

TUBERCULOSIS—PREVENTION OF—*Con.*

Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid (Prime Minister)
—*Con.*

9522. Mr. Perley will have gained his point in having the report adopted, can deal with matter next session—9523.

Perley, G. H. (Argenteuil)—9522.

Moves adoption of the report, with the exception of clause No. 7—9522.

Sproule, T. S. (East Grey)—9523.

If the report were sent back it could be amended so as to secure its adoption—9523.

UNITED STATES TARIFF, DRAWBACKS ON RAW MATERIALS IN.

On motion the House go into Committee of Supply, Mr. W. F. Maclean draws the attention of the government to an economic revolution which has taken place in the United States—746.

Maclean, W. F. (South York)—746.

Quotes New York 'Tribune' of Sunday, Feb. 4. Reads speech delivered by Mr. McKinley in 1890—746. This drawback of 99 per cent is to go into effect immediately. Quotes Secretary Shaw—747. Quotes 'Tribune.' The trend of opinion in the United States is all in the direction of taking away from Canada the export market that we now have for hard wheat—748. Mr. Meighen was in favour of an export duty on Canadian wheat. Am ready to declare myself in favour of an export duty on wheat going out of this country to be ground in the United States—749. The principle of an export duty is not confined to wheat, it touches upon and concerns a large number of other articles—750. We ought to keep our own markets for our own manufacturers, and our own work for our own work people—751. Would put an export duty on wheat that goes over to old country. The manufacturers of the United States have brought about a revolution in trade matters that is of vital interest to Canadians—752.

Perley, G. H. (Argenteuil)—752.

What the province of Ontario did was to put into its regulations that saw-logs cut on Crown domain must be manufactured in the province of Ontario—753.

VACANCY IN LEVIS.

Attention called to existing vacancy—6474.

Speaker, Mr.—6474.

I have received a notification that a vacancy has occurred in the representation of the electoral district of Lévis—6474.

VACANCY IN THE CABINET.

Inquiry as to the filling of the vacant portfolio for the Northwest—3252, 3562, 3650, 4085.

VACANCY IN THE CABINET—*Con.*

Borden, R. L. (Carleton, Ont.)—3362.

Laurier promised information as to filling the portfolio of the Interior—3362. Asks as to the appointment of the Minister of the Interior—4085-6.

Foster, Hon. Geo. E. (North Toronto)—3450.

In reference to the filling of the vacant portfolio of the Minister of the Interior—3450.

Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid (Prime Minister)
—3252.

That does not occur here—3252.

Not to-day. Some time, if not to-morrow—3362.

No information to give Foster to-day—3450. I have no information to give to-day—4086.

Sproule, T. S. (East Grey)—3252.

Asks as to filling of the position for the Northwest in the cabinet—3252.

VACANCY IN THE CABINET.

Motion to adjourn the House, to cover remarks on the vacancy in the cabinet—Maclean, W. F.—5471.

Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid (Prime Minister)
—5474.

In his estimation Maclean's remarks are in exceedingly bad taste—5474.

Maclean, W. F. (South York)—5471.

Important Bill such as autonomy should not be considered with incomplete cabinet—5471. The government must under these circumstances justify their policy in the constituencies—5472. 'Let us have it out in Ontario and let us have it out now'—5473. Moves that the House do now adjourn—5474.

VACANCY IN CENTRE TORONTO.

Attention formally called to death of E. F. Clarke—2777, 2841, 3251, 3362.

Foster, Hon. Geo. E. (North Toronto)—2777.

Calls attention formally to death of Mr. E. F. Clarke—2777. Have any steps been taken to give effect to the Speaker's writ for Centre Toronto?—3251.

Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid (Prime Minister)
—3257.

Will be able to give a more definite answer to-morrow—3251. Believes the last lists may be used—3252. Writ for Centre Toronto has been issued, nomination on Tuesday, 11th of April—3362.

Osler, E. B. (West Toronto)—3251.

Did he understand that a new list must be prepared—3251. Understands that is not the course pursued as a rule—3252.

Speaker, Mr.—2841.

I have issued my warrant to make out a new writ of election for Centre Toronto—2841.