

BORDEN AFTER GOVERNMENT

Reclaiming Of Arid Wastes
Duty Of Government

IRRIGATION OF LANDS

Ottawa, Feb. 8.—After questions yesterday afternoon, the House resumed the adjourned debate upon the irrigation bill, introduced by Mr. Lake (Con.). Mr. Lake (Con.) said that in the end the concessions must be paid by the settler. Mr. MacPherson (Lib., B. C.) characterized the opposition as the "outlet" which had telegraphed congratulations to the McBride Government. Mr. Herron (Con., Alberta) said that the western people condemned the Robbison irrigation grant. He was not too sure that the irrigation scheme would work; but, if it did, the land and water would be loaded down with promoters' profits at the expense of the settler.

Mr. Carvell (Lib., N. B.) defended the Government. He did not care what profits might be made by the various companies. The one question was: Will irrigating this land be of value to Canada? He answered this in the affirmative and announced his opposition to government ownership.

R. L. Borden had no fears of government ownership. If the people of the United States, through their Government, had water enough to irrigate and administer their public lands in need of irrigation, would the hon. gentleman say that Canadians were less intelligent? The irrigation company made its own terms and obtained such a contract from the Government that it was easily disposed of for a bonus of \$2,000,000. By whom would this two million dollars be paid? By whom would it be paid except by the settler?

Mr. Borden presented figures to show that the Alberta Land Co. would be able to clear three million dollars by selling to settlers, over and above their enormous investment, and would, moreover, from the charges for water, enjoy annually an income of \$902,000.

"How had the Government of the United States," he asked, "dealt with this problem of arid lands and irrigation?" The proceeds from the sale of the public lands in sixteen western States goes into a reclamation fund. From this fund so accumulated have already been expended thirty million dollars.

The fund is growing daily, and it is estimated that no less than fifty million acres of arid land will be reclaimed by the United States Government, thereby adding to the national wealth the stupendous sum of \$350,000,000.

This is what government ownership and government control is doing in the United States. The work is done by an independent commission. "Why," asked Mr. Borden, "can not our Government attempt a great work like this? Why should we give up our public domain to be exploited by speculators?"

A. K. Maclean (Lib., N. S.) opposed all Government operation and control. Irrigation, in his opinion, could only be carried on by private enterprise.

Upon division, the amendment was defeated.

Yeas 53, nays 86. It was a party vote, except that Bourassa voted against the Government.

The House then went into supply, and voted \$50,000 for the relief of the Kingston sufferers. About \$40,000 of this has already been expended.

RAILWAY BOARD AGREE.

That There Is General Overcrowding on Toronto Street Cars.

Toronto, Feb. 8.—"We have made up our minds already that there is general overcrowding. The city has outgrown the street railway system. The point now is: Find the remedy. The people must be carried."

Chairman Leitch, speaking as above at the conclusion of yesterday's sitting of the Ontario Railway Board, gave a hopeful indication that the city's appeal to the board will be successful. The session wound up with the city's case for the present.

Mr. Osler, for the company, wanted three weeks to prepare the company's defence, and the board agreed to allow a fortnight. The hearing will, therefore, be resumed on Feb. 21.

BOILER EXPLODES; KILLS 3.

Ice Had Formed in the Tubes and Fire Caused Disaster.

Napanee, Feb. 8.—Early yesterday morning near Selby Village, four miles north of this town, Wilbur Bush, Stanley Raymond and Chas. Boyd were killed.

They had built a fire in a traction engine, which they were using to get power to run a circus saw.

It is supposed the engine tubes had frozen during the night, and when the fire was started the ice did not melt fast enough to allow the steam to escape, causing an explosion.

Two of the men were thrown about 50 feet, and all were badly mangled.

Lady Grenfell's Funeral Private.

Ottawa, Feb. 8.—Just a simple ceremony at Government House preceded the departure of the remains of the late Lady Victoria Grenfell to the Central Depot en route to St. John. The time and arrangements were kept secret, and everything was private.

McIntosh Sent Up.

Hamilton Feb. 8.—John A. R. B. McIntosh, the man who, it is charged, represented himself as Jim Hill's agent, was committed for trial on the charge of obtaining \$500 from Robert Mulligan by fraud.

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"Richard J. Street, department manager of the First National Bank of Chicago, is reported to be preparing to retire from the service the first of the year, and will probably receive a pension of \$3,500 for life. Mr. Street succeeded Lyman J. Gage as cashier in 1891. Mr. Street is a Canadian and a member of a family famous in the history of the western peninsula of Ontario."—Chicago British American.

Mr. Street was born in Hamilton in 1844, and received his training under his father, who was an officer of the Gore Bank. He went to Chicago in 1865, to enter the employ of the First National Bank of Chicago. He married a Canadian lady, the daughter of the late J. C. Hamilton, manager of the Bank of Upper Canada, London, Ont. Mrs. Street died in 1897. The Chicago British American sums him up by saying "One who reflects credit on the race and on his native land."

GOT A PAIN IN YOUR BACK?

You get a pain in your back, and you wonder what is the matter. You perhaps pay no attention to it. Backache is caused by imperfect action of the kidneys, in fact, is the first sign of kidney trouble to follow.

The kidneys, proper, are composed of a close network of fibrous tissue, interlaced with tiny elastic fibres. Their object is the excretion of the uric acid, and other poisonous matter composing the urine, from the blood.

They are continuously at work to preserve the general health of the body and most people are troubled with some form of kidney trouble, but do not suspect it.

Some of the symptoms are: A feeling of weakness in the small of the back, sharp pains in back, puffiness under the eyes, and swelling of the feet and ankles, urinary troubles such as suppressed urination, excessive urination, cloudy, thick or highly colored urine, etc.

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Progress may extend along unexpected lines. Political, business, social, religious or educational possibilities may be developed. But whatever the direction of advance the town will be quickened into a more vigorous life by the presence of a little organized effort.

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FOY HEARD

NO COMPLAINTS

Liberal Member From
Essex Makes Kick In
House

J. P.'s NOT GOOD SORT

Toronto, Feb. 8.—The session of the Legislature yesterday was enlivened by a speech of Mr. Auld (South Essex), who declared that some of the new justices of the peace in that county were not creditable. Mr. Auld asked for a return showing: (1) List of names of police magistrates and justices of the peace in and for the County of Essex on Jan. 31, 1905; (2) list of names of police magistrates and justices of the peace in and for the County of Essex appointed since Feb. 1, 1905; (3) names of those who have qualified as police magistrates, or justices of the peace, in the County of Essex; (4) list of names of those who have been dropped from the list of justices of the peace for the County of Essex since Feb. 1, 1905.

Hon. Mr. Foy said there was no such thing as "dropping" justices of the peace. When a new commission of the peace is issued the law states that those on the old commission shall cease to act. Mr. Foy had heard no complaints about the character or qualifications of the men appointed. Mr. Auld consented to strike out the fourth clause of his motion, which was then carried.

Division Court Clerks.

Mr. Munro asked for a return showing: (1) The number of division courts in the province; (2) how many division court clerks have resigned between Feb. 7, 1905, and Feb. 1, 1907; (3) how many division court clerks have been removed from office between the said dates; the names of such persons and the cause of removal; (4) how many division court bailiffs have resigned between Feb. 7, 1905, and Feb. 1, 1907; (5) how many division court bailiffs have been removed from office between said dates; the names of such persons and the cause of removal. The order was granted.

Mr. Hoyle asked for a return of the counties that had adopted the alternative method of selecting jurors under the amendment of 1902 to the Jurors' Act; a comparative statement of expenses under the two systems from 1902 to 1906; and the counties which had repealed the alternative method. The order was granted.

Algoma Central Settlers.

Mr. Smith (Sault Ste. Marie) moved for a return showing the number and names of the settlers located in the Township of Gandette and Hodgins in the District of Algoma since the year 1900. Mr. Smith said the settlers had done settlement duties, but could not get patents from the railway. He understood that the railway was willing that the Government should grant them the patents.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane said the matter had not been brought to his attention, either by the settlers or the railway, but as soon as it was he would give the matter his attention.

Volunteers' Grants.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane moved the second reading of his bill to amend the Volunteer Land Grants Act, explaining that the object was to extend the time during which veterans may apply to the end of the year.

The Premier added that he had received a letter from a man in a remote corner of the Yukon, saying that there were two veterans there who had neglected the opportunity to apply.

The Premier also moved the second reading of the bill to amend the Manhood Suffrage Registration Act. The bill, he said, was not printed, and he would, therefore, ask that the discussion be deferred.

On motion of the Premier and Mr. Foy, Messrs. Gagey, Jameson and May were added to the special committee on the bill to amend the Ontario Companies Act.

A number of petitions were presented asking for the repeal of the three-fifths clause of the local option law. These were greeted ironically with cries of "Carried!" Hon. J. J. Foy had charge of one of these petitions.

In reply to Mr. Preston of Brant, Hon. Dr. Pyne, said Mr. Snow, commissioner appointed to investigate charges preferred against officials of the Ontario Institute for the Blind, had not yet made his report to the Government.

First Readings.

The following bills were read a first time:

Mr. Clark (Bruce)—To amend the Ontario Election Act, and to amend the Manhood Registration Act.

Mr. Sutherland—To amend the Ontario Game Protection Act.

Mr. Clapp—To amend the Municipal Act.

Mr. Clapp—To amend the High School Act.

VISCOUNT GOSCHEN DEAD.

One-Time Lord of the Admiralty Suddenly Called.

London, Feb. 8.—Right Hon. George Josiah Goschen (Viscount Goschen) died suddenly yesterday morning at his residence, Seacroft Heath, Hawkhurst, of heart failure. His death was quite unexpected.

Viscount Goschen, who was born in 1831, had a distinguished public career. He was chancellor of the exchequer in Lord Salisbury's second administration, and afterwards was first lord of admiralty, serving in this capacity for five years.

Found With Throat Out.

Montreal, Feb. 8.—Oscar Sundström of Kenora, Ont., who tried to commit suicide at the Windsor depot yesterday by cutting his throat. As the jugular vein had not been severed there is hope for his life.



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DOYLES.

John Carley is visiting in St. Thomas this week.

Miss M. Larke entertained a number of her friends one evening last week.

Miss Verna Bea was guest of her aunt, Mrs. Frederick Towl, on Friday last.

Miss Kinree, Miss Doyle and John

Earley attended the Ball given at Fletcher last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ritchie, Dresden, were the guests of Michael Ritchie last Thursday.

Mrs. James Stover is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Blackburn, Louisville.

J. Doyle spent last Sunday evening with Lawrence Doyle.

GLENWOOD.

Miss L. Estabrook is spending the week with friends in South Woodlee.

The young people of the neighbor-

hood spent Tuesday evening at Mr. Darius Mifflin's, Victoria, at an oyster supper. All thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

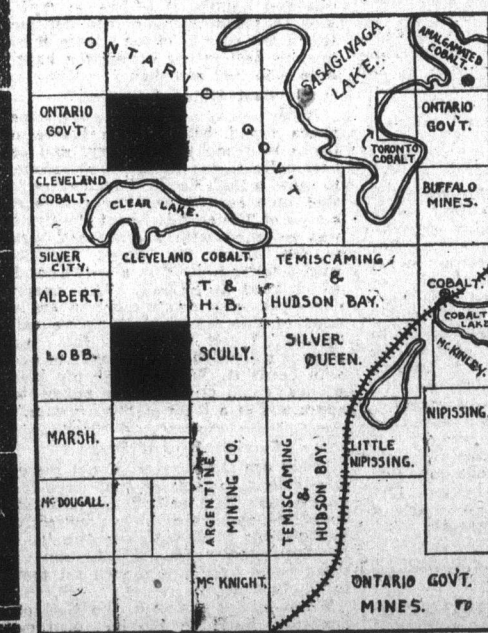
Mrs. Daniel Brown visited over Sunday with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Jean Gifford gave a rag bee Friday evening. The ladies were there in full force, and exercised both needles and tongues.

The Orange Lodge held their annual oyster supper on Thursday evening. A large number were present and enjoyed the excellent supper and program.

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