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Mrs W. A. Woodworth is on the sick list

Mr. A W. Haney has a comforter on the side of his head. It is a boil.

Mr. J B. Hanev is convalsent

Mr. and Miss Mott, of St. Thomas have returned home from visiting

Miss Annie Haney seems to be improving.

Mr. Bert Woodworth Sundayed with Mr. Herrick, of Springfield. Mr. George Bates is not progress-

ing as fast as his friends would like

Trinity choir has a new leader, Mr. H. Laur.

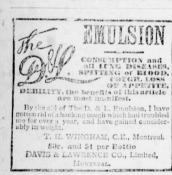
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Speech From the Throne Moved, Seconded and Adopted.

Mr. Hugh Guthrie Moved, and Mr. Marcil seconded, the Address-Latter Thinks There Should Be Peacemakers in the House of Commons - The Speeches Pleasantly Criticised by Leader Border and Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Ottawa, Feb. 12 .-- The amenities and the session bids fair to go on record in the style suggested by Mr. Charles Marcil, member for Bonaven-ture, who hoped it would be referred to in after years as the first Parliamnet of the peace-makers. It is, perhaps, quite unprecedented that the Address in reply to His Excel-lency's speech should be adopted in single afternoon. But vesterda

a single afternoon. But yesterday, half an afternoon sufficed. This breaks all records.

Eight reports of departments were laid on the table, viz.: Public Accounts, Postofice, Interior, Indian Affairs, Agriculture, Public Works, Inland Revenue and Marine and Fisherios.

Mr. Guthrie (South Wellington) rose at 3.12 to move the Address in reply to His Excellency's speech. He referred to the new Parliament, the new century and the new sovereign. He described the Conservatives in 1896 as a Government battling 1896 as a Government battling against adversity, and in the late election as an Opposition battling against prosperity. He rebutted the against prosperity. He rebutted the theory that trade conditions in Can-ada are dominated by trade condi-tions throughout the world. One reason he advanced was the immense natural wealth of the country, that might be regarded as its reserve capital. Another reason was that Canada was a producer of the necessaries of life, not of luxuries, and that can in the control of the necessaries of life. and that, as in time of distress, producer of luxuries is the first roducer of luxuries is the first uffer, Canada would necessarily the last sufferer from world-wide conditions of distress. So long as England continued to dominate as England continued to dominate the world's trade, Canada would possess an advantage over the Unit-

ed States in the British market.
Mr. Guthrie alluded to the McKinley tariff as a crisis in the commercial history of Canada, which had made Canada most self-reliant. He charged that the Administration of the day missed the opportunity which that crisis presented, and intead of finding markets for the per ple, waited simply for something to turn up. The Liberals had found the way by the policy af British pre-ference. Formerly the idea prevailed that Canada should be a vast material emporium for the rest of the world, but that is an exploded the

admission evoked Conserva-

tive applause.

Mr. Clancy: But has taken you a long time to see it.

Canada should not forget the Victorian reign as that which gave Can-ada national birth, a reign which had seen her rise from a position of comparative colonial obscurity to of an important part in the

ritish Imperial system.
He hoped when the Duke of Corn-all came through Canada, as was spected, that a welcome would wait him worthy of his exalted station and worthy of the son of the Sovereign and the grandson of the late Queen.

Mr. Guthrie spoke of the period of

prosperity upon which Canada has entered, and thought the time had come when the Government should be asked to establish the dead ment

trade on a firm basis.

A reference to the gallant way in which Canadian soldiers had acquitted themselves in South Africa made both sides of the House applaud.

The coming census, he said, would not only be a numbering of the people, but also a measure of the industrial growth of the country. Can adians could look forward with confidence to the census returns, and in the near future to being citizens of one of the foremost, most prosperous and intelligent nations in the world. The conclusion of the speech brought a loud burst of applause from the Government.

Mr Marcil Seconded

M. Charles Marcil(Bonaventure) seconded the motion, speaking in French. He spoke of the gallantry of the Canadian soldiers in South Africa, and told how French. Eng-lish and Irish-Canadians rushed to-gether upon the enemy at Paarde-berg. .The French-Canadian, he said, berg. .The French-Canadian, he said, was as loyal as any other Canadian. It was time to recognize this, time to do away with sectionalism in Canada. He thought it a good suggestion to take the coat of aros of the Canadian flag and replace it with the simple leaf, emblematic of Canadian unity. (Loud French-Canadian applause.)

#### From French to English.

From French to English.

Speaking in perfect English, Mr Marcil said he had seconded the motion in the first place in the French tongue, in order to maintain the tadition of the House it that regard. But he liked to address a few words to the Speaker in the tongue of the great majority of the members of the House. He came from a constituency where one-third of the electors spoke English, a constituency which sent an English-speaking representative to the Quebec Legislapresentative to the Quebec Legisla-ture. Throughout Quebec he said there was general grief for the late Queen. The people remembered all she had done to promote better feel-

ng among her subjects.

Questions of race or creed, which in the past have been raised in Canda, were but dissensions imported from Europe. It was time that Candarian in the control of t ada had done with European quar-rels, though it was possible England and France might quarrel some time in the future. Mr. Marcil, speaking The Croup.

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for the French-Canadian people, said:
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House.)
Mr. Marcil: I hope to be able to tell my children when I am grown old that I served in the first Parliament of Canada, which was known as the Parliament of the peace-makases.

Mr. Borden's Address. Mr. R. L. Borden: I have to congratulate heartily both the mover and the seconder of the address on the very excellent manner in which they have addressed the House. It was not able to follow as well as I could wish the portion of the seconder's address which was given in his own beautiful language, but if I may judge it by that which he spoke to us in my own language, I am sure I cannot compliment him too highly upon the sentiments which he ex-pressed, and the manner in which he expressed them. So far as the race problem is concerned, I may say that in the province from which I come, the race question has been a matter of the past for years. There it is never even thought of. I trust it will become a thing of the past also in other parts of Canada, if as the bear goals. the hon gentleman suggests, there is such a thing in Canada to-day, as a

race problem.

After pleasantly criticising the matter of Mr. Guthrie's speech. Mr. Dorden said: "I desire to add a word to what has been said about our citizen soldiers, who fought for the Empire beyond the sea. I think that Canada is bound to see that those who have been prevented by wounds or disease from taking as active part rnment do not propose to dea with this matter, I for one momen do not imagine."
He continued: "I also regret that no mention has been made of the present position of any negotiations

outstanding with regard to the fast Atlantic service. That is a matter upon which both parties in the House are united. The Government undertook to deal with it in 1897." Mr. Borden also asked for informaabout two years ago. About a year and a half ago the commission ceased to operate, and the country was teleft completely in the dark as to whether the commission proposed to resume, or whether the negotiations had been absolutely abandoned. It was the right of the House and the arly date. The Government shows ay how the Alaska boundary ques-ion stands at the present time. That was reported to have been the ques-tor that stood in the way of the

tion that stood in the way of the negotiations between the Commissioners of the United States and Great Britain. Was that question to be dealt with apart from the commission altogether? If so, the House should know it. Mr. Borden closed should know it. Mr. Borden closed with a reference to the expected visit of the Duke of Cornwall.

Mr. Andrew Border wished to ask a particular question about the case of Blind Trooper Mulloy, who was born in Mr. Border's county.

A "Blessed Province."

A "Blessed Province."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier congratulated the mover and seconder of the address, and said Mr. Guthrie was a chip off the old block. Twenty-four years ago a Guthrie had moved the address on the floor of the House. In passing, he would also compliment the Conservative leader—upon his reference to the settlement of the his reference to the settlement of the race question in the Province of Nova race question in the Province of Nov Scotia. In Nova Scotia no one ev-inquired what a man's race or cree might be. Sir Wilfrid called it. "blessed province." In that respect, he said, Nova Scotia is an example to the other provinces of the Domin-

#### Sir Wilfrid's Reply.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: 'I am interro-gated upon three or four points of information. First, what is the intention of the Government with regard to wounded and disabled soldiers? What is the intention in the particular case of Trooper Mulloy? I will tell my hon, friend, the leader of the Opposition, that the omission of any mention of this matter in the speech was not through inadvertence. The omission was well calculated. The reason is that we want to know what position we stand in at the present moment towards the Imperial au-

ernment dealing with the subjessaying the colonial forces would with like the Imperial

dealt with like the Imperial forces, and that good pensions would be allowed all by the Imperial Government. The question would arise, would the Imperial pension be adoquate, according to the standard of the Canadian people? However, it was meet and proper that the Canadian Government should know how it stands in regard to the action intended to in regard to the action intended to be taken by the Imperial authorities. As to whether the measure of the pension on the other side of the eady and willing to do what is pos-ible and proper to do." (Cheers from oth sides of the House.)

#### The Fast Atlantic Service.

"As to the fast Atlantic service, am sorry to say I have no informa-tion to give to the House at this moment. The conditions are not far-worable in England at this moment for securing the service at an early date. Probably, as the war is now drawing to an end, and normal con-ditions will be resumed, the time may be appropriate soon for dealing The Commission Will Resume.

'As to the Joint High Commission "As to the Joint High Commission, the condition is just the same to-day as last year. The commission has not been dissolved. It is still in existence. At the earliest possible moment we will resume negotiations. As my hon, friend knows, the conditions have not been favorable for the resumption of negotiations since the commission separated. There was a general election in this country and a general election in the United States. On account of the agitation attending the two elections it was impossible to expect a resumption of the negotiations. When the American Congress adjourns I have no rea son to doubt we will be able to re can congress adjourns I have no reason to doubt we will be able to resume the negotiations and bring them to a satisfactory conclusion, take, for instance, the Alaska boundary matter. The Americans have taken a course, and it is almost impossible to reconcile the two views. If I were not a member of the commission myself, I might be inclined to say more than I do. But, without presuming upon the commission or criticizing the position taken by the Americans, I say we can hope that if we cannot have an honorable settlement of that question, we can have an honorable compromise. Between two such countries as the United States and Canada, with Great Britain added, I am sure there is no difficulty that cannot be settled by an honorable compromise or

the main question has been settled, believe in a short time we will have the report of the Joint High Com-mission, and for the present the two

the provisional boundary."
Mr. Borden: "Is the temporar boundary in the nature of a corpromise? Is it between the tw boundaries, or nearer one than th

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: "It is in th nature of a compromise between the respective positions. The main idea which guided us was to place the boundary where it would be Dalto

Challenge Accepted. Turning to the speeches of the mover and seconder. Sir Wilfrid challenged the leader of the Opposition or any of his followers to criticize British preference of the Gover.

Mr. W. F. Maclean: I am agains a one-sided preference.
Sir Wilfrid: My hon, friend did aspire to the leadership, and perhaps that is the reason he is against firit-

Mr. Maclean: Do not mistake me I said a one-sided preference.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier: My hon, friend from East York is against our preference tariff. How many others are

Sir Wilfrid went on to quote a speech of Lord Disraeli on the sweep his Government made of the coun-try, and compared that British Tory victory to the late Canadian Libera

After Sir Wilfrid had concluded, the address was unanimously adopted, and the House adjourned.

Senators Debate the Address.

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—The Senate Ottawa, Feb. 12.—The Senate all yesterday afternoon discuss the address in reply to the spe from the throne. Senator Ellis v cordially applauded on rising move the address. Hon. Lyman Jo seconded the address. Sir Macker Bowell reserved his remarks on death of the sovereign for a fut occasion. Speaking of the Canad contingents, he congratulated Sir A. P. Pelletier on the bravery of son, expressing deep sympathy w A. F. Felletter on the bravery of son, expressing deep sympathy Hon, Mr. Borden on the loss of only son, a gallant young soldier Mackenzie spoke at great length the Pacific cable.

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Hon. David Mills moved the adjournment of the debate.

The Senate will take up the message to the King to-day.

#### Cupid Defeated Kruger.

The Hague, Feb. 12.—The engage ment of Miss Guttman, the young ward of President Kruger, who is traveling in his suite, and Colone Richiardi, who formerly commanded a regiment in the Boer army, was formally announced yesterday. Pre-eident Kruger has at last given

reluctant consent to the marriage reluctant consent to the marriage. Richiardi came here in spite of the express command of the stern old Boer, prohibiting him from paying his address to her who is, virtually, his granddaughter. Nothing is known about Miss Guttinan's sweetheart here, saye that ne was with heart here, save that ne was with the Boer army for several months, and conducted himself gallantly.

Ontario Budget Next Tuesday. Toronto, Feb. 12.—The budge speech, it is stated in Governmer circles, will be delivered by Premis Ross, in his capacity of Provincia Treasurer, on Tuesday next, Fe 19. This will be considerably advance of last year, when it was not made until the twentieth of the session. The public accounts are now ready for presentation to the

#### Another Negro Lynching.

Paris, Ky., Feb. 12.—George Carter, a negro, who was in lail here, charged with having assaulted Mrs. W. E. Board about three weeks ago, was lynched by a mob early yester-day morning.

#### Two Senators Alling.

Toronto, Feb. 11.—Senator Allan of Toronto caught cold while attendng the funeral of the late Sir Frank smith. He has been in a precarious state of health ever since. Last Fri-lay it was feared he would die. He slightly improved at present, but

by no means out of danger.

Milton, Feb. 11.—Senator McKindsey is very low. His recovery is declared to be doubtful. Last night he was reported resting easy, but his friends fear the worst.

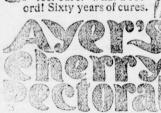
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