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COMMONS TO BE SUPREME ALL FUTURE LEGISLATION SAYS KING'S THRONE SPEECH

Royal Address At Westminster This Morning Says Lower House Must Have Undivided Authority Over Finance-Brilliant Scene at Opening of New Parliament---Nationalists CHAUFFEUR SUES A PRETTY Plan Programme.

London, Feb. 21.-King Edward this afternoon opened in state the third Parliament of his reign. In a momentous speech from the throne. His Majesty outlined the plan of the ministerial campaign against the House of Lords, as follows: "Recent experience has disclosed serious difficulties, due to recurring differences of strong opinion between the two branches of the Legislature. Proposals will be laid before you with all convenient speed to define the relations between the Houses of Parliament, so as to secure the undivided authority of the House of Commons over finance and its predominance in legislation. These measures, in the opinion of my advisers, should provide that this House should be so constituted and empowered as to exercise impartially in regard to proposed legislation the functions of initiation and revision, subject to proper safeguards of delay."

Should provide that this House should be so constituted and torneys McHugh and Gallagher before Circuit Court Commissioner May, in connection with the present where-abouts of \$2,000 she is alleged to have received last October from a Detroit should provide that this House should be so constituted and proper safeguards of delay.'

opened formally this afternoon by the uniform of an officer of the British Ont.

King Edward, who was accompanied have, of which he was recently ap-King Edward, who was accompanied by Queen Alexandra, and is now fully corner of the chamber was recently appointed admiral of the fleet. Every corner of the corner of the was recently appointed admiral of the fleet. organized and ready for the work of the varied colorings of the peers, bishthe session.

all the pomp and pageantry associat- jewelled women, made a scene of briled with these occasions since the ac- liancy. cession of Edward VII. The royal prog-ress through the troop-lined streets at Buckingham Palace to the palace at crowds, but widespread as has been morning to determine the party's atti-always the interest in these brilliant functions, both among the public and gramme. John Redmond, leader of the

the streets and among the occupants of the red-clothed benches in the gilded chamber, was the thought of the forthcoming fight which threatens the very existence of the hereditary House they were spectators of acts preluding historic changes in centuries-old institutions of Great Britain

House Was Filled.

London, Feb. 21.—Parliament was Princess of Prussia. The former wore ops and judges' robes, the court, diplomatic, naval and military uniforms, the state opening was marked by with the beautiful gowns of richly-

Nationalists Meet.

London, Feb. 21.-A meeting of a Buckingham Palace to the palace at the Irish Nationalists in the new Westminster drew the usual huge House of Commons was held this those personally participating in them, Irish parliamentary party, presided, today's ceremaony had an attraction and that he is in a mood to fight unless Premier Asquith clears the way

of Peers, and the conjecture whether parliament will be upon us immediate-

opinion of the party regarding the policy that should be pursued, but The ceremony itself did not differ suspended direction on the final action outwardly from scores of previous to be taken until the King's speech close to the throne of the Prince and Government more fully disclosed.

\$150 A YEAR FOR WONDERLAND WHAT FOR SPRINGBANK PARK?

This Is a Problem the Water Commissioners Are Endeavoring to to giving the contract to an American will be cars running in the morning Work Out Now—Commissioner Pocock Is of the Opinion That the Springbank Privileges Are Very Valuable,

If the amusement privileges of Won-derland Park are worth \$150 per an-Commissioner Pocock claims this num, what will the same privilege be worth at Springbank Park?

This is a little sum the water commissioners are endeavoring to work out, and they have not obtained an Springbank where one will get off at Wonderland," said Mr. Pocock, "Now,

At the meeting of the commission- if this man is prepared to give \$150 a ers on Saturday Mr. Givens made a year for Wonderland, surely Spring-proposition to expend \$1,000 inside of bank will be worth at least five times five years on permanent improvements as much. We should get something to the park, and pay \$100 rental a year out of the park, make no mistake. If after that time. It can be seen that we can do so, all well and good. We this is tantamount to \$150 per annum want to find out."

ENGINEER FEARS SEWERS MANY IMPROVEMENTS TO LONDON STORES

Park.

Architects Report That Business Is Taking Every Precaution to Is Likely To Be Good

The present season has witnessed more improvements to down-town prevent a flood in the city this spring. stores than have been made before in Gulley holes have been ground as tire new fronts put in, and several others are being refitted entirely. Architects report that while it is a little early yet for the spring building to begin, they have many inquiries, and look forward to a hour of course he have comes they will, and look forward to a busy season.

Many new residences will be erected, and builders state that they have been backed up into the cellars by the asked for a good many estimates. A backed up into the cellars by great deal of new roofing will be undertaken, as the heavy fall of snow come. this winter has sorely tried many roofs

ANNIVERSARY SERVICE.

Sarnia, Feb. 21.—The Devine Street Methodist Church, Sarnia, held its church anniversary services last Sunchurch anniversary services last Sunday, and they proved to be the most successful in the history of the church. Sermons were preached morning and evening by Rev. R. I. Warner, D. D. with great pleasure and profit to D.D., with great pleasure and profit to the large congregations present. The cycling congregation taxing the seating capacity to the utmost. The choir of Mr. W. E. Brush, rendered fine ing every precaution to prevent music. Miss Nellie Burnip sang a trouble. solo which was greatly appreciated. The paster, Rev. J. E. Holmes asked for a thankoffering of \$300. The of-

MAY BE BLOCKED UP

The sewer system has been thorof course, be taxed to the limit to tail feathers of a rooster, and around ranged that it falls from the brim to

"There is a very large amount particularly the older ones, and many snow in the country, and when it leaks have taken place. Engineer Graydon. "We have taken all the snow off the down-town streets to prevent any danger of cellars flood-The breakwater is all right, and will withstand any flood, but it looks

"However, I fear nothing, except a the church, under the leadership we will hope for the best. I am tak-

DR. COOK'S ITINERARY. Santiago, Chile, Feb. 21.-Dr. Fredfering actually brought in amounted erick A. Cook left here today for Val-

ADVERTISER LOCATES THE RELATIVES

In last Thursday's edition of The Advertiser, there was published a letter from Napoleon Argles, late solicitor of the French consulate in London, dated 6 Boulevard des Capucines, Paris, France, Jan. 25, 1910, asking for The Advertiser's assistance in locating a Scotch woman named Mary Haddow, the only child of Thomas Haddow, who died 30 years ago in Montreal, or her issue, as there is some property awaiting them. Today the following letter was received at The Advertiser:

Gentlemen,—I noticed in your paper of Feb. 17 under the heading of "French Lawyer Asks for Mary Haddow." The lady asked for was a first cousin of mine, being my father's sister's daughter. She died about two years ago. She was married to Jas. Addison, formerly of Hamilton, but now of Lethbridge. is also survived by a number of children, the eldest son, Robert Addison, being in business in Lethbridge. Yours truly, W. H. McGEE. Kintore, Ont., Feb. 19, 1910.

DIVORCEE FOR COOL \$2,000 **EMPLOYER PARTED WITH**

Alleged That Mrs. Frances Sullivan, Formerly of This City Worked Neat Game on Detroit Magnate Whose Wealth Was Made in Automobile Lamps—The Case as Stated at the Examination.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Dertoit, Feb. 21.—Mrs. Frances Sulwith him to Honolulu. livan, plump and pretty, now living at later to recover the money from her, his lawyers declare, and he instructed his chauffeur, Robert St. John, to start suit in assumpsit to get it.

Actions Begin. Attorneys McHugh and automobile lamp manufacturer. Mrs. claim to have learned that Mrs. Sullivan comes from Thamesville, but has resided in Chatham and London, Home Bank, and so they started suits Ont.

Of garnishment against nineteen city
He declared that he gave her a draft banks to prevent her drawing the cash for \$2,000 to deposit in the Home Savout, had she deposited it in some one ings Bank for him. But she, her attorney and her sister-in-law, Mrs. suits, however, for while Mrs. Sullitorney and her sister-in-law, Mrs. suits, however, for while Mrs. Sulli Lottie Trudell, 543½ Canton avenue, van withdrew \$1,200, the balance of the allege that he gave her the sum in (Continued on Page Four.)

BATTLE AT COUNCIL Weight First Contract Boutres Pasha Succumbs to Wounds Inflicted by a Wounds Inflicted by a Farnsworth, of the London Life, who when passing the house, noticed the smoke. He ran at once to Webb's butcher shop, at the corner, and telephoned in the clark.

Uppermost in the minds of the thousards who witnessed the spectacle in from his appeal to the people of Ireof the American Firm Whose Offer Was Accepted-A Lenghty Session Is Expected.

hose contract.

mittee, the contract for 2,000 feet of through their representatives, and alhose was recommended to be awarded together there will be quite a time state openings, except in the presence had been read and the position of the to the Cleveland Hose Company at 97 over the matter. cents a foot.

Rubber Company, and the Gutta Percha Company, both tendered on hose, which is partly made in Canada, but their prices were higher than those of firm, and they will fight the question before they get through.
out. In addition, they claim that the In addition to the

A Debate Assured.

Some of the representatives of the

There is going to be a big battle at contract. They are also making a right the council meeting tonight over the against the introduction of American hose contract. Some of the other companies will At the last meeting of No. 3 com- also take part in the discussion

> Ald. Fitzgerald and Ald. Jeffries, it Two Canadian firms, the Canadian is said, will stand pat on the American hose on the ground that it cheaper.

A Lengthy Session

By the way, the council meeting the Cleveland Company, and they were promises to be a lengthy session. If not awarded the contracts. Some of the aldermen are opposed with business as the committees, there In addition to the hose contract,

Keystone brand was quoted at 95 there will be a debate over the apcents a foot, which was less than the pointment of a head engineer for the Cleveland brand, and they claim that city. Some of the aldermen are opthe Keystone people should be awarded posed to the idea, while others favor it, and all will have to express their opinions on the subject. There may be some debate over Ald

offer is a direct support of his claim Canadian Rubber Company are in the Stevenson's suggestion that the care that the city should receive a rental city, and they will address the council of the parks be placed in the hands of for amusement devices at Springbank tonight on the matter, it is expected, the water commissioners. There will They claim that their contract is the be other subjects of moment discussed "There will be 50 people stop off at lower, and they should be given the so a long session is anticipated.

LONDON THE MILLINERS' MECCA SEASON IS NOW IN FULL SWING

Some of the New Styles in Ladies' Headgear Being Shown Include was laid over until further information the "Chantecler" and the "Doc" Cook—Displays Are Remarkable to Behold.

London is the Mecca towards which Avoid a Flood This

Spring.

the milliners of Western Ontario are turning for the spring openings. One firm opened its display today, while another will shows its goods a week from today.

All preparations are being made to prevent a flood in the city this spring.

the milliners of Western Ontario are turning for the spring openings. One of the spring openings. One of the spring openings. One of the largest wholesale firms told The Advertiser, and a beautiful display of hats of all kinds was exhibited. The styles were without exception neat and dainty, and it was reported that large created a great sensation. The "lid" is sales are being made. the milliners of Western Ontario are

created a great sensation. The "lid" is sales are being made stores than have been made before in many years, and as a result of extensive alterations to many premises the down-town section will materially be done to prevent a flood is being benefit. Several stores are getting entire new fronts put in, and several

Gulley holes have been opened up designed after a rooster, and is shown in a great variety of styles. All are verywhere, and all that can possibly be done to prevent a flood is being benefit. Several stores are getting entire new fronts put in, and several

The sewer system has been thoredown as far as the very large and high. One huge speciments are color, with an immense crown a rose color, with an immense crown as far as the very large and of brightness are being made.

Taking the styles as a whole hats will be larger. There are practically no medium-sized hats shown, and only a very large and high. One huge specimen shown to The Advertiser was of a rose color, with an immense crown as far as the very large and high. sloping sharply down as far as the vogue for trimming, and one of the brim, which turns up from eight to ter most dashing effects shown was that

> The Dr. Cook? One of the neatest and most tasteful hats shown is the Dr. Cook, a smaller hat of the peach basket type, and the effect was very pretty. Willow made out of pure white mechlin, and plumes, irridescent ornaments and trimmed with roses. The hat is one velvets are in great demand for trimof the prettiest shown. "Turbans will be much worn," The

> at the front and drooping away to the velvet is very much used as trimming For younger women the dainty bon-

and are certain to be immensely popular. Large advance sales have already been made. LENNOX TREASURER DEAD.

Napanee, Ont., Feb. 21. — Irvin Park,

"We are showing the largest im-

inches. On one side of the brim were of a large hat trimmed with flowers two rose plumes in imitation of the and having the long auto veil so arthe crown were twined black poppies. the shoulder, and from there as a sash over the shoulder and down the back. Ornaments and Velvets.

The sash was of light green silk mings. Most of the ornaments and buckles are very large. Foliage those with the soft crown. A very liners are keering as closely as possible to natural colors. Soldier blue Advertiser was informed, "especially fects are also very popular, and miland for tying purposes, A number of flower hats, draped with lace, are also nets of the early Victorian age in pale shown and are very pretty.

Plink and rose, are extremely pretty, Prices, it is stated, will show a general advance, but not so large in proportion to the increases in many other

lines of wearing apparel. SUICIDES IN WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Feb. 21.-Two suicides county treasurer of Lennox and Add- took place in the city yesterday. A ington for the last seventeen years, Galician named Hungasack hanged died suddenly Saturday night, aged 62 himself in the north end of the city, and a Frenchman named Ledoux shot himself in his boarding-house.



Who is being sued by the chauffeur of a rich auto lamp manufacturer of Detroit, on behalf of his employer, to recover funds alleged to have been given the woman during a taxicab ride.

GOLDWIN SMITH WORSE

Condition of the Aged Scholar and Writer Takes a More Serious Turn.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Feb. 21.-The condition of Dr. Goldwin Smith became more serious this moring and a second doctor

and dislocated his hip while walking including the sum of \$208, which Mr.

EGYPT'S PREMIER DIES BY ASSASSIN'S HANDS alls, and was hanging in a classic was completely destroyed.

at 8 o'clock this morning. The assasin, who is in custody, is a National ist, and declares that he sought to avenge certain acts of the Government

OLD FREIGHT HOUSE IS TO BE SOLD

Landmark of L. and P. S. R., at Port Stanley, Is to Dis-

appear.

At a meeting of the special committee of the London and Port Stanley board to consider the electrification of by which the peak load could be corthe road, and other matters, held at rected, and sufficient power generated

A communication was read from City Engineer Graydon, recommending that the freight shed at Port Stanley be sold, as it was totally unfit for use, and could not be repaired. He also ommended that a switch be installed for the hydro-electric commission at St. Thomas. These recommendations were accepted, and the board notified of the pro-

posals.

The matter of the purchase of the Nicholas Wilson property was referred to Ald. Eckert and Mayor Beattie, to consult City Solicitor Meredith in respect to the power the board had to

buy the land.

The matter of electrifying the road is received on the question. Those present were Ald. (chairman), Ald. Richter, Ald. Steven-

son, Mayor Beattie, ex-Mayor Stevely and Miss Toll (secretary). STEAMERS ARRIVED

New York, Feb. 20.—Arrived: Principe
di Plemonte, from Genoa; Moltke, Nas-

sau; Graf Waldersee, Hamburg.
Marseilles-Called: Roma, New York. Genoa-Arrived: Cincinnati, New York Gibraltar-Passed: Grosser Kurfurst Antwerp - Arrived: Vaderland, New York. lew York.
Victor!a—Arrived: Teucer, Liverpool.
St. John—Arrived: Empress of Ireland,

Cape Race-Signalled: Umbria, Nev Moville—Called: Caledonia, New York. Plymouth—Called: Amerika, New York

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW-COLDER. FORECASTS. Toronto, Feb. 21-8 a.m.
Fresh to strong northerly to northvesterly winds; a few snow flurries, but nostly fair and becoming very cold.

TEMPI	ERAT	URES			
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Stations. 8	a.m.	Min.	Low.	H	
London, Saturday,			3		
London, Sunday			2		
London, Monday		- 11			
Victoria		22	32		
Calgary		-18	-10		
Winnipeg		-40	-16		
Port Arthur	16	-10			
Parry Sound		24	10		
Toronto		32	8		
Ottawa		24	8		
Montreal		26	8		
Quebec		18	6		
Father Point		16			
Dawson City					
			-40		
Vancouver		• •	32		
Edmonton		• •	-20		
Prince Albert		• •	-24		
Moosejaw			-11		
Qu'Appelle		• •	-24		
Halifax			6		

Minus (-) means below zero WEATHER NOTES A great cold wave covers the country from the upper lake region to the Yukon Territory, spreading eastward, the outlook being everywhere decidedly cold.

WITH ROBBING M'CLARY MFG. CO.

John Nicholson Taken Into Custody in Montreal With Two Alleged Accomplices—Story of One of the Biggest Thests in Years.

Wellington street. The men ar-

[Special to The Advertiser.] tary-treasurer of the Union Mutual Montreal, Feb. 21.—Three arrests Life Insurance Company, replaced him. were made last night by the Canadian He at once noticed that, between the Detective Bureau, as a result of the unearthing of a most amazing series amount of material charged to the facof thefts from the McClary Manufac-turing Company, 89-95 King street, there was a great difference. The amount of material charged was not rested were John Nicholson, superintendent of the company: Willoughby retained the Canadian Detective Allen, a shipper for the McClary Man-ufacturing Company, and Jacob Fried-man, Junk dealer. The latter is charged sisted by Detective Gorman, instituted with receiving stolen goods, knowing investigations, which resulted in the them to be stolen. The amount stolen is estimated at employees, Willoughby Allen, aged 28, between \$5,000 and \$10,000. The thefts 397 Lagouchetiere west, who had been alleged to have been going on for the in the employ of the firm for seven past six or seven months, were first years, though he was only drawing a noticed about the 1st of January. The salary of \$14 a week, was living far man who had been manager for the beyond his means, driving about in McClary Company, became ill, and cabs, living in luxury at hotels, pur-Mr. John C. Newman, formerly secre
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SECOND DOCTOR CALLED \$208 IN HIS OVERALLS POCKET WENT UP IN A COSTLY SMOKE

Fire at 305 Grey Street Gutted the Interior of the House and Ate Up Big Sum Which Had Been Put Away for Safe Keeping —Loss on House Covered by Insurance.

Fire completely gutted the interior of Mr. J. L. Lambourne's house at 305 Grey street on Saturday evening, caus-Prof. Smith, several weeks ago, fell ing a loss of several hundred dollars, were three little children sleeping in one Lambourne had left in one of his

The money was in a pair of overalls, and was hanging in a closet, which was completely destroyed. The fire was discovered about 7:45 by Mr. Farnsworth, of the London Life, when passing the boyes vertical was a closet under. made, but it turned out that the children Much Damage

Considerable excitement was caused for

some minutes through a rumor that there

of the upstairs rooms. Chief Aitken had

a ladder run up and an investigation was

The flames shot up through the par-titions to the roof and did great damage to the interior of the house before they

ENGINEER SIFTON'S THUNDER?

Latter Says Consulting Engineer of the Niagara Power Commission "Doc Cooked" Him and Yanked All the Wind Out of His Sails—A Lively Meeting on Saturday.

"Who discovered power at Spring- Glaubitz had been getting a great deal bank?" is liable to become as great a controversy as "Who struck Billy Pat"I made mention of these things large." terson?" or "Who discovered the pole?"
Mr. Sifton says Engineer Glaubitz
"Doc Cooked" him.
In certain interviews of late, Mr.
Glaubitz has been credited with being taken out of my sails. I think
I should at least be asked to report on the discoverer of power at Springbank, the matter.'

noon today, Ald. Eckert was elected to run the pumps, and save a coal bill. have been introduced into this discuss Engineer Sifton claims that he is the sion at all." said Commissioner Focock, original discoverer, and made that "The question we should discover is argument known at the meeting of the whether or not we are getting water commissioners Saturday. Chairman McMahen brought up the at Springbank, and if not how can we question of improvements at Spring-obtain the maximum efficiency."
bank, and suggested that Mr. Glaubitz Engineer Sifton declared that he was

> Wait for Mr. Sifton. "Had we not better wait until our science. own engineer makes a report?" asked Commissioner Darch moved that Mr. Commissioner Darch. "He is going Sifton be asked to make a complete ahead with plans for this work, and I report on the efficiency of the machinthink he is capable of dealing with the ery, correction of power factor by desubject. I think the suggestion of the velopment of power at Springbank, and chairman is a suggestion of want of all matters pertaining to confidence in our own engineer." Engineer Sifton charged that Mr. and it carried.

"I made mention of these things long

"Mr. Claubitz's name should never be asked to prepare a report on the quite qualified to make a report on the question, having studied hydraulies during his course at the school of

seconded the motion

TORONTO TAKES UP THE CASE OF TYING DOG ON THE RAILS

Mayor Beattie

Humane Society Asks the Police to Locate the Culprit and Begin Prosecution—Chief Williams Is Now on a Still Hunt for the Cruel Individual.

revulsion of feeling in favor of the put his men on the case. ant ferocity of some people towards ent conditions, he said, and if to be asusred of a fair deal. Humane Societies Awake.

The humane societies of the country are at last awake, and wide awake, and are going to see that cases of need less brutality are rigorously dealt with. 10 In a letter received this morning by 34 Mr. Sanders, from Mr. P. C. Laverton Harris, the secretary of the Toronto Humane Society, mentioning the case of the dog that was tied between the

The extremes to which some people tiser. He strongly urged that the The extremes to which some people user. He strongly urged that the have gone in their first terror over the rables scare, has caused a very marked to justice. Chief Williams has already

dog. There has been far too much of He also spoke strengly of the need needless brutality in connection with for a lethal chamber, if dogs had to be the scare, a brutality that there is ab- destroyed. There is far too much needsolutely nothing to justify. The ignor-less brutality resulting from the presdumb animals on such times as these have to be disposed of it is only right can only be explained by an utter that they should be killed as painless-cowardice, and an innate brutality in ly as possible. He also speaks strongthemselves, nothing else could possi- ly against the practice of killing dogs bly account for the enermities that in public. This, he thinks, absolutely have been practiced against some un-should not be permitted. The matter fortunate dogs, which have had the of the dog tied between the tracks has misfortune to have human brutes for also been brought to the attention of masters. Such occurrences have got Chief Williams, with instructions that to stop, however, and even a dog is he take action against the culprit. And there are very few men in London who would not be delighted to wield the lash upon the person of that wretch

if once he is locate. Ben the Catcher. Despite gentle hints to the effect that

(Continued on Page Nine.) FATAL EXPLOSION.

Columbus, O., Feb. 2.-It is reported that two magazines exploded in the tracks on William street, the account Bremen oil field and that several peoof which he had read in The Adver- ple were killed.