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TO CONSERVE CROWN LANDS OF PROVINCE

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favor of the farmer in the price of butter by keeping the market steady. Sussex, the chief town of this county, is one of the richest villages in Canada, and this money has been made by agriculture.

We have also endeavored to encourage the mining industry. We have purchased a diamond drill and also a calyx drill, and they have been in operation in various places. Although our progress has been slow in mining the difficulties of prospecting in New Brunswick must be taken into account. A forest-covered land does not easily disclose its mineral wealth. Recently we have reports of coal discovered in Gloucester county, and a drill will be sent there to ascertain the value of the seams. We propose to endeavor to assist in every way the mineral development of our province. We have given much attention to making the coal areas of Queens and Sunbury counties accessible and profitable and we are willing to stand or fall by that policy.

We have also assisted the city of St. John by grants for dry docks, wharves and an elevator. We have felt that this was due to the great commercial city of the province which is also a winter port. The dry dock has not yet been built, but I have the highest respect for the promoter of this enterprise and I sincerely hope it will succeed. He was worked for years most strenuously for this dry dock, and for the general interests of St. John and his name will be honored and remembered in connection with these works long after he has passed away.

The Game Laws.

We have protected the game of the province as no other government ever did and here I would like to warn members against taking their views of the game laws from the guides. These men are interested in removing restrictions because it would bring more money to them. They advocate beginning the open season on the first of September, an arrangement which would be very disastrous to our interests. One of them, Mr. Moore, a guide who comes to the meetings and speaks ex-cathedra, has admitted that he is a poacher and killed a beaver illegally. The government does not want advice from persons who are not disinterested. Some guides even went so far as to write letters to persons abroad, asking them to write condemning the laws. I maintain that every man who goes into the woods with a gun should have a license, so that our forest rangers may know who are in the woods, which they are guarding against fire.

The Highway Act.

We have also given our attention to the roads of the province and have passed a highway act, which is a great improvement on its predecessors. It is not true that I have said I will not amend this act. I do not claim that it is perfect and I think it may need amendments in the line of making better provision for winter roads. I am now speaking my own sentiments, but I have no doubt that the chief commissioner of public works will agree with me and that he will be prepared to make any amendments that are necessary.

We hear from time to time that the province is going back, but I deny this for our population is increasing and so is our wealth. There is a great contrast between our present conditions and that which we occupied thirty years ago. In that time we have progressed in regard to education, agriculture and thrift and our people are far more prosperous, yet this has been accomplished in spite of the failure of a great industry—shipbuilding—which gave employment to thousands in St. John, and on the North Shore, and stimulated every other industry.

Our people deserve a great deal of credit for having sought out new avenues of industry to balance this great loss. The population of our province is increasing and while our boys are drifting west we must remember that the tide ebbs as well as flows, and that most of them will come back to us. We need more people, but the people we need are men who will establish and work at new industries in our towns, for the time has gone by when people will take up a 100-acre lot of forest land and settle upon it.

Now, sir, we have great and varied advantages in this province. It is a good place to live in. Our climate is healthy, our children obtain a good education, we have good laws and we have freedom in the highest degree. We therefore should stand by our provinces and do our best to advance its interests, feeling confident that it will always be a not unworthy member of this Canada of ours.

The house took recess and resumed at 8 o'clock.

The Judicature Act.

Mr. Whitehead introduced a bill to amend the act incorporating the Fredericton Boom Company.

Dr. Pugsley introduced the judicature act. He said he would move to refer it to a special committee to be named by Mr. Speaker, which would hear the committee of the Barristers' Society and others interested. Copies would be sent to the judges and barristers. The fullest opportunity would be given for suggestions from all quarters.

The bill provides for the establishment of a supreme court of judicature with appeal and trial divisions, three judges in each division. The appeal judges will hear all appeals from other courts and other applications now heard by the full court.

The trial judges will hold circuits and will not sit in appeal except in exceptional cases.

We propose the chief justice shall assign one of the appeal judges to try all cases of the nature of chancery in equity cases.

Other sections provide for the continuance of the machinery of the courts. A very large portion of the bill is taken up by the rules which are largely copies of the English rules.

The bill abolishes the present supreme court and supreme court in equity and will necessitate the re-appointment of the judges to the new court. He had no doubt of the constitutional power of the legislature to enact this bill.

The bill was then read a first time.

J. K. Flemming.

Dr. Pugsley informed Mr. Flemming that the premier had been unavoidably detained and could not be present at the opening of his (Flemming's) speech but he would take his seat at as early a moment as possible.

Mr. Flemming said—In rising to make some observations with respect to the financial state of the province I feel that the duty is not an altogether pleasant one, as it would be more agreeable to me to take the public accounts and there find something good, cheerful and consoling than to act the part of the critic and expose rugged and disagreeable facts. I have listened with much pleasure to the speech of the Hon. Mr. Tweedie, a speech I regarded as above the average but, along with most members of the house, I was forcibly struck with the manner in which the premier passed over the question of the province's finances as if he felt he was treading on perilous ground.

I heartily agree with him as to the necessity of preserving the public domain and conserving the great wealth of our crown lands. This was a matter in which the government could rely on the fullest support of the members on the opposite side of the house.

While I propose dealing freely and somewhat fully with the financial situations, it is not my object to say the province of New Brunswick is bankrupt. It is not bankrupt because even the extravagance and misrule of the government cannot prevail against the increasing wealth of our crown lands and the general advance of the resources of the province. Nor is it my purpose to condemn the government for all its acts. I have no sympathy with the man who cannot see the smallest good in his opponent's policy and I trust that I will deal with each item as I take it up in an open and fair-minded spirit.

Last night as I listened to the premier's long explanation of the condition of the Central Railway and its financial entanglements I could not help recalling that last year we were told the road was in a good condition, one member assuring the house he could ride over it with as much ease and comfort as if he were traveling on the I. C. R. But last night we were shown by the report of the engineer appointed by the government to examine the road that it was studded with dangerous bridges and rotten trestles.

Dr. Pugsley—The statement that it was as good as the I. C. R. last year was confined to the section from Chipman to Minto.

Mr. Flemming—No. You referred to the section from Chipman to Norton. The fact that the premier told the engineer to go over the whole road and inspect it shows he had little or no confidence in the statements of his own supporters.

Last night the Hon. Mr. Tweedie said it was a most commendable thing for the government to seek to develop the mining resources of the province. That is a policy the opposition can heartily endorse but I ask the government to tell us how in taking over this road they had in any degree developed the coal wealth of Queens and Sunbury counties.

Mr. Flemming concluded a long speech with a plea for abolishing the tolls on the Hartland bridge.

Hon. Mr. Jones moved the adjournment of the debate, and the house adjourned at 9.45 p. m.

The corporations committee this morning recommended bills five and six, an act to further amend the act incorporating the Albert Manufacturing Company, and an act to confer certain privileges upon the Washington County Railway Company, which were not opposed from any quarter, to the favorable consideration of the house.

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BIG FIRE AT VANCEBORO

Exploding Lamp Starts Conflagration; Several Building Destroyed

Maine Central Station, Customs Storehouse and Car Repair Shops Burned—Blaze Reported to Have Started in Express Office.

A conaflgration raged in Vanceboro (Me.), on the border of New Brunswick last night. The telegraph offices suffered and little information could be obtained over the wires.

It was learned though, that the Maine Central station at Vanceboro has been destroyed, the United States customs storesouse has been burned, and the Maine Central car repair shops and freight sheds have also gone down before the attack of the flames.

At 1 o'clock this morning this was all the information to be obtained here relative to the extent of the fire, but a Bangor despatch sent by the Associated Press made it appear as if the fire was more widespread than indicated by the brief despatches that came through to St. John.

The fire is stated to have started at 10.30 p. m., in the office of one of the express companies and to have been caused by the explosion of a lamp, the flames early getting a strong hold. The wires east and west of the town were apparently badly affected, for the news came in meagre form and efforts to get connection with the town were unavailing.

The C. P. R. sent out a locomotive from McAdam to look into the condition of the rails.

The Bangor Associated Press despatch says:

Bangor, Me., Feb. 20—Reports reached here tonight that the town of Vanceboro, on the boundary line of Maine and New Brunswick, was being devasted by fire. All communication by wire was cut off at 9.30 o'clock, at which hour the operator of the Maine Central Railroad at Vanceboro notified the operator here that the station building was on fire. All the wires were apparently burned out immediately afterwards.

Later.

About 3.30 o'clock this morning it was learned from the telephone operator at Vanceboro, who had come into McAdam on the engine, that the buildings destroyed were the station, in which was the United States customs house, Dominion and Canadian express offices and the restaurant, and the freight shed. The fire had burned out when the engine left Vanceboro.

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ASSISTANT PRIEST FOR MISSION CHURCH TO BE ENGAGED

Work Too Much for One, and Annual Meeting Decides for Assistant to Rev. P. Owen Jones.

At the annual meeting of the Mission church of S. John Baptist held last evening, it was decided to engage the services of an assistant priest, for the duties of the present priest in charge, Rev. P. Owen Jones, are so numerous that it is felt an assistant is an absolute necessity.

Every Sunday there are from three to four church services, and at least one meeting every week day. The members of the congregation reside in various sections of the city, and where the homes are so scattered the duty of making regular calls becomes difficult.

It is not known yet who the assistant will be, but it is expected that as soon as the matter of funds is looked into, immediate steps will be taken.

The report of the treasurer, H. B. Schofield, was submitted as follows:—

The receipts for 1905 from offertories and pledges have been $2,861.32. The total donations to mission work have been $365.23. A saving has been effected in the fuel account. The sum of $245 more than last year has also been necessary for repairs. We have again to thank St. Monica's Guild for their assistance. They donated $50 to the general fund.

The following members of the finance committee were elected: C. H. Lee, Fred. A. Jones, M. V. Paddock, J. P. Morrison, H. W. Schofield, A. G. Boyne, Edward Wilson.

Votes of thanks to the sacristans, acolytes and choir were passed.

M. B. Jonah, of Sussex, was registered at the Dufferin yesterday.



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HONOR MEMORY OF MISS WILLARD

Memorial Service by Local W. C. T. U., Held Yesterday

The 17th of February was the anniversary of the death of Frances E. Willard, founder of the W. C. T. U., and, according to custom, the local W. C. T. U. held a memorial service. This took place yesterday afternoon in their hall, Germain street, and was well attended by members and visitors. Mrs. J. Seymour was in charge and the exercises, besides being devotional, included strong pleas by Mrs. J. H. Grey, provincial president, for the extension of the work of the union in America, and Mrs. T. H. Bullock in behalf of the new paper of the organization, the White Ribbon Bulletin.

A paper dealing with the work of Miss Willard was read by Mrs. W. W. Turnbull. She said:

"Since being asked to write a paper on the life and work of Miss Willard, I have wondered if with so much written on this subject there has been anything left unsaid. With Anna Gordon's beautiful life of Frances E. Willard, most of our women are familiar. That she was a born leader among women has been fully admitted. She not only led, she spoke, says one, 'not only for the cause of temperance and purity. She stood for whatever was just and right in every cause.' Miss Willard had great faith in the coming woman. In one of her addresses she said: 'E're long the Christian womanhood of our country will come to church and state asking for the highest good of each; woman's full power of speech and legislation will be given in both.'

"Those prophetic words have been partially realized. She lived to see woman in the pulpit and in the medical and legal professions. No woman need feel discouraged by the recent decision of the courts of New Brunswick in the case of Miss French. Women are coming to the front ranks. Every good woman will come to her inheritance in God's good time. Miss Willard's advice was ever, 'Be womanly first; after that what you will.' Much of her own attractiveness was due to her sweet womanliness.

"At the time of her death I was spending the winter in Ashville (N.C.), and was invited to a memorial service held for her the week following. The speakers were mostly young clergymen who had met her there, and for the first time listened to a woman speaker. 'We went,' said one, 'from sheer curiosity and for some fun, but we came away with very different views. We could not resist her womanly pleadings for the life of purity. Many of us took the pledge for temperance and as she expressed it the white life for two. We went mainly for diversion, thank God it ended in conversion.'

"Each speaker bore testimony to her sweet womanliness, her eloquence, and her devotion to the cause that she had adopted as her life work. That no other leader can fill the place of Frances E. Willard is my firm belief. She has been called the uncrowned Queen of America, and is the only woman with a statue erected to her memory in Washington at the cost of her native state, Ohio, and sculptured by a woman. So long as there exists a Woman's Christian Temperance Union, so long will the name of Frances E. Willard be honored and revered."

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R. L. BORDEN AT HALIFAX, PREDICTS LONG SESSION

Halifax, Feb. 20—(Special)—R. L. Borden, M. P., is in Halifax on a visit for personal business and will return Wednesday afternoon by the Maritime express for Ottawa.

"The tariff will be the principal question to come before parliament," said Mr. Borden, in conversation with your correspondent. "I have not any information," he went on to say, "but no doubt the government will have other legislation to bring forward. Probably there will be enough work in sight to keep parliament busy till September, which means a session of five and a half months. The last session lasted nearly six and a half."

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Mr. Cullen says, "As everyone knows, I have been simply tortured for years with Muscular Rheumatism, not the ordinary kind that bothers most people, but the one that ties one up so that they can't move.

"For six years I hobbled about like a cripple, unable to move without crutches and canes. I used quantities of medicines, special baths and so forth, but they didn't help me very much.

"On the advice of a Presbyterian minister, I used Ferrozone, gave it a good trial at first and when I saw it was helping, I bought six boxes and took one tablet at the close of each meal. I am perfectly cured and am today as spry as a youngster of ten. I am convinced that my recovery is entirely due to the marvellous action of Ferrozone."

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The Hibernian Knights, at a meeting last evening, decided to give the members of the ladies' auxiliary of Division No. 1 A. O. H. a sleigh drive next Monday evening. After the drive there will be a social hour enjoyed in the rooms of the division.

February 21, '06.

A GREAT REMOVAL SALE

Of Men and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings

On or about March 10th next, we purpose moving our stock from our Branch Store, 703 Main Street, to the store No. 695-7 Main Street, being the store formerly occupied by B. Myers, and just recently vacated by S. Romanoff.

This change of location is brought about by the increasing trade necessitating the need of larger quarters, so that the business can be more conveniently attended to,—and this in less than two years' time.

We opened this Branch Store for business on Saturday, May 21, 1904, and in our announcement at that time said: "We hope by giving the same business treatment at this Branch Store, as we have always done at the King Street Store, that it may in time rival the parent in volume of business done,"—and the fact of being compelled to seek larger quarters in less than two years should be sufficient evidence that our methods have won.

We want as little stock on hand as possible at moving time, and to that end we will hold a ***Grand Removal Sale, Beginning Saturday, February 24th.***

To get the stock marked and ready for sale the store will be closed all day Thursday and Friday, February 22 and 23.

Don't forget the time and place — ***Oak Hall Branch, Saturday, February 24th.***

Watch the daily papers from now on for particulars as to price reductions; they will prove so interesting to you that you will gladly come and help move the stock for us at the prices.

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Natural History Society.

The fourth lecture in the elementary course in the Natural History rooms was given last night by A. Gordon Leavitt. His subject was Bird Life Illustrated. There was a very large audience present and they gave the lecturer the closest attention from beginning to end.

Mr. Leavitt first spoke of the place occupied by birds in the animal kingdom. Structure was the next point touched on. The lecturer went very fully into this part of his subject, illustrating his remarks with specimens of the loon, blue heron, ducks, woodcock, hawks, grouse, owls and sparrows. The last part of Mr. Leavitt's lecture dealt with the foods and nesting habits of the different birds.

Mrs. G. F. Mathew will read a paper on Scenes from the Life of Professor Huxley in the ladies' association course on Thursday afternoon.

The next lectures in the elementary course will be by C. F. B. Rowe on Fishes, Batrachians and Reptiles, on the 28th inst. and March 13.

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Hyman Buys Ottawa Residence

Ottawa, Feb. 20—(Special)—Hon. C. S. Hyman is reported to have purchased the residence on Cartier street at present occupied by J. R. Booth, for $13,500. It is said that Mr. Hyman will remodel the present structure.

H. R. Bristol, of St. Martins, was registered at the Royal yesterday.

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