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severely scored the Leader of the Government for the slurring remarks he had indulged in regarding the retirement of Hon. A. Peters, and created a considerable amount of uneasiness.

Hon. A. Peters' expenses: London 2,000.00; J. D. McMillan, writing articles for Hand Book \$50 less paid in 1903 \$30; W. H. Crosskill compiling Hand Book 250.00; Total \$7,985.85

Comment on these expenditures is unnecessary. Anyone that reads understands their nature and knows what we received in return for them.

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The Budget Speech.

Premier Peters delivered his budget speech last evening. Without doubt it was the tamest affair of the kind ever presented in our Legislature; indeed it scarcely deserved to be called a budget speech. There was a very small audience in the galleries and only eight or ten of the numerous chairs placed on the floor of the House were occupied by ladies and gentlemen.

His references to the peculiar position Mr. Peters occupied as the result of the general election, and the demoralization existing on the Government side of the House when the twin leaders were attempting to run things. The deficit of last year, he pointed out, was almost \$70,000, and the expenditure of the year was \$100,000, more than the average expenditure of the Conservatives during the years they held office.

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It was about 10.15 when Mr. Mathieson, Leader of the Opposition, commenced his reply to the Premier's budget delivery. His criticism of the Government's position was severe and trenchant. He said the hopeless tone of the whole speech was not only most regrettable, but most discouraging and damaging.

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To His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir Albert Henry George, Earl Grey, Viscount Howick, Baron Grey of Howick in the County of Northumberland in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, and a Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, &c., &c., Governor General of Canada, in Council:—

Whereas His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects the Legislature, Assembly of Prince Edward Island, in General Assembly convened approach Your Excellency and represent:—

Whereas the judicial committee of the Privy Council in its recent decision on the appeal of this Province against the judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada given on the fourth day of November, decided that the representation of this Province in the Federal Government was liable under the "British North America Act 1867," and the amendments thereto and the terms of Union under which this Province entered Confederation to be reduced by half, the number granted to this Province by the terms of Union

And Whereas under "An Act respecting the establishment of Provinces in the Dominion of Canada of 1871" it was provided by Section 2 that "The Parliament of Canada shall have power to time to time establish new Provinces in any territories forming or being part of the Dominion of Canada, but not included in any Province thereof, and may, at the time of such establishment, make provision for the constitution and administration of any such Province, and for the passing laws for the peace, order and good government of such Province, and for its representation in the said Parliament." And also by Section 3 "The Parliament of Canada may from time to time with the consent of the Legislature of any Province of the said Dominion, increase, diminish, or otherwise alter the limits of such Province upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed to by the said Legislature and may, with the like consent, make provisions respecting the effect and operation of any such increase or diminution or alteration of territory in relation to any Province affected thereby."

And Whereas it appears by the correspondence and negotiations between your Government and this Province prior to Prince Edward Island entering the Union, this Province was led to believe that its representation should not be decreased below six but that it should be entitled under the terms of the "British North America Act" of 1867 to be increased should the population justify such increase.

And Whereas the representation of this province has by the provisions of the Statutes of the Dominion been reduced to four:—

DIED

At Montreal, on the 20th ult, of Bright's disease, Herman Augustine Gillis, aged 45 years. Deceased leaves a wife and five small children as well as a large circle of friends to mourn his loss.

At the residence of her son, Isaac Mossey, Guelphcorralle, on the 11th inst, Elizabeth Mollashong, relict of the late Mossey, in the 99th year of her age. R. I. P.

In this City, on April 20th, Ada C. beloved wife of John Coombs, aged 42 years.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds etc.

No Breakfast Table complete without EPPS'S COCOA

The Most Nutritious and Economical. The Prices.

Butter, (fresh) 0.00 to 0.25; Butter (sub) 0.00 to 0.20; Cabbage 0.02 to 0.03; Calf skins 0.06 to 0.07; Carrots 0.02 to 0.03; Ducks 0.09 to 0.10; Eggs, per doz. 0.00 to 0.28; Flour 0.30 to 0.35; Flour (per cw.) 2.40 to 2.50; Hides 0.06 to 0.07; Hay, per 100 lbs. 70 to 80; Mutton, per lb. 06 to 08; Oatmeal (per cw.) 250. to 0.00; Potatoes (buyers price) 0.00 to 0.20; Pork 0.45 to 0.51; Potatoes (per bush) 0.34 to 0.05; Sheep pelts 0.40 to 0.50; Turnips 0.00 to 0.12; Turkeys (per lb.) 0.14 to 0.14; Geese per lb. 0.10 to 0.10; Blk oats 0.40 to 0.45; White oats 0.39 to 0.40; Pressed hay 14.00 to 0.16; Straw 0.00 to 10.00

FIRE INSURANCE.

Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool, G. B. Sun Fire offices of London. Phoenix Insurance Company of Brooklyn.

Combined Assets \$100,000,000. Lowest rates and prompt settlement of Losses.

JOHN MACBACHERN, AGENT. Mar. 22nd, 1905.

Mortgage Sale.

There will be sold by public Auction in front of the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, on Friday the 28th day of April, A. D. 1905, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, All that tract piece and parcel of land situate lying and being at Gurnsey Cove, in Lot or Township Number Sixty-four, on King's County, in Prince Edward Island, bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the South-west angle of land in possession of William McKay, on the bank or shore of the Straits of Northumberland; thence following the western boundary line of the said William McKay's land northwesterly a distance of sixty-five chains to land in possession of Charles Leachery; thence westerly a distance of seven chains and seventy-five links; thence southwesterly a distance of sixty-five chains to the bank or shore of the Straits of Northumberland; thence following the course of the said bank or shore easterly a distance of seven chains and seventy-five links to the place of commencement, containing fifty acres of land, a little more or less.

The above sale is made by virtue of and pursuant to a power of sale contained in an indenture of Mortgage bearing date the 14th day of November, A. D. 1891, and made between James McKay and Susannah T. McKay, his wife, of the one part, and Albert Perkins Prosser and William Henry Prosser, of the other part, which mortgage and mortgage premises are now vested in the undersigned solely, default having been made in payment of the principal and interest due on said mortgage.

Dated the 24th of March, 1905. ALBERT P. PROSSER, Mortgagee. March 29, 1905.—51

MEET ME AT THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE

THE GREATEST 29c. PER PAIR. Corset Bargain. Ever offered in P. E. Island. Tape Girdles. For 29c. per PAIR. Regular price 50c per pair.

In answer to a telegram from us we have this day received by express 200 pairs

Tape Girdles. Direct from the manufacturer. These have never been sold for less than 50c. a pair.

Worth Your Bargain Price IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATION.

29 CENTS Per Pair

Stanley Bros.

LADIES' Genuine German JAC KES.

The Germans make the prettiest Jackets—there is no doubt of it. We Bought 1,000.

We have just about a thousand of the prettiest, snappiest, most stylish garments we could find among the German makers. They are ready now for your choosing.

Black German Beaver, \$5.00 up to \$24.00; Blue German Beaver, 5.50 up to 13.50; Fawn German Beaver, 6.50 up to 16.50; Black German Vicuna, 4.00 up to 10.00; Blue German Vicuna, 4.00 up to 10.00; Black German Frieze, 3.75 up to 5.50; Blue German Frieze, 3.75 up to 5.50; Fancy German Mixture, 6.50 up to 8.50

The styles and coloring are all pleasant to look upon.

CHILDREN'S

All German make, age 3 to 15 years, in short and Ulster lengths, navy, fancy piping, \$2.00 each for small size, and up according to size.

Fancy mix coat, long, belt back, stole front, very natty—cost, small size, \$2.75, up to 12 years, very at \$4.25.

A better grade in navy frieze with shoulder cape, trimmed red felt, small size \$4.50 and up to \$6.75. Did you see that splendid silk frieze skirt we are selling at \$2.25, it's worth \$3.25 of anybody's money.

PROWSE BROS.

The Ladies' Outfitters.

The estimates of expenditure for the current year were submitted to the House on Wednesday afternoon last. They are as follows:—

Administration of Justice \$19,525; Department of Agriculture 4,539; Board of Health 200; Coroners' Inquests 200; Executive Council 785; Education 122,700; Exhibitions 4,000

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