR. BYRNE said that the present law provided that when index books became worn out and unsuitable the Governor in Council could order the preparation of new ones. That involved a lot of work for the Registrar and it was only fair and right that he should be compensated by the County for whose benefit the work was performed.

MR. TILLEY, on Section 27, wanted to know if the Provincial Secretary Treasurer had been giving attention to the duties which devolve upon him under the Registry Act. He understood that in some Counties the indexes required consolidation. He believed that it was more satisfactory to have the work done by order of the Governor in Council.

HON. MR. BYRNE said that he could assure the committee that the Hon. Provincial Secretary Treasurer was looking carefully after the administration of the Registry Act in the different Counties.

MR. BURCHILL on Section 29, enquired why the registration of titles in Counties where the land was situated was not made compulsory.

HON. MR. BYRNE said there was no object in having titles registered in another county, although the Act permitted it.

MR. TILLEY concurred in the view expressed by the Hon. Attorney General. He said there was nothing to prevent a man from registering a title in every county in the Province. Often in cases where lumber lands were transferred it was necessary to record the transfer in more than one County.

HON. MR. BYRNE in reply to Mr. TILLEY, said that in cases where it was shown that a will had been fraudulently procured the title of a transfer of lands would not be effected after the lapse of a period of three years. The Section dealing with the matter only applied to unprobated wills.

MR. CAMPBELL on Section 33, said that there had been disputed in St. John concerning the meaning of the word "deposit". He would suggest substituting the word "filing". In connection with Section 35 he said that letters of administration should be included under the provision. Such letters concern personal property and leases were so classed.

MR. SWEENEY suggested that the difficulty would be met by inserting the word "leasehold."

MR. TILLEY on the Section relating to the Highway Act asked the hon. minister of Public Works if provision was made for notifying property holders in the case of land being taken for a highway.

HON. MR. VENIOT said that notice was always given when the Crown did not own the property. There had been cases, however, when people did not know that the Crown owned the land.

MR. CAMPBELL speaking on Section 52 asked if any member of the late Legislative Council were still alive and was informed that there were several.

MR. TILLEY suggested that there be two sections to define separately the duties of the Justices of the Peace and Commissioners for taking affidavits in the matter of acknowledgment of the execution of any instrument.

MR. CAMPBELL said that in St. John it had been customary for corporations in discharging mortgages, merely to impress their seals and not produce proof. He did not approve of this for proof was necessary as in other transactions and disputes had arisen.

MR. TILLEY on Section 16, said he would like to have the opinion of his colleague on the matter of a married woman being able to transfer property in her own name, without examination as to threats, fear or compulsion on the part of her husband.

MR. CAMPBELL said that the provision was an ancient one and was inserted as a protection to married women.

MR. SWEENEY said that he was in receipt of letters offering strong objection to registrars and deputy registrars having anything to do with searches.

HON. MR. VENIOT said that it might be alright to exclude registrars and their deputies in places where there were plenty of lawyers.

MR. SWEENEY said that if the attempt was to be made to get along without lawyers, that might as well be stated.

MR. CAMPBELL speaking to the Section relating to the registrars' records of fees received stated that business at the St. John registry office was too great to permit of making a return by January 5th. He would 15th were made the date it would be impossible for the registrars to make returns for presentation at the meetings of the County Councils.

HON. MR. BYRNE said the point was well taken. The date should not be later than January 10th.

The Section was amended to that effect.

HON. MR. VENIOT on the Section relating to fees and emoluments of registrars said that the amount fixed

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