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*Kyte, G. W.* (Richmond, N.S.)—27.

Living under parliamentary institutions absolutely free from imperial interference, 27. Custom of acknowledging the speech. Immigration statistics, 28. Immigration from the United States; should be warmly welcomed, 29. Pleased at railway development; anti-combine legislation, 30. The question of naval defence; quotes Lord Charles Beresford, 31. A cash contribution savours of feudalism, naval alliances in history, 32. A future quintuple alliance of Great British and her daughters, 33.

*Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid* (Prime Minister)—40.

The early meeting of the House, 40. Does not intend to discuss prosperity, or the expenditure, at present, 41. Wheat being carried over the Transcontinental to Lake Superior; naval defence, resolution of last session, 42. The papers will be brought down this week; the opposition not a happy family, 43. Parliament deliberately came to a unanimous decision last year, 44. Quotes from the Canadian paper in the conference of 1902; Australia come out on the Canadian plan, 45. The Australian squadron; public opinion moving in New Zealand. Quotes the *Toronto News*, 46. How the British nation can remain strong, the stand-patters; Mr. Monk did not speak last session, 47. He voted for the resolution, but chooses to attack the policy to-day, 48. The navy will go to no war unless the parliament of Canada chooses. We are Canadians but British subjects, 49. Have to consider the matter from both standpoints, 50. An incident in Rome. 'The British flag is our talisman; the Canadian race and its descent, 51-2.

*Lewis, E. N.* (West Huron)—82.

The question of expediting business of the House, 82. Procedure at fault to some extent; different procedures in various countries, 83. The opinion of several newspapers, 84-5. Submits certain rules; less time taken by putting his ideas into the shape of Bills, 86. The enormous increase in the cost of living; certain parts of the tariff should be lowered, 87. Quotes the Finance Minister from *Toronto Star*, 88. Numerous combines. Quotes various newspapers on the subject, 89-90. Other elements of national strength besides armies and navies, 90. The importance of heredity in immigration; the example of the United States, 91. No better asset than a strong, sound immigrant; we want to look at the fibre of the men, 92. Woman suffrage, 'No babies, no ballots,' 93.

*Maclean, W. F.* (South York)—52.

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*Sproule, T. S.* (East Grey)—73.

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*Borden, R. L.* (Halifax)—5.

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*Fielding, Hon. W. S.* (Finance Minister)—6.

French Treaty papers all down; await action by the U. S. government *re* tariff, 6.

*Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid* (Prime Minister)—6.

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