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(Continued From Page One). tion very late in the provincial cam-paign that the old act wanted mend-ing. It was remarkable how they had changed front as only up to a week or two previous to the an-nouncement of dissolution they had claimed the 1904 act to be perfect. But when they saw the storm which was breaking on them they were only too giad to take any shelter. The leader of the opposition in admitting that the act of %904 was a failure, said it was not so because it was a bad act, but because there was not enough money, to carry it out pro-perly. There could be no two opin-ions he had said about need for al-teration, the only question was which party should do it. When the bill, was before the house last ses-sion the leader of the opposition in ad-voted to retain the poll tax at the amount which he complained was in-sufficient under the old act. Mr. Robinson said one objection to the act was the need of more mon-ey in most localities but that in some cases the money raised by the old act was reasonably sufficient. More-over he, last session, suported an amendment to fix minimum poll tax at one dollar because that amount was sufficient in some cases and where not sufficient matter should be left with municipality. That was the pro-mise of the government and that pro-mise of the sovernment and that pro-mise of the sovernment and that pro-mise of the sovernment and the po-deman undergone any change of heart in that respect. Mr. Robinson said the leader of the opposition had also advocated pay-ment of poll tax by youths of eigh-teen and upwards. Had the hon, gen-there seemed to be a general opin-ion that the act of last year as it stood at present, did not contain the neces-sary provisions for the purpose. Roads were better last year than they had ever been before and some good work had been done on them in months of June, July and August. He knew prac-tically the whole of the work on the roads which was done in those three months. There had been liftle or no money But when they saw the storm which was breaking on them they were only



It Sydney S Mr. Munro said he repudiated any such a statement as the hon, member had just made and he would ask him to either retract or make good. He had would ask the hon, member if he carding the elections last fail the same statements re-sarding the elections last fail the same statements re-sarding the elections last fail the same statements re-sarding the elections last fail to try and elect their candid-ate. On the 28th of May last, one-fund to fail. On the 26th of Oct-tast he was let out of jail, taken over the st. John river in a cance where the voted, he presumed for the gov-tand worker of Conservative party was then allowed to go to the town of woodstock in a drink that he muta when allowed to go to the town of woodstock in a drink that he muta when allowed to go to the town of woodstock in a drink that he muta when had a drink that he muta when he had a drink that he muta her drink that he hon. member her drink that her hon. Here

Mr. Munro asked if the Hon. mem-ber did not know that John H. Lee vendor, sold more school books than any other two stationery stores in Woodstock.

any other two stationery stores in Woodstock. Regarding the recent horse import-ation he would be pleased to approve of the government bringing in horses that would help farmers or even give the people of the town nice driving horses, but he thought the province had no use for jumpers. One thing he thought the government was cen-surable for, was bringing in blem-ished horses. Right here in the city of Fredricton was a horse covered with ringbones and it was scandal-ous to bring such horses into the province for breeding purposes, that horse was not worth ten dollars. MR. YOUNG.

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Mr. Young followed. He said that the membrae of the oposition talked about cooperating with the govern-ment, but their action spoke louder than their words, and they showed little signs of doing so.



every cent the province possesses. All talk about benefit of act was was absurd. In reference to school books even the government's own supporters said they were making too much of a reduction. It might save little to parents but it put the pro-vince under heavy obligation and was simply taking money out of one pocket and putting it in the other. He was glad that the government appreciated the necessity of bringing in good settlers. It was impossible to do business without population and everything suffered for want of it. He hoped to see steps taken to re-patriate some of their own young men who had left the province. He particularly wished to refer to squat-ters. Officials should be most parti-cular not to allow squatting. Logislature No. 5 Sitoul



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