

SYSTEM AS OPPOSED TO CHAOS

SENATORS AT AWA

Conservative Members of Lumden Investigating Commission Refuse to Allow Gov't All the Say

Messrs. Lennox, Barker and Crothers Resign and Debacle is Precipitated.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, March 4.—A climax without parallel in the history of parliamentary proceedings was precipitated this afternoon...

The action of the three members came as a direct reply to the non-recognition of the rights of the majority...

A Peculiar Situation. Mr. E. M. MacDonald remarked that this was a most peculiar situation...

MRS. ASTOR CAN RE-MARRY ON \$50,000 A YEAR

Final Decree in Divorce Granted in Suit Against Col. John Jacob Astor on Statutory Grounds.

New York, March 4.—Beneath the signature which made final today, the introductory decree of divorce previously granted Mrs. Astor...

Mr. Clark mildly observed that he did not think party feeling should be permitted to enter into the case at all...

UNVARNISHED STORY OF JUST ADMINISTRATION AND HONEST DEALINGS

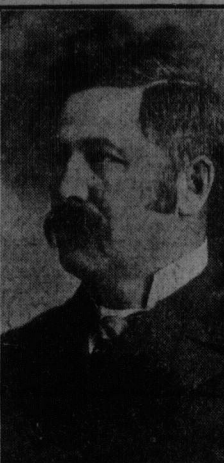
Hon. J. K. Flemming Delivers His Third Budget Speech and in Telling Exposition of the Finances of Province Brings Into Bas Relief the Hideous Record of a Past Administration—Straight From the Shoulder, Sledge Hammer Statement of Honest Administration of the Public Purse

Increased Expenditure for Agriculture, Education and Roads Met by Increased Revenue Derived from Stumpage Collections and Administration of Crown Lands Department—Despite an Unusual Year Every Dollar of Ordinary Expenditure is Met From Ordinary Revenue.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Mar. 4.—Hon. J. K. Flemming, provincial secretary, delivered his third budget speech this afternoon...

Mr. Fleming was not on the defensive at any stage of his concise presentation of the financial situation of the province...

The report of the auditor general for the first time in history, contained full and detailed information of the complete dealings of the province during the fiscal year...



HON. J. K. FLEMMING.

er former unsatisfactory conditions they still existed. What had been claimed was that it would be impossible to have over-

Table with columns: Receipts of 1909, compared with Estimates, and Expenditure of 1909 Compared With Estimates. Includes sub-tables for Receipts in excess of estimate and Expenditure in excess of estimate.

DIVIDENDS IN DOWNFALL PORTFOLIO IS DECLARED

Settlement With Coal Company for \$800,000 Damages Followed by Announcement of 31 1-2 per cent Dividend.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Que., March 4.—The holders of Dominion Steel preferred stock have been waiting patiently for dividends...

In the end the two boards after full consideration of the reports made by the accountants, unanimously agreed to a settlement of the outstanding claims...

The dividend is paid in accordance with the promise made by the directors in their circular of April 16, 1909...

Greatest Sympathetic Strike in History of Organized Labor On In Philadelphia.

Members of All the Associated Unions Quit Work and Thousands Throng Streets.

Philadelphia, March 4.—Encouraged by messages of sympathy and offers of assistance from labor organizations in all parts of the country, the union workers of many trades ceased work...

EMPERESS OF BRITAIN HAD STORMY TRIP

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., March 4.—With the royal mail and fifteen hundred passengers on board, many of whom are in the steamer's hospital, the C. P. R. liner Empress of Britain arrived in port this evening from Liverpool...

TRADING COMMISSION AT TRINIDAD NOW

Port of Spain, Mar. 4.—Lord Balfour of Burleigh and other members of the Royal West Indian Commission and Mrs. George McAvity...

GLACE BAY OFFICIALS GET WALKING TICKET

Special to The Standard. Glace Bay, March 4.—At a meeting of the town council, a number of prominent town officials were dismissed...