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M.R. FIELDING'S SURPLUS A RECORD ONE

Magnificent Position of Canada Under Liberal Rule Shown in Budget Speech in House of Commons

Ottawa, April 4.—Mr. Fielding's fifteenth annual budget statement, which was presented to the commons this afternoon, was remarkable for two things. It was the shortest budget speech he has yet presented to the house, taking only some forty minutes in all. He made no reference at the same time in his statement of a record surplus of \$30,500,000, of revenue of \$117,500,000, and of the payment of all but \$3,000,000 of the total expenditure on both capital and current account out of the past year's income, despite \$24,000,000 spent on the National Transcontinental Railway construction, and 11,000,000 spent on public works and other items of capital expenditure. He made no reference to tariff matters and his only allusion to the pertinent subject of bounties was a brief statement to the effect that hereafter all bounties would be charged to income rather than to capital account, as in the past.

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The figures he presented were in themselves the most eloquent tribute possible to the growth and prosperity of the country and needed no amplification by the finance minister. In the face of the story they told Hon. George E. Foster had to confine his criticism, as he himself expressed it, to "sticking a pin in here and there."

For the financial year 1909-10 the surplus was little over \$22,000,000, which paid all the charges on capital account for railways and canals, for public works, for the Dominion Lands, for military contingencies and also \$7,000,000 was deposited in the National Transcontinental Railway. The actual revenue for the second year of 1907-8, which was \$10,000,000 in excess of that of the previous year and \$8,000,000 in excess of the second year of 1907-8.

For the year just closed the total revenue was \$117,500,000, an increase of \$10,000,000 over last year's high record. The expenditure on consolidated fund accounts amounted to \$87,000,000, an increase of about \$7,500,000. And in this increase there was included the expenditure for Dominion Lands surveys and for militia, totalling \$2,800,000, which would have formerly been charged to capital account. It also included \$1,250,000 spent on the naval service, both of which amounts were this year paid out of revenue.

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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

Bowling
Tigers and Emerson & Fisher Win.
Two games were played on Black's alley last evening in the City League the Tigers won four points from the Y. M. C. A., and in the Commercial League the Emerson & Fisher team forfeited to Emerson & Fisher. The scores were:

City League.		Total.	Ave.
Sweeney	88	83	281
Emerson	82	74	247
Belyea	87	88	293
Emerson	80	75	255
Mitchell	81	82	272
Emerson	81	82	272
Total		473	440
Y. M. C. A.		Total.	Ave.
Emerson	73	88	297
Bent	114	70	234
Jackson	104	87	291
Emerson	81	80	260
Scott	81	84	283
Total		433	424

Commercial League.		Total.	Ave.
Kelly	70	69	212
Ring	69	68	205
Emerson	80	88	284
Springer	82	85	285
Class	77	84	281
Total		387	370

Emerson & Fisher.
Tonight in the City League the Emerson & Fisher team defeated the Y. M. C. A. team by a score of 4-1. The Commercial League the Emerson & Fisher team will play Waterbury & Rising.

Acquatic
Howard and Yale Race.
Cambridge, Mass., April 4.—The annual boat race between Harvard and Yale will be held at New London on Friday, June 16. It is announced that the race will be held here today. For many weeks diplomatic negotiations have been in progress between the two universities.

Basket Ball
In the Stone church school room last night the Boys' Brigade basketball team of the Y. M. C. A. defeated the Beavers 9 to 7.

Athletic
The maritime five mile championship race of the C. B. A. O. U. and M. P. A. A. A. was held at St. John's on Tuesday evening.

VERY CREDITABLY PRESENTED
An entertainment in the St. John's Presbyterian church school room last night, under the auspices of the Young Men's Guild, was well attended. All the performers were themselves excellent. The feature of the evening was the presentation of a very humorous sketch entitled "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard." It was presented by seven young lads and four young men, and the audience were kept laughing throughout. The sketch abounds in many funny situations, and the actors made the most of them.

Those taking part were—Misses L. Kennedy, E. Hamm, M. Whitney, H. Smith, G. Cunningham, A. Storm, M. Baird, and Messrs. J. Gray, L. Day, E. M. Slader and C. Armstrong. During the evening Rev. J. H. A. Anderson delighted the audience with a reading. George Grey presided. Mrs. William Crockett received a handsome bouquet for her social work in connection with the holding of the entertainment.

LOYALIST SOCIETY
At a meeting of the Loyalist Society last night with the president, D. J. Seely in the chair, Ven. Archdeacon Raymond was appointed to represent the society at the meeting of the Royal Society in Ottawa. Reference was made by the president to the death of W. E. Vroom and a resolution of condolence on his death was passed. D. R. Jack made a brief report upon land memorials and other loyalist documents now in the possession of the local government. Premier Hazen promised that the government would take up the matter of having these documents properly bound for preservation. A paper was read by Mr. Jack upon the question as to whether Brigadier Young was the descendant of a New Brunswick Loyalist family, as had been alleged.

TO WED AN EARL
(Toronto News)
The engagement of Miss Mabel Wyndham, Alberta, to the Hon. Viscount Cadogan, second son of the Earl of Cadogan is announced. Miss Wyndham is the daughter of Colonel Wyndham, of Okotoks, Alberta, an English army officer, was at one time in the imperial army, serving for several years in the Mediterranean theatre of operations. In the sixties he came to Canada, settling first in Ontario and in 1887 in Alberta where he took up ranching in the foothills, and has lived there ever since.

A sailor's bag of white canvas makes an excellent laundry bag for a boy's room. Besides being strong and washable, it will prove attractive to the boy and an incentive to keep his room shipshape.

RECIPROCITY VOTED DOWN BY LOCAL TORIES

Party Vote in Legislature Defeats Hon. Mr. Robinson's Amendment—Hon. Mr. Morrissey Gets Into Limelight

Fredericton, April 5.—At 2 o'clock this morning the amendment of Hon. Mr. Robinson endorsing reciprocity and favoring increases of the British preference to 50 per cent was defeated on a straight party vote, 29 to 15. The vote stood: Nays—Hon. Messrs. Currie, LaBelle, Robinson, Copp, Sweeney, Tweeddale, Burgess, Bentley, Leeger, Lowndes, Byrnes, Sormany, Leeger, Upham, Burhill—15. Ayes—Hon. Mr. Hazen, Fleming, Grimmer, Murray, Dr. Landry, McLeod, Maxwell, Messrs. Murray, Dickson, Woods, Slipp, Hart, Dr. Taylor, Jones, Munro, Spry, Pender, Young, Dr. Morehouse, Glesler, Prescott, Wilson, MacLachlan, Allyn, Baker, Cyr, Dr. Bourque, Hatheway, Sheridan—29.

Had Premier Hazen stated that he would not consider the reciprocity amendment vote as one of a want of confidence in the government had not answered his questions in accordance with the information they had.

Mr. Lowell again showed up the condition of the suspension bridge here and said the government had not answered his questions in accordance with the information they had.

Mr. Robinson presented a petition in favor of the bill to amend the schools act as it refers to Montreal.

Mr. Munro presented a petition in favor of a bill to incorporate the Hartland Electric Power Company.

Mr. Prescott introduced a bill to incorporate the village of Albert for fire and water purposes.

Mr. Prescott introduced a bill to incorporate the Southern Bloom & Driving Company.

Hon. Mr. Grimmer introduced a bill respecting the manufacture of spruce and other pulpwood, cut from crown lands.

Hon. Mr. Hazen introduced a bill to provide for the taking of a vote in the parish of Carleton, in the county of Gloucester, under the liquor license act.

LIVED 100 YEARS IN HOUSE IN WHICH HE WAS BORN
Montreal, April 5.—The death of Israel Robin Lapointe, of Cote Visitation, removed one of the oldest natives of the Island of Montreal. One hundred years ago he was born in the house in which he died. He was married when twenty-two years of age to Mary Louise Plante and 12 children were born. The eldest daughter, now seventy-seven years of age, is still living. Ninety-four grand-children, one hundred and forty-seven great-grandchildren, and twenty-six great-great-grandchildren survive.

AN ALPINE TRAGEDY
A pathetic little Alpine drama is reported from the village of Fernez, in the Canton of Grisons, where a nine-year-old girl, named Gretzer, lost her life to save that of her little chamois. At Christmas the Greater family received a present of a baby chamois, and the animal was brought up and cared for by their only daughter. Two days ago the animal escaped, and was followed by the young girl across the valley.

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THE BAPTIST MINISTERS
(Maritime Baptist)
Rev. G. W. Schurman, of Campbellton, N. B., was at Bear River, N. S., a few days ago.

Dr. A. K. deBois, of the First Baptist church, Chicago, has been visiting his old home in Wolfville.

Rev. Herbert Lockhart, formerly of Canine, N. S., has become pastor of the Caroline, R. I., Free Baptist church.

Rev. A. A. Risdon, of Newton Theological Seminary, paid a short visit to his father and mother at Hartland, N. B. last week.

Rev. H. Gratton Dockrill, a former Moncton pastor, continues in evangelistic work. He is now conducting meetings in Lewiston, Me.

Rev. A. E. Estall, preached his farewell sermon at Middle Sackville, N. B. on Sunday, the 29th ult. He has removed to Massachusetts.

The Waterloo street church has added \$100 to the salary of its worthy pastor, Rev. F. H. Wentworth, the increase to date from December last.

SUDDEN DEATH OF CHARLES L. BELIEA
The death of Charles L. Belyea took place at the residence of his son at the Narrows on Thursday, Mr. Belyea had been in ill health for a short time and it was thought he was recovering but he took a sudden turn for the worse and passed away on Thursday evening. He was 70 years of age and leaves four daughters—Mrs. M. T. Somerville of Cady's, Mrs. G.

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AMUSEMENTS FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS

THE GEM
A thrilling Indian drama of the western is announced for today and tomorrow in the Gem programme for the sensational Pathé American story "Lieut. Scott's Narrow Escape." It deals with the venture of a young army officer into the environments of an Indian settlement and his chance meeting with a beautiful young Redskin maid. An elaborate Edison production is promised in the interesting and educational picture "An Unselfish Love," in which the Edison company enacts the roles and the bewitching scenery of the far Canadian Northwest, where extensive farming developments are shown. Remarkable results may be achieved with a little touch of an artist's brush, and in the Lubin comedy "Dobbs, the Dauber," it is seen that funny incidents may arise from the innocent if funny touches made on every available space by a janitor turned painter. Tom, Waterfall sang "We Miss Me" and the orchestra has some new pieces.

THE STAR
The distinguishing feature of the programme will be a superb spectacular picture of a religious character from the laboratories of Pathé Freres, Paris, entitled "The Woman of Samaria," an appropriate Lenten film. The Vitagraph romance "Coward or Hero," will have as its leading character a favorite actor Leo Castello and the two Lubin comedies "The False Love and the True," and "Zedek's Awakenings," will cause much merriment. Miss Vivian King will enter upon the final fall week of her engagement in a new costume number and the music will be as usual bright and catchy.

THE UNIQUE
A simple and direct theme well worked out and much excitement is contained in Thanet's story of the Civil War, "For Her Sake," at the Unique Theatre today and Thursday. The central thought is the change made when two enemies are brought together on the body of a mutually loved one. Assisting her lover to escape, a girl is hit by a shot of the enemy. When the soldiers go to arrest the fugitive they find him bending over the dead body of his fiancée. This is the simple story, and it is told with a directness and strength that is irresistible and develops a feeling of pity as well as interest. The famous classic "Thais" beautifully lampooned, depicts a true story of olden days. Two other subjects were also included. Harry Newcombe has proven that he has lost none of his popularity and is singing in better voice than ever.

THE LYRIC
That good music is appreciated in St. John was exemplified last evening at the Lyric Theatre when the Mexican musicians the Ballo Brothers repeated the success of Monday. This will be the last day of their stay here and the entire future programme will be changed tomorrow. A rattling big show is promised visitors for the latter part of the week. The Deverses singing and dancing set said to be away from the ordinary, will fill the vaudeville bill most creditably if advance reports speak true. The photo plays will comprise four of the best subjects that can be had.

BOYHOOD AND ALCOHOL
There are some things so awful to contemplate that the guise of medicine for boys. We believe Scott's Emulsion is the only preparation of Cod Liver Oil that contains absolutely no alcohol, drug or harmful ingredient of any sort. ALL DRUGGISTS