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—6082. He will find a great many ways in which the expenditure might be reduced—6083. Only wonder is that with his experience Sir Charles Tupper thought the Liberal party honest—6084. No matter who appointed him, he would not keep a dishonest official—6085. Trying to make us believe we are not taxed as much as we were—6086. Comparison of taxation—6087. Amounts to which Liberals when in office objected—6088. These people are much more extravagant than were their predecessors—6089. Timber limits; the scandals in the west—6090. The Liberal convention of 1893. Laurier's conduct for the past twelve years—6091. They demanded it then, they don't seem to demand it now—6092. The Quebec Bridge; Laurier and the cost of the Transcontinental Railway—6093. It will cost more than they or most of the people estimate—6094. The government do business in such a way that they are afraid to give names—6095. Mr. Walker's pamphlets on immigration—6096. Urges the abolishment of bonuses on immigration—6097.

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Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Minister of Finance)—2781.

Important to get authority to buy grain at once—2781. Gives assurance that regulations may be amended later if deemed advisable by the House—2781.

Sproule, T. S. (East Grey)—2781.

Opportunity should be given to consider regulations—2781.

WESTERN ALBERTA RAILWAY COMPANY.

Bill No. 125 in Committee—Mr. Macpherson—6183.

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This Act has no relation whatever to the subsidy—6185. If voted to a company by name, can only be granted to that company—6186. The statute of two years ago grants the subsidy to this company by name—6188. Government must satisfy itself that the company are in a position to do the work—6189.

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Renewal of charter by no means renews subsidy; there is no subsidy now—6185.

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What about keeping the subsidy alive if these people do go on and build—6183.

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Herron has made out a very excellent case calling for government intervention—6184. Special demand for railway communication through that country—6187.

Herron, John (Alberta)—6183.

Opposes the extension of time and revival of this charter; no attempt towards construction—6183. Reads resolution of the Board of Trade of Cardston—6184. Believes a railway would be constructed but for this charter—6185. Railway badly needed, should give assistance to some new company—6136. The same guarantee given two years ago by the gentleman in charge of the Bill—6187. There are other charters covering the same ground—6188.

Lennox, H. (South Simcoe)—6187.

There is a subsidy awaiting the company as soon as they begin to build the road—6187. Must undertake to do something for these people so badly in want of a railway—6188.

Macpherson, R. G. (Vancouver)—6187.

These people tell me they are anxious to go ahead—6187. Herron says there are other companies—6188.

Wilson, Uriah (Lennox)—6186.

If the charter were not renewed there would be no subsidy coming to them—6186.

WESTERN ENTRANCE, TORONTO HARBOUR.

Inquiry into delay in letting contract—Mr. A. C. Macdonell—5915.

Macdonell, A. C. (South Toronto)—5915.

Asks what is the delay in letting the contract for the new entrance—5915.

Pugsley, Hon. Wm. (Minister of Public Works)—5915.

No delay beyond the ordinary course, the matter is going through regularly—5915.

WEST INDIA TRADE RELATIONS.

Inquiry as to negotiations for better trade relations—Mr. A. Martin—1860.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Minister of Finance)—1860.

Messrs. W. G. Parmalee and C. A. Jones are deputed to attend a conference at Barbadoes—1860.

Martin, Alex. (Queens, P.E.I.)—1860.

Inquires if the Finance Minister is negotiating reciprocity or lowering duties with the West Indies—1860.

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