

**FORTY MILLION DOLLAR
RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION**

with the public debt, reduced the \$57,500,000. The sum of \$3,183,873.15 was spent in connection with the transcontinental during 1904, 1905 and 1907; and if the \$17,746,000 was added, within a few dollars \$26,000,000 would have been spent upon it by the close of the present fiscal year.

The Dominion government was not paying in subsidies to the provincial governments \$9,082,774—an increase of \$3,857,000.

The estimates for 1908-9 were: Consolidated fund expenditure, \$76,375,471; capital expenditure, \$43,355,920. He did not feel justified in expecting so large a revenue as 1907-8. It was more likely to fall below than rise above \$90,000,000. Such a revenue, however, would

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Winnipeg, Mar. 27.—“I don't
anything more strongly impress
or more appealed to my pride
Canadian while abroad than the
opinion held by all parts of the
vice concerning Sir Wilfrid L.

8. Paid for supplies to Dec. 24, 1907
about \$140,000.
On Western divisions—

To enable the banks to handle the crop in Western Canada, the government loaned \$5,315,000, all of which, with the exception of \$1,000,000, was to be repaid. It was loaned at 4 per cent, for fifty days; 5 per cent, for sixty; and 6 per cent, thereafter. The Bank of England rate at the time was 7 per cent, and as the government felt that the money could be used in other ways, it was not strictly in impairing the reserves held against the redemption of Dominion notes, but as to augment the government's credit, the activities of the wheat producing provinces. The government accepted

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FOR SALE—A NUMBER OF YOUNG pure-bred Hereford Bulls. Terms, 5 milks, cash. Write to Mrs. Louise P. O. Box 1783, Edmonton.

TOO SAFE WELL DRILL AND

W are for summer; good crop through pasture; charges moderate. C. H. Williams, Alberta, Graila.

STRAVED.

STRAYED—11 HEAD OF CATTLE, year and 2 years and calves branded behind the right shoulder (U3). John McNamee, Riverview Q. Bar.

STRAYED—ON THE PREMISES OF K. H. SKAUG, 190th Street, about November 15th, 1907. Steer, a white strip on belly, horned, some three years old, no brand visible. Steer, white with a white stripe on right side, horned, coming two years or no brand visible.

LEGAL.

The speaker was C. H. Gibbons, probably the best known New Zealand man of British Columbia, who has been taking a holiday from his official duties while directing the famous Albani's concertising round the world tour. Incidentally, of course, Mr. Gibbons has been studying the actual conditions, politics and people in many countries, and it has been his good fortune during the tour to come in touch with one or two of the great events. Thus while he was in Wellington, New Zealand, that so-called most British nation was formally proclaimed a new Dominion—Mr. Albani and her company assisted.

about 6,000 animals; the expenditure in labor and material being in the neighborhood of \$12,000,000.

which acted as the government agent. The gold reserve is not entirely gold, but is in part impounded debentures, and the government agreed to accept the borrowing bank's securities as collateral in advance of the Bank of Montreal as evidence of the imperial guaranteed value of the imperial guaranteed debentures against which the notes were issued. This was a technical departure from the currency act, and would require ratification. The effect of the issue was to reduce the percentage of the reserve of gold and guaranteed debentures from 61 to 50, which, however, most financiers would say was a very strong position.

TO RENT.

TEACHER WANTED - FOR THE
Sturgeon Valley School District No. 77; duties to commence at once; first and second class certificate; state salary and experience; all applications to be in by April 6th, 1906, accompanied by recent testimonials to be sent to William Mann Secretary, Ben Accord P. O., Alta.

JUDICIAL SALE.

Public Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Giesbrecht, the following named Insolvent Estates—Assignments—Liquidations.

Winnipeg, Man.
Insolvent Estates—Assignments—Liquidations.

GRIESBACH, O'CONNOR & ALLSON,
Advocates, Notaries, Etc,
Solicitors for the Trades Bank
Canada.
Offices - Gariepy Block, Jasper Avenue, Edmonton.

BOYLE & PARLEE,
Barristers and Advocates, Notaries, Etc.
Solicitors for the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Gariepy Block, Edmonton

Zealand, the numerous political
tains of Australia, the viceroys
Minto) and the commander-in-
General Lord Kitchener, the
of Afghanistan, the Nizam of
bad, Rt. Hon: Winston Church-
many other world notables len-
dent to the Canadian's tour,
embraced 70,000 miles of land
water travel—and not a day of
trilling illness.

The contrasted advantages and
advantages of government-owned
operated railways in new coun-

ful navigation of the shoals of the past few months. The crisis has been passed and the West has sav-

to issue, during the crop movement period, an emergency currency to the extent of 15 per cent. of their combined paid-up capital and reserve. For the privilege of doing so, the banks would have to pay on the issue a tax not exceeding 5 per cent. the percentage to be determined by the state of the money market. The paid-up capital of the Canadian banks was \$93,137,611 and the rest of the assets \$74,071,964, or a total of \$167,209,575. Fifteen per cent. of \$164,129,575, the paid-up capital, was \$24,619,436, half of which was \$12,309,718.

The government proposed to make important changes in the excise law but they were not intended to affect

The Fourth Meridian, in the Province of Alberta, will be sold by public auction at the Court House in Vancouver, B.C., by Edmondton, Sheriff of the Edmondton Judicial District, in the City of Edmondton, Province of Alberta, on Wednesday, the 26th day of April, 1908, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, commencing at the North End of Edmonton, Alberta, on this 17th day of March, 1908.

SHORT, CROSS & BIGGAR,
Plaintiffs-Solicitors.

Do not forget the Auction Sale of the Parcel of Land Registered under No. 1040 on March 23rd. A party to raise part of his money from the sale of his land, or to get rid of his surplus cash, can do so by selling it to the company and private funds to loan

Savings and Loan Company, etc., Dominion Life Assurance Co., The Mutual Funds to loan.
J. R. Boyle. H. H. Part
Garley Block.

Wm. Short,
Hon. C. W. Cross,
O. M. Biggar
SHORT, CROSS & BIGGAR,
Advocates, Notaries, Etc.
Offices at present in the Edmondton Board new offices of Merchants Bank over new offices of Merchants Bank, 2nd Floor, 200 Main Street, Edmondton, Alberta. Company and private funds to loan

"At home in Canada," said M. J. A. B. "we do not properly appreciate Sir Wilfrid Laurier. We have too familiar with him as a figure in our national politics to consider at the higher valuation which a broader-thinking world gives to an eminent statesman. As we will say, apologetically, 'of course we have no great statesman like the English Lord or the New Zealand'

1873 can rank for severity with the panic of 1907. The period during which the banks of the country

The imports for the eleven months up to February 29th, 1908, were \$3,174,095; for the preceding corresponding period, \$308,764,306. The exports for the eleven months ended Feb. 29th, 1908, were \$261,434,821.

bar, a painter, hours and a bank account.

Yours truly,
W. J. McNAMARA.

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'Australia regards Sir Wilfrid
Sir Edmund Barton said to me
versation, 'as the greatest
and statesman that any British
has yet produced,' and 'who
thinks of it, the viewpoint
wider world is normal.' Sir
has proven himself a greater
than his own countrymen as
appreciate.

"The Canadian system of

previous great panics, the three points of weakness on which the incidence of the ensuing period of hard times

\$617.96,952 in 1907; the imports I
\$90,327,962 to \$359,795,278 in 1907;
exports from \$75,875,393 in 1877
to \$28,171,647 in 1907; the total
with Great Britain from \$74,883,25
to \$208,745,193; the railway traffic i
6,859,706 tons to \$63,866,133; bank
accounts from \$126,292,470 to \$639,
696; deposits by people in the char
ed banks from \$62,129,706 to \$589,
889, and deposits in the post o
and government savings banks i
\$7,470,630 to \$61,493,671. The pay
capital of the banks increased f
\$61,701,007 in 1895 to \$93,137,611

WANTED — TEACHER for DEN-
wood School District No. 155, Prov-
ince of Alberta. Duties to commence
at Easter Term. State qualifications
and Salary. Address: J. H. Dawson,
Chairman, Board of Trustees, Denwood,
Alta.

Duke D'Abuzzi is interviewed.
Queenstown, March 26: "The Last-
night arrived tonight. Reporters
haunted her and unconvincingly
view the Duke D'Abuzzi." They

jealousies exhibited through-
tralia are complimentary rather
vexatious. I was greatly
while in Sydney to read a do-
umn newspaper article warn-
pective emigrants against the
of freezing to death in icy Can-
I took it up in conversation
advertiser—a big really opera-
he: 'We've got to do some-
divert any portion of the st-
emigration this way; prospec-

gov- past winter will have been wasted.
Lon- "The United States did not get
first great start in the world's c

TEACHER FASTS FORTY DAYS

Chicago Girl Then Takes Long Walk
—Loses Only Twenty-one Pounds—

Long Beach, Cal., March 27.—
Etta Priscilla Grove, the Chicago school teacher, completed the forty days of her fast last night, and she agreed to concede to the request of her sister and take sustenance for the first time since undertaking her fast. She then declared that she felt in perfect health, and that she had beaten the record of fasting established by Dr. Tanner, she feels.

his arrival in Rome. Replying to a request to use the *Hebdomada* as a medium of publicity, the Duke said: "I regret that is impossible. The announcement will necessarily tend in the usual manner through the official Italian press."

Outsider Won Steeplechase.

London, March 27.—The Grand National steeplechase, which was held at 123 sovereigns, including a trophy valued at 125 sovereigns, was run at Aintree yesterday. Major Tom Cannon, the outsider, won, carrying 12 stone five. The winner was a rank outsider starting at 100 to 1. He was trained by Costello, Mr. Cooper's Muttie.

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But if you are prepared for them beforehand, they are soon mended. **Bruses, Wrenches, Neuralgia, Sciatica and Strains** yield instantly to

Government Railways
 "I do not think," Mr. Gibb continued, "that I was ever more pointed than over the great divide between the vision and the reality of government railways. Nations, as Mr. Maclean, of course, holds them up for admiration about the best thing going. The fact is that Mr. Maclean is covering the nationalized railway of dreams. The real national railways of countries whose conditions are those of Canada are vastly different."

Columbus, Ohio, March 27.—Sen
Lamb of Toledo today created a se

A Strenuous Day in Tennessee
Nashville, Tenn., March 26.—Representatives of Tennessee assembled this morning for a State convention. Many of the delegates had dark, bruised faces, testified to rioting which marked the gathering in the House of Representatives. In the list of

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the nationalization plan is alluring; in practice it is forged for national suicide. solely of countries in the period, with vast areas of to be opened up and given population—such countries as Canada.

"After five months' study working out of nationalization ways more particularly, unities in Australia and N

"The guard," said Mr. Lamb, "the man to shut up, but I got out of him anyway."

presented a sorry appearance when he emerged from the struggle between the two factions, one supporting the interests of Congressman W. B. Lee, the other those of former Commissioner of Pensions L. Clay Evans.

BURN.
STEPHENSON.—At Lac Ste. Anne, Monday, March 9, 1896, the wife of William Stephenson, (twins, two) all doing well.

which a patriotic people
seeing a virgin country of