WEDNESDAY, May 9th, 1900:

JAMES McISAAC,

SUBSCRIPTION-\$1.00 A YEAR, Editor & Proprietor. sitting gave rise were the most extraordinary and dramatic ever the people witnessed in our Provincial Legcompletely filled with ladies and and took his seat as a Government supgentlemen when his Honor, the Lieutenant Governor, entered and took his seat in the Speaker's chair. After the reading of the speech, published elsewhere, "God Save the Queen" was sung and cheers were given for the Lieut. Governor. His Honor then retired and the proceedings at once assumed a character very different from the usual routine of the opening day of a session. Mr. Speaker was apparently assuming an attitude to read the speech with which his Honor had just opened the session, when Hon Mr. Gordon, Leader of the Opposition asked that the writs of the election, with that he had received the resignation of Mr. Joseph Wise. The Leader of the Opposition politely asked the Speaker to give the date of the resignation. The Speaker answered this question by asking if there was any precedent for such a question. Immediately the fat was in the fire again, and the leading members of each side of the House were at once into each others political wool. Messrs, Gordon, Shaw and Campbell battered the Government's fortification. The construction of last session providing for the bridging of the Hillsborough River has been consummated by the completion of an agreement between my Government and that of the Dominion. The construction of this Bridge, together with the building of the Railway from Southport to Murray Harbor—works of great magnitude and importance to this Province—is now assured and will be proceeded with immediately. In the negotiations which have taken place, I am pleased to be able to say that the Federal Government is, has appeared in another interesting light. The Public Accounts committee investigating the expenditure of the last fiscal year. tered the Government's fortifications to pieces and demanded that the resignation be laid on the table of the House. The Government caved in a peg and the Clerk was ordered to read the Sheriff's report of the Belfast election, whereupon Mr. A. A. McLean was introduced, amid much applause by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shaw, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shaw, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shaw, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shaw, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shew, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shew, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shew, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shew, and in like manner, after the necessary preleminaries, Mr. Prowse, member for Murray Harbor, was introduced by Mr. Gordon and Mr. Shew, and the prices obtained a M. McKinnon. The Leader of the Government, at this stage, seemed to manifest a disposition to proceed with something new, when the Opposition called his attention to the fact that he had not submitted the papers relative to the bye election in the first district of Prince County. The Premier refused to submit these papers, alleging as his excuse that Mr. Pineau, the member elect was not in attendance. All this time the Legislative chamber was packed, and the ladies and gentlemen who had been given seats inside the bar were still there. Matters had just got to the stage we have indicated when, amid much laughter and applause, Mr. Wise quietly

the great majority of our people.

In order to furnish the increased accommodation so urgently needed at the Falconwood Hospital for the Insane, my Government has entered into a contract for an extension or annex to the building, and you will be asked to provide ways and means for that purpose. Several important reforms with modern ideas have lately been introduced into the everyday work of the Asylum, which will, I believe, meet with your unqualified approval. Since you last met, Commissioners were appointed to investigation, and their report will be laid before you.

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Mr. Wise's appearance did not by any means tend to straighten out the tangle into which matters had just got themselves; on the contrary it added a new complication.
As soon as order was sufficiently restored, Mr. Shaw moved, second ed by Mr. A. J. McDonald, that the writ of election for the 1st district of Prince County, together with the Sheriff's return thereto, be laid upon the table, This gave rise to a lengthy and an animated time being procured a seat nearby

THE HERALD tinued with closed doors up to six 'clock, when the House adjourned till 3 o'clock this afternoon. Before adjournment the Government had so far weakened as to have PUBLISHED EVERY/WEDNESDAY | the resignation placed on the table.

The above is in brief a narra tive of what took place at the opening yesterday. Our limited Opening of the Legislature.

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The presence of such immense throngs of people as assembled in and around the Legislative building yesterday afternoon plainly indicated that unusual interest.

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Our limited to what took place at the opening yesterday. Our limited time and want of space preclude us from making any lengthy comments. No such peculiar protections against future fires, a matter in which all Canada ought to be interested, seeing that the forest, and on the Government side, and treasures that could never be replaced. The public buildings and grounds would at their cost price representations.

This week's debate on the budget was conducted by Messrs. Macdonald, Cowan, McHugh, Rogers, Sonetsinger, Logan, Savard and Fielding. On the Government side, and on the budget was some true.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

In meeting you for the first time in my official capacity, I am pleased to be able to congratulate you upon the prosperous year which we have enjoyed since the last session of the Legislature. For this, as well as for the present healthy condition of trade in this Prosperious years and the prosperious years are prosperious years.

Believing that properly conducted Agricultural Exhibitions are most beneficial, my Government has provided that one general exhibition, open to the other Provinces, shall be held in Prince Edward Island during the coming autumn. I feel safe in saying that this will be much appreciated by the great majority of our people.

In order to furnish the increased ac-

During the recess, a delegation from my Government visited Ottawa to press upon the Dominion the claims of this Province. The investigation of these mat ers has fully convinced all concerned that our demands are just, and must of necessity be recognized.

quoted authorities to prove their contention; but Mr. Speaker ruled the motion out of order. Mr Shaw appealed from the Speaker's decision and a division being taken, thirteen Government supporters stood up against the appeal. When those in favor of the appeal were called upon fourteen stood up, Mr Wise being the fourteenth. The Clerk refused to count Mr. Wise.

The same time be consistant with our revenue.

The erection of the new Prince of Wales College, a commodious and very substantial structure, marks an era in the history of education in this Province. This building is but another the committee ordered him to be summittee ordered him to be summitteen ordered him to confir with the department ordered him to confir with the department or

Clerk refused to count Mr. Wise, and immediately the war was on again. The fourteen continued standing and the leaders of the standing and the submitted to you.

I now leave you to the discharge of your deliberations will, under Divine guidance, be productive of great good to our people and Province.

standing and the leaders of the Opposition pointed out that the position of the Government was untenable; that Mr. Wise's resignation was not legal and quoted authorities to sustain their contention. At this stage Mr. Wise essayed to speak; but he had only got as far as to say that "on the 28th of February"—when Mr. Rogers moved the standing order and all visitors—reporters as well and all visitors—reporters as well as others—were obliged to leave as others—were obliged to leave of the House. The debate was conwhole community in his great misfortune.

Deputy Minister Burgess out of office, and brought Mr. Smart Lower Queen St.

AT OTTAWA.

THE LONG DEBATE OVER-GOVERN MENT BEGAN AND ENDED IT-WHO ARE THE OBSTRUCTIONISTS -AN ABSENT-MINDED SECRE-TARY-EXODUS OF THE LICENSE INSPECTOR-VICEREGALOUTLAY.

ing yesterday afternoon plainly province, or possibly anywhere taken on Sir Charles Tupper's taken on Sir Charles Tupper's else. The Speaker has thus far amendment in favor of preferential trade with the empire. The refused to assume the responsitial trade with the empire. The present Legislative session, and that proceedings of a somewhat Mr Wise is entitled to sit and regular government majority. The unprecedented character might be looked for. Nor were those who to indicate the weakness of the March 23, or six weeks ago. This assembled disappointed; for the Governmen's cause. It is surely is an unusually long debate, and scenes and incidents to which the a desperate attempt to cling to the government press has been in power regardless of the will of the habit of accusing the Opposition of obstruction. As a matter of fact the Government side is islature. The Legislative chamber, inside and outside of the bar, was inside and outside of the bar, was the mainland last night and came here of the debate which closed after midnight on Friday. The opposi-tion merely replied to each speech Mr. Wise was forcibly ejected from the Government side, and the House this afternoon.

The Government side, and as secretary. The organ represents that it is all because Mr. Bourassa is a last word. The Finance Minister spoke first,-also last, although Of His Honour Peter Adolphus McIntyre, Lieutenant Governor of the
Province of Prince Edward Island, on
opening the Third Session of the
Thirty-third General Assembly, on
Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1900.

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WEST HURON AND BROCK-

the Sheriffs' returns thereto, for the Tignish, Belfast and Murray Harbor districts, be presented to the House, so that the members elect could take their seats and participate in the proceedings, pointing out that was the usual course, as the journals of the House would show. Premier Farquharson stated that, notwithstanding existing precedents, another course was intended this session. This precipitated a hot debate, participated in by Messrs. Gordon, Campbell, Shaw and others. The opposition members showed by reference to the journals that the course intimated was contrary to all precedent. The Government were worsted, and McCanable the followers for take up arms in defence of its people. As the Queen's representative of this Province, I congratulate you on the proud position occupied to day by the color of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the followers of the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the proud position occupied to day by the followers of the resumble of the goes into supply some day next week, Mr. Borden will propose an lishment: Government were worsted, and Mr. Speaker, taking advantage of a lull in the discussion, reported that he had received the resignation of Mr. Joseph Wise. The Leader of the Opposition reliable to be devoutly prayed for.

The hearty manner in which our people responded to the request for contributions to the Patriotic fund is another proof of their devotion and patriotism, and calls for our united thanks.

The legislation of Mr. Dordon's next motion, and that will be by voting it down. This will probably be done, for the evidence produced last year conclusively proved the stealing and substitute.

> sider that parliament had the right to call him to account. On further reflection, however, he concluded to be present on Thursday, though he still questioned

the jurisdiction of the committee to inquire into his disposition of the hard earned money of the Canadian taxpayers. As a sort of favor, and as his friend Mr. Tarte would say, without allowing his action to be taken as a precedent, he took the oath and told his

A SCORNER OF ACCOUNTS. It did not throw much light on the matter. Mr. Bourassa had no accounts to produce, no vouchers to show. He could not tell how he got rid of the \$2,200. Deputy Ministers, and other high officials, handed in detailed statements of their expenses. Mr. Bourassa had nothing to say as to that, but calmly suggested that he had never supposed a man in his position would have been asked to give a detailed account. He thought that the commissioners would take his statement that he had used up the money and would ask him no impertinent questions.

HE WENT WEST. Mr. J. D. McGregor, formerly mining inspector, now liquor inspector in the Yukon, was in He is Spring wakes around, veil'd in a shower was a shower where the former of the plain, be laid upon the table. This gave rise to a lengthy and an animated debate. Mr. Shaw, Mr. Campbell and Mr. A. McLean pointed out that it was the duty of the Government to bring down the papers, on matter whether the member elect was at the bar or not. They quoted authorities to prove their quoted authorities to prove their contention; but Mr. Speaker ruled contention; but Mr. S Ottawa six weeks ago. He is shower connected with a branch adminis-

> is explained that he did not get the summons, though if he reads the papers he must have known that he was needed. It was not until April 25, that Mr. Sifton's

rom Manitoba to take his place, he evidently knew what he was doing. ECHOES OF THE FIRE.

The vote of \$100,000 by parliamenf to

he Ottawa fire relief fund, and \$41,000 to replace the Dominion building at Hull, and the Government bridges destroyed, went through both Houses unanimously. There was some discus of real estate in Ottaws. Moreover the country keeps up certain of the streets, certain bridges, and contributes \$60,000 a year besides, in adorning the squares and parks, and improving the condition

AN ANGRY ORGAN. Mr. Tarte, Patrie and the other Gov erament organs in Quebec are still assailing Sir Charles Tupper and the Tories generally, for their imperialism. La Patrie has article after article attacking the Conservatives for wanting French-Canadian. VICE REGAL EXPENSES.

A return brought down this week record of the debate is twenty-five goes to show that the Governor General speeches from the Opposition, and and his establishment cost as much now as when Mr. Mulock and various side of the House. This simple others now in the Cabinet were in the fact seems to settle the question habit of denouncing the extravagance of the Vice Regal Court. Taking out the cost of providing in a new heating equipment, which does not belong to maintenance, we find that the following Now the ground is clear for sums were paid for salary and expenses of the Governor General and his officers

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It will be seen that Mr. Mulock is now permitting five to ten thousand dollars to be spent in keeping up our Court at Rideau Ha!! more than was paid in 1890 to 1894, when the Libera leaders were loudest in their complaints.

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THE WAR!

A despatch to the London News rom Thaba N'chu dated Wednesday contains the following:-In yesterday's flanking movement Captain Towse and fifty of the Gordon Highlanders were surrounded by 250 oers who demanded their surrender Captain Towse ordered his men to ix bayouets and charge. With a wild cheer the Gordons rushed at the enemy and swept them away with great slaughter. Captain Towse was blinded in both eyes by the enemy's fire. The men thronghout

On Thursday last Lord Roberts reported that he had begun his ad vance by occupying Brandfort, where met with little opposition. The Boer army under command of Delarey retiring in a northeasterly direction. The next day Friday, he mounted infantry with the Canadians picketed their borses on the south bank of the Vet river, 18 miles north of Brandfort. The head of Lord Roberts' columns had thus

As Gen. Hutton with the first we have had abundant mounted infantry brigade drew near proof that they will thrive Brandfort he saw a kbaki clad body on this emulsion when other of troops ahead of him. He was food fails to nourish them.

It is the same with larger children that are delicate. Lourenzo Marquez, and it is reported that the Irish lost severely. your children do not thrive. town. Several British wounded were found in the hospital. The Boer

postmaster gave up the keys of the public buildings to Captain Ross. Lord Kitchener arrived at Brandfort at noon and Lord Roberts at night. The War Office published the fol owing despatch from Lord Roberts, dated Vet River, Saturday, May 5th .15 p. m:

I marched here to day with Genera Pole-Carew's division. The head quarters and Wavell's Brigade of the Seventh Division are two miles in the rear. Maxwell's brigade of the same division is the same distance to our right. The enemy are in consider able strength on the opposite bank of the river. Our guns engaged theirs for some three hours without ours be ing able to force a passage of the river; but shortly before dark the mounted infantry under Gen. Hutton turned the enemy's right and in a very daring manner pushed across the river under a heavy shell and musketry ed in preventing the junction of the Boer forces by a well executed movement by some of the Household Cavalry, Twelfth Lancers and Kitchener's Horse, who charged a body of the enemy and inflicted serious loss. The enemy fled leaving their dead on the field and their wounded to be attended to by our doctors.
General Macdonald's Highland Brigade dispersed the enemy on the right flank, under cover of the naval

guns, in which operation the Black Watch distinguished themselves and were very skilfully led. General Hamilton was advancing this morning to a difficult drift over the Kleinto or Little Vet River. General Hunter reports that General Barton's brigade was heavily engaged this morning two miles north of Roldam. The enemy's position was quite four miles long and strongly held. He states that our men marched magnificently and carried ridge after ridge in grand

The casualties in this force and Hamilton's and Hunter's division wi'l be reported as soon as possible. Cap. Miller, who was taken prisoner near Thaba N'Chu, has been sent to men. General Brabant reports that one sergeant and three men were by the Boers was found the following

Netherlands ambulance corps.

A despatch from Vet River dated
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after a long march, encountered the

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Lt. Lilly of the Victoria Mounted Rifles, reported missing, was found at Brandfort dangercusty wounded, and has been earefully attended to by the Netherlands ambulance corps.

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