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A SERIOUS SITUATION

For almost the first time since Canada was rehabilitated in 1897 by the Fielding tariff and the wise administration of the Laurier government, Canada is now suffering owing to a serious business crisis, with consequent lack of employment. In Toronto it is stated that at a conservative estimate there are 15,000 men walking the city streets in search of employment, while this number is being considerably increased, no less than 2,500 men having lost their jobs between December 20th and the New Year. So serious has the situation become that the city council has had to take cognizance of it and Civic works are being arranged in the hope of furnishing employment for these men. There is a Homeric justice in the fact that Tory Toronto is one of the worst sufferers from Tory misgovernment.

At Winnipeg it is reported that between 3,000 and 5,000 men are out of work, while their number is being constantly increased.

At Regina, Saskatchewan, the position has become so acute that the unemployed have threatened violence in the hope of attracting attention to their misery. The police found it so difficult to cope with the situation that preparations were made to bring out the militia and put the city under martial law in case of emergency.

In Montreal every charitable institution is taxed beyond its limits, and at several points "bread lines" have been established with such effect that men whose only misfortune was that they had no work to do gathered at midnight to wait hours in the cold for their dole of bread and coffee.

From every part of Canada come reports of hard times, retrenchment and lack of employment. It is impossible not to contrast these conditions with those which prevailed during the fifteen years of Liberal administration and during the first year of the present Government.

It is impossible to argue that the methods of the present extravagant opportunist Government have nothing to do with this state of affairs, so disastrous to a young and prosperous country such as Canada. During the Laurier administration national expenditures were kept down within reasonable limits while proper care was taken to spend whatever money was necessary on national development and the tariff was judiciously revised in order to meet conditions as they arose. Prosperity was the natural result.

Under two years of Conservative Government the edifice of national prosperity raised during fifteen years of sane Liberal administration has been crumbled, taxes have been increased, expenditures have doubled and more than doubled. Extravagance and corruption have been in evidence on every hand and now the inevitable result has followed. Canada's credit abroad has suffered, her trade has fallen off, her debt has increased, the national income is falling and the financial stringency is such as will make the present winter memorable to many as the worst they have had to endure since 1896.

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Having moved the address in reply to the speech from the throne in Parliament Col. McLeod will probably follow precedent by crawling over the backyard fence into political oblivion.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has lost no time in calling the attention of the do-nothing Borden government to the depression prevailing in different parts of the country. He is anxious to know what Mr. Borden and his colleagues are going to do about it.

BORDEN GOVERNMENT

(Continued from page one.) business of the country until death would give them a majority in the Upper House. The government had demonstrated that it was a weak ministry quite incapable of attending to the affairs of the country.

HON. MR. WHITE.

Hon. Mr. White, in opening, drew attention to the fact that of the seven new members elected since last parliament six sit on the government side of the House. Mr. MacLean had accused the government of cowardice in regard to the naval question. Mr. White simply desired to say that if the naval bill of last session had been allowed to become law there would now be three powerful ships under construction and ready to take their place in the line of empire defense in 1916. The aid to have been granted under this bill would have been practical and effective and was so regarded in Canada and throughout the world. It would have helped materially to bring about the desired cessation of armaments.

Mr. White asked what was the use of reintroducing the measure. It would have met the same fate. "We do not propose to plow in the sand or winnow chaff. We have to wait the slow process of time and mortality." (Laughter.)

Mr. White announced that the estimates for the coming fiscal year were printed and would be introduced as soon as the debate was completed. He noted that the Liberals had challenged no item in the estimates passed last session.

WORLD'S NEWS

IN SHORT METRE

New York, Jan. 20—Delaware & Hudson strike settled last night.

John Skelton Williams confirmed as comptroller of currency by senate.

F. D. Underwood of Erie, now in Milwaukee, predicts that railroad business in coming year will be smaller than in 1913.

\$2,000,000 gold engaged for shipment for Europe.

Special valuation Canadian Pacific places total assets at \$845,000,000; railway property valued at \$452,820,000.

BISHOP BREWER

75 YEARS OLD

Helena, Mont., Jan. 20—Rt. Rev. Leigh R. Brewer, Episcopal bishop of Montana, reached his seventy-third birthday anniversary today. Bishop Brewer is a native of Vermont and a graduate of Hobart College and the General Theological Seminary. He was consecrated missionary bishop of Montana thirty-four years ago.

Mr. E. R. Machum of St. John, is stopping at the Queen.

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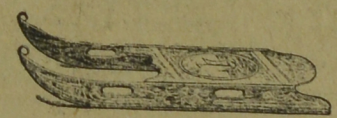
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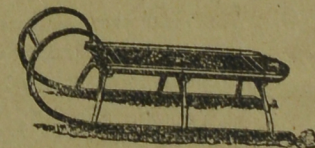
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