

19 BILLS RECEIVED OFFICIAL APPROVAL

Legislature is Adjourned Till the 22nd of January—Ministers Sworn Into New Offices—Much Work is Done at Two Sitings Yesterday.

MINISTERS FOR THE NEW DEPARTMENTS

After the Legislature adjourned last night the members of the government proceeded to the office of the Lieutenant Governor...

After the most strenuous day of a busy week in the Legislature...

Gov. Bulyea came down to the house at ten o'clock last night and assented to sixteen of the sixty-three bills that have been submitted for consideration...

Unlike several of the previous days the proceedings were broken by some interchanges of wit between various members...

An Exchange of Shots

An exchange of shots between J. R. Boyle and T. M. Tweedie formed one of the uninteresting features of the afternoon session...

Cut Throat Legislature

Showing considerable heat the junior member for Calgary arose. "I want to know," he thundered...

Mr. Hoye, however, did not forget the treatment that his bill had been accorded and when the Calgary charter amendments came up later in the day, showed himself one of the most active critics of that measure.

Medical Profession Act

When the bill to amend the Medical Profession Act was before the house, C. M. O'Brien gave some variety to the proceedings by a lengthy speech from the socialist viewpoint...

Feel 500 Feet Down Mine Shaft

Obalt, Dec. 21—J. Graham, deck man at the Silver Leaf shaft on the Crown Reserve mine, fell five hundred feet down the shaft this morning and was killed...

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TWO NEW DEPUTY MINISTERS NAMED

The appointment of deputy ministers for the newly established departments of the provincial government were made by the Lieutenant Governor in council today...

An act respecting speed and operation of motor vehicles.

An act to amend the Alberta Pacific Railway company act.

An act to amend the laws of Wainwright.

TO INVESTIGATE THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS

Borden Cabinet Passes Order in Council Providing Inquiry—Based on Report Made by Premier—Enquiry to Go Back as Far as Commissioner May Decide.

Ottawa, Dec. 21—The order in council appointing the new investigation committee to investigate the various departments of the government was signed today by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught.

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FRIENDSHIP TO U.S. France Takes Another Opportunity to Show Amicable Relations to American People.

Paris, Dec. 21—France is arranging another imposing testimonial of her friendship for the United States. Tomorrow a public subscription is to be taken to purchase a bronze bust of "La France" by H. Rodin, which will be placed at the base of the monument to be dedicated next June to Samuel De Champlain, the explorer and discoverer of the lake that bears his name.

Like the gift from the people of France of Bartholdi's "Statue of Liberty" the presentation of "La France" which is the figure of a woman, marks historically another epoch in the relation of fraternity between France and the United States.

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SALARY INCREASES FOR CITY TEACHERS

New schedule Drawn Up by Committee of School Board—Increases Range From 10 to 12 Per Cent.—Officials of School Board Will Also Get Bigger Salaries.

(From Friday's Daily)

Teachers in the high schools and public schools of Edmonton were granted very substantial increases in salaries at last night's meeting of the school board.

THE EMPEROR MUST ABDICATE AT ONCE

Establishment of Chinese Republic Only Will Stop Bloodshed—This Only Will Satisfy People—Peking Not Aware of Depth of Popular Feeling.

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REPORTING ON RESIGNATIONS AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE OF TEACHERS THIS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE RESIGNATION OF E. BUTTERWORTH SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC; THE RESIGNATION OF MISS GRACE STRONG AND MISS MULLINE; THAT MISS FLORENCE WALKER BE GIVEN LEAVE OF ABSENCE FROM JAN. 1 TO JUNE 30, 1912; AND THAT E. DRAHER BE GIVEN LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR THE SCHOOL WEEK, DEC. 18 TO 22.

ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT REPORTS SUBMITTED WAS THAT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS WHICH REPORTED THE PLACING OF A TOTAL \$100,000 INSURANCE ON THE BOLLERS IN THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS. THIS SUM IS DIVIDED INTO \$20,000 ON EACH OF MCKAY, ALEX. TAYLOR, NORWOOD, OLIVER AND THE HIGH SCHOOL. THE PREMIUM ON THE THREE-YEAR POLICY FOR THIS INSURANCE IS ONE-HALF OF ONE PER CENT. AND CONSEQUENTLY AMOUNTS TO \$500. THE INSURANCE HAS BEEN PLACED WITH THE BOLIVIA INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.

THE TRUANT OFFICER REPORTED THE INVESTIGATION OF 141 CASES OF ALLEGED truancy during the month of November. OF THESE 131 WERE FOR THE SEPARATE SCHOOL AND 110 FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS. ONLY FOURTEEN OF THIS NUMBER APPEARED TO BE TRUANTS WITHOUT JUST CAUSE.

SUPR. McCAIG REPORTED A TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF 3047 IN EDMONTON SCHOOLS. THIS IS AN INCREASE OVER THE FACT THAT THIRTY PUPILS ATTENDED THE FACT THAT THIRTY PUPILS ATTENDED THE NIGHT SCHOOL, FOUR GIRLS AND TWENTY-SIX BOYS.

MEDICAL INSPECTOR DR. DUNK REPORTED 228 EXAMINATIONS MADE DURING THE MONTH AT QUEST'S, MCKAY, SASKATCHEWAN AND ALEX. TAYLOR SCHOOLS. OF THESE 228 WERE INSPECTED FOR THE TIME OF WHICH 105 WERE DEFECTIVE; 208 WERE PUPILS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AND OF THESE 201 WERE STILL DEFECTIVE UNDER 107 CASES THE DEFECTS HAD BEEN REMEDIED.

W. BARNETT WAS RECOMMENDED TO THE POSITION OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC AT THE HIGH SCHOOL. HIS SALARY WAS \$1400. THIS RECOMMENDATION WAS EMBODIED IN THE REPORT OF THE SCHOOL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE.

AVIATOR MADE FLIGHT OF MORE THAN 130 MILES

Harry N. Atwood Claims New Record—Says That Distance Covered is 15 Miles Farther Than Ever Made by Micheline of That Type.

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Dec. 21—A flight of more than 130 miles in a hydro-aeroplane was completed yesterday by Harry N. Atwood, the Boston aviator, who left Point of Pines, near Lynn, Mass., at 10:55, alighted easily on the waters of Narragansett Bay near the Edge-wood Yacht Club of this city at 1:40 p.m.

ATWOOD CLAIMS HIS FLIGHT TODAY EXCEEDS BY 15 MILES THE BEST PREVIOUS RECORD IN A MACHINE OF THE STYLE IN WHICH HE FLEW.

AFTER LEAVING POINT OF PINES THIS FORENOON, ATWOOD HEADED ACROSS BOSTON HARBOR, FLEW OVER HINGHAM AND REACHED THE MASSACHUSETTS SOUTH SHORE, SKIRTING ALONG THE SIDE OF CAPE COD CANAL AND THEN CROSSED OVER BUZZARD'S BAY.

MANY INJURED IN ACCIDENT

Fort William, Dec. 21—Seven men are in the hospital with injuries from bruises and broken limbs coming to the collapse of a big trestle on the C.P.R. new coal dock in the course of construction on island No. 2, about four o'clock this afternoon. The trestle was a live in temporary shacks at the work. When the timbers gave way, seven of the men were thrown 10 feet to the ground and some of them were injured. The others were all foreigners.

RUSSIANS SEIZE LINES.

London, Dec. 21—A Teheran despatch to the Times says that the Russians have seized the telegraph lines at Merhand and Khol, in the province of Azerbaijan, Northern Persia, and Austria, on the Caspian Sea.

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BANK MERGER HAS BEEN AGREED UPON

Canada Bank of Commerce and Eastern Townships Bank—Will Form Much Stronger Bank—Townships Established in Quebec, Commerce in Rest of Canada.

Montreal, Dec. 21—The directors of the Eastern Townships Bank at a meeting held in Montreal today, decided to enter into an agreement with the Canadian Bank of Commerce, by which the interests of the two banks will be merged.

SUBSEQUENT TO RATIFICATION BY THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK, THIS WILL MEAN THE CONSOLIDATION OF THE LARGEST BANK MERGER THAT HAS TAKEN PLACE IN CANADA.

THE BASIS OF THE UNION IS AN EXCHANGE OF SHARES, NAMELY TWO SHARES OF BANK OF COMMERCE STOCK FOR ONE SHARE OF EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK STOCK.

THE NUMBER OF BRANCHES ALREADY IN EXISTENCE WILL BE OVER 300 WITH DIRECT REPRESENTATION IN LONDON, ENGLAND, NEW YORK, AND SAN FRANCISCO AND MEXICO CITY. ANOTHER FAVORABLE SITUATION TO THE FULLY DIRECTED BANK IS THAT THE UNION WILL PREVENT THE DUPLICATION OF BRANCHES, INASMUCH AS THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK IS STRONGLY ENDED IN QUEBEC PROVINCE, WHILE THE BANK OF COMMERCE THOROUGHLY COVERS THE MARITIME PROVINCES AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.