

## COCKSHUTT'S AMENDMENT

TO THE ADDRESS WAS DEFEATED BY A VOTE OF 95 TO 56.

Mr. Monk Wants Answer—Protests Against Finance Minister's Delay—Mr. Fielding Only Asked for a Few Hours—Tributes to the Late Member for Stanstead.

Ottawa, Dec. 5.—A beautiful wreath on the draped desk of Mr. Lovell, member for Stanstead, was solemn evidence in the chamber to-day that death had again invaded the Liberal ranks. The tributes of the Prime Minister and leader of the Opposition to the departed member were simple but feeling, and fittingly expressed the high regard in which Mr. Lovell was held by members on both sides of the House. The unusually large attendance in the early part of the session indicated that a division was at hand, and just before the 6 o'clock adjournment a vote was taken on Mr. Cockshutt's amendment, which was defeated by 95 to 56. Some comment was caused by the fact that Mr. Cockshutt was not in his seat when the division was taken, but inquiry elicited the information that the member for Brant had paired with a member of the Government. After the vote the discussion on the address was resumed by Dr. Barr, who put in a plea for an export duty on pulpwood, and a few other speakers.

Replying to Mr. Foster, Mr. Fielding stated that the total cost of the Royal Commission on Insurance was \$85,842. Judge MacFarish had received \$4,450 and \$947 for transportation and living expenses. Mr. Kent \$4,290 and \$1,087. Mr. Langmuir \$4,470 and \$708. Mr. Shepley \$25,000 and Mr. Tilley \$12,300.

Mr. Monk asked what was the total amount of the temporary loans of the Government at present, and from what banks had temporary loans been made by the Government since July 1.

Mr. Fielding said the information requested had not yet reached his hands, but he would give the answer later in the day.

Mr. Pugsley stated, in reply to Mr. Verville, that the labor of convicts in no public institution under the control of the Government was let out by contract.

The debate on the address was resumed by Mr. Lewis (West Huron), who urged the desirability of certain amendments to the criminal code. He called attention to the frequent use of the knife by foreign immigrants, and suggested that every foreigner coming to Canada should be searched and the knives taken from them. He also advocated more severe penalties for offenses against women and children, and contended that punishment should be prescribed for negligent shooting and for railway servants whose carelessness led to accidents. Touching on the question of the financial stringency, he administered a rebuke to Mr. Cockshutt, stating that he had no sympathy with the cry of hard times. While there is a little stringency in money, he said, there were no hard times where he came from. Canadian banks destroyed credit for the way they had stood up against the panic in the United States, but he thought the time had come when they should call in some of their capital. After a complaint regarding the shortage of cars for transportation, Mr. Lewis commented upon the inroads made upon Canadian pulpwood by American paper manufacturers. He declared that seven million dollars had been lost to the lumbermen of Canada by pulpwood being taken out of the country, and strongly urged upon the Government the necessity of imposing an export duty on that material. The importation of undesirable immigrants was next referred to, and Mr. Lewis contended that the time had arrived when assisted immigration should cease. He gave notice of his intention to propose a resolution that at the next general election a referendum be taken as to whether the Senate should be abolished or elected by the provinces.

Mr. Chisholm (Huron) frankly stated at the outset that as a medical man he would be impossible for him to say that he was not in favor of meat inspection. He then devoted some time to the French treaty, saying that it had been made by members of the Canadian Government, which must bear the responsibility for its bad points, instead of, as in the past, being able to blame the old country diplomats for them.

Mr. Roche (Halifax) paid some attention to the pessimistic predictions made by Mr. Cockshutt the other day. The hon. gentleman, he said, had all the frenzy of a prophet without one atom of a prophet's inspiration. He ridiculed the arguments of the member from Brantford relative to larger importations over exports, expressed confidence in the institutions of the country, and regarded the hon. gentleman's moving of an amendment to the address, especially one so lugubrious and misleading, as a piece of impertinence to the King.

The House then divided on Mr. Cockshutt's amendment, which was defeated by 95 to 56. Messrs. Laverne, Robitaille and Verville, the independents, voted with the Government.

Dr. Barr caused much amusement by his criticism of the French treaty. He warned the Finance Minister that the country would be ruined, morally and physically, by the reduction of the duties on alcoholic and impure wines, and hundreds of thousands of people would be sent to inebriate asylums.

Mr. Lator made a general attack upon the Government and its policy, and made specific uncomplimentary allusions to Hon. Wm. Pugsley and Hon. George F. Gahan.

Mr. Elson spoke at some length in favor of free rural mail delivery, and pleaded for a non-partisan Senate. He called the attention of the Government to the dangers of level crossings, and declared that the only remedy was to build bridges over the only level.

The House adjourned at 11 o'clock.

**ZULU CHIEF UP TO DATE**

Wants to Know Why Cape Colony is Making Warlike Preparations.

Cape Town, Dec. 5.—Chief Dinuzulu, who is credited with planning the general rising of the Zulus against the British, has telegraphed to the Government of Natal expressing surprise at the military preparations that are being made by that colony.

He asks why, if the Government thinks he is responsible for the murders committed during the rising, last year, he is not put on his trial and, if found guilty, punished.

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MRS. PATRICK CAMPBELL

In one of the famous costumes worn in "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" and valued at \$15,000

To the gentle sex the coming of Mrs. Patrick Campbell to this city means something more than the performance of a modern dramatic masterpiece by the foremost English actress of the day. It means a study of the best word, as the French put it, or more correctly, perhaps, of the word yet to be spoken in the world of fashion and dress.

Mrs. Campbell is known in court circles and in the ultra-fashionable salons of London as the best dressed woman in England, as a designer of styles in which even the Paris creators are often followers and as an artist who brings beauty, taste and appropriateness together as few have ever done in the art loved by all woman-kind.

Whether on the stage or off, Mrs. Campbell's gowns reflect either the social function which she is attending. They even can be said to mirror her moods. Her tall svel figure with its graceful Bourne-Jones lines, lends itself to the draperies of which she is so fond. Many of Mrs. Campbell's stage gowns show a fondness for clinging scarfs of more or less diaphanous material. Her hats are invariably picturesque parts of the total designs.

It is perhaps superfluous to add that Mrs. Campbell owns a splendid collection of jewels in various artistic settings. It is a notable fact, however, that the English actress never wears anything on the stage for the purpose of displays and uses her notable string of great pearls, her diamond star and dazzling rings only when they become a part of the costume, which the character demands.

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### ASKS DAMAGES.

CLERGYMAN CARRIED SCANDAL, BUT WITHOUT MALICE.

Warton Divine Says His Duty Led Him to Denounce Fellow Clergyman's Wife.

Toronto, Dec. 6.—Upon a motion to have the plaintiff give security for costs in the libel suit of Mary Elizabeth Danard, wife of a Methodist minister of Oshawa, Ont., against Thomas Moore, of the same place, the affidavit of the defendant was filed at Osgoode Hall, Ont. Danard seeks \$2,000 damages for alleged defamation of character by Moore, who, it is claimed, told Rev. Rogers, of St. John's Bay, and Rev. William Smythe, of Warton, of rumors coupling Mrs. Danard's name with others in an impure way.

The defendant urges in justification that the communications were privileged between himself and Rev. Gordon, because he, as a member of the local Epworth Society of the church, was in duty bound to make report of the rumors to Rev. Gordon, who was in charge of the society. This he did, he said, privately, and at the request of a majority of the members of the society, he says that he took the opportunity afforded by his being with Rev. Rogers at a series of revival meetings to make the communication.

Later, he says, Rev. Smythe, as chairman of the Warton district of the society, asked him, as quarter board representative, about the trouble. He then repeated the rumors to Rev. Smythe without malice, but because it was his duty to tell him what he knew under the discipline of the Methodist Church. Other statements complained of the defendant denies having made.

The repetition of the rumors was taken advantage of by members of the society, who sought to have Rev. Danard desert from the conduct of Danard evening meetings in the Oshawa Methodist Church.

The cause of action arose November, 1906. The defendant says that the plaintiff has not sufficient money to pay costs, if judgment should go against her.

**CANTORIA.** Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

The laymen of the Toronto Baptist Churches agreed to raise \$40,000 for missions.

### G. T. PACIFIC.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT AT THE ANNUAL MEETING.

Over Eighteen Hundred Miles of Road Now Under Construction—Bridge-building in the West—Accommodated the Settlers.

Montreal, Dec. 6.—At the annual meeting of the directors and shareholders of the Grand Trunk Pacific, held in Montreal to-day, the President submitted a report on the progress during the year, showing that the authorized mileage of the company for the main line and branches consists of 900 miles, no new mileage having been authorized since the last annual meeting. The mileage under contract, the construction of which is in charge of the Grand Trunk Pacific, consists of 208 miles, from Winnipeg westward to Edmonton, and including the Lake Superior branch. The mileage under contract, the construction of which is in charge of the commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, consists of 852 miles of the main line of the eastern division, or a total mileage on the entire railway, the construction of which is now in progress, amounting to 1,840 miles.

The substructure of the bridge across the South Saskatchewan River at Saskatoon is completed, and the steel superstructure is now being erected, which, it is expected, will be completed so that track-laying can proceed westward 200 miles to the Bertha River with the opening of the work next spring. The former officers were re-elected.

**WORK FOR YOUNG WOMEN.** Dominion Council Has Increased Associations to Forty-nine.

Toronto, Dec. 6.—The Dominion Council of the Young Women's Christian Association of Canada, which held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon at the residence of the President, Mrs. Robt. Kilgour, Queen's Park, has during the six years since its formation increased the number of city and college associations from fourteen and thirteen, respectively, to twenty-six and twenty-three. Representatives of six college and five city associations, including Edmonton and Hamilton, were present, besides members of the Executive.

The membership of the Y. W. C. A. of Canada is now about 30,000, of whom some 3,000 are taking work in educational classes, and over 1,500 are in Bible study classes.

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### Children's Winter Coats at Small Prices

\$3.50 Values at \$1.98 \$5.00 Values at \$3.49

The better ones are in heavy tweeds and friezes, in plain colors of green, brown and navy, while the others are in tweed, in heather mixtures and check patterns, in desirable colors. They are made in coat or ulster styles, with or without belts, capes or double-breasted, high, close collar, a few trimmed broad and velvet, in sizes from 4 to 11 years, special Saturday at \$1.98 and \$3.49.

### Sale of Dress Skirts up to \$7.50 for \$4.85

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### Stylish Millinery for Saturday at Reduced Prices

\$6.00 Hats for \$2.50 \$8.00 Hats for \$3.50

Hats for street and dress wear and smart tailored shapes, also a few toques for middle aged people; trimmed velvet ribbons, wings, fluffy mousses and some flowers, mushroom and sailor shapes, in almost any color, selling Saturday at less than half price, \$2.50 and \$3.50.

### Early Morning Sale of Lawn Blouses up to \$2.25 for 69c

All the new styles in White Lawn, Mull, and India Linen Blouses in this lot. They are in embroidered and pin tucked fronts, lace trimmed, high and Dutch necks, in three-quarter or long sleeves, button back or front, assorted styles and sizes, some slightly soiled, regularly \$1.25, up to \$2.25, clearing Saturday at 69c.

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Women's Winter Fleece Vests and Corset Covers, in white and natural, soft and heavy for the cold weather, button front, full sizes, regular 50c, Saturday 29c each.

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Boys' and Girls' Fleece Winter Cotton Vests, in white and natural, for ages 7 to 10 years, regular 43c, Saturday only 29c each.

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## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST Homestead Regulations

ANY even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 8 and 36 not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Application for homestead entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency. Entry by proxy may, however, be made at an Agency on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

An application for entry on cancellation made personally at any Sub-agency's office may be made to the Agent by the Sub-agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of "persecution" or fraud the applicant will forfeit all claims of claim of entry but he will not be summarily cancelled.

An application for cancellation must be made in person. The applicant must be eligible for homestead entry, and only one application for cancellation will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

Where an entry is cancelled subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for cancellation will be entitled to prior right of entry.

Applicant for cancellation must state in what particular the homesteader is in default.

A homesteader whose entry is not the subject of cancellation proceedings may, subject to the approval of Department, relinquish it in favour of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister if eligible, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment.

**DUTIES.**—A settler is required to perform the duties under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of his homestead. Joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement.

(3) If the father or mother, if the father is deceased, of a homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

(4) The term "vicinity" is defined in the preceding paragraphs as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of road allowances crossed in the measurement.

(5) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.

Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

**SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.**

**COAL.**—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty years, at an annual rental of \$1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchant