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ASSEMBLY CALLED

The Next Session of the Legislature will meet in Regina on April 2nd.

The legislative assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan has been called to meet at the capital on Thursday, April 2nd.

Premier Scott who has been spending the winter in the Mediterranean will be back before the House opens. The Lieutenant Governor who has been spending some months in the east while government works was undergoing repairs, will also be back for the opening.

There will be a couple of changes in the House from last session. It will be remembered that Hon. J. H. Lamont, now Judge Lamont, led the House last session in the absence of the premier. This year Mr. Scott will be home to lead the House, and the Attorney General's place will be filled by Hon. Alphonse Turgeon who succeeded Mr. Lamont in constituency and position.

The opposition will be strengthened by the member of Prince Albert District, Mr. S. J. Donaldson. This will be the first session that this constituency will be represented in this assembly.

A COMING MAN

Major Whitmore, President of Regina Board of Trade, a Very Busy and Big Business Citizen.

After being absent from the city for practically two months, A. E. Whitmore of the well known firm of Whitmore Bros., returned home from Winnipeg Tuesday and left again on Friday for his ranch at Yellow Grass where he will arrange for the erection of a new building on his property in that district. Two weeks ago Mr. Whitmore was called to Banff to attend a conference of the big coal dealers of the west and it is learned that the meeting will result in material advantage to the consumers. Mr. Whitmore is no doubt one of the busiest of Regina's biggest

IMPROVED FINANCES

Lower Price Level Being Attained Which Will Lead to More Industrial Activity.

Money conditions throughout the United States have become more settled, and the outlook is for steady rates for some time to come, says the Montreal Business. Bank reserves have been well restored, and if expectations are confirmed may rise to higher figures as the inflow of funds from interior points continues. There is a steady demand for loans for commercial purposes, but money goes somewhat farther now than it did several months ago, because of declines in the United States in the prices of nearly all everyday commodities as well as of securities. Demands upon the money markets will be considerable, however, for some time to come, as nearly \$300,000,000 of corporate obligations in the stock market will have to be met, extended or refunded before next summer. In general business there is a more cheerful feeling, as industrial concerns which have been shut down for several months are beginning to commence operations again, and in some quarters production is being resumed on an even increased scale. Prices for commodities throughout the United States have tended appreciably, and concessions in wages are occurring here and there. Slowly but it is claimed surely, the United States is working towards a lower price level which will induce a general resumption of industrial and commercial activity. The process is a little unpleasant, but inevitable.

The January foreign trade to the United States are sufficient to bring some encouragement. The total exports for that month amounted to over \$260,000,000 or \$17,000,000 in excess of the same month in 1907. This gain is credited to increased shipments of breadstuffs. The import side is not quite so satisfactory. The total imports for January amounted to \$257,700,000, a falling away of about \$32,000,000 as compared with the same month last year. The excess of exports over imports for the month amounted to \$120,000,000, compared with \$62,700,000 twelve months ago.

On Wall street last week prices generally have fluctuated within moderate limits. In some cases, values have receded to almost the recent panic level, but since weak spots have been pretty thoroughly eliminated and much of the unfavorable news coming out daily has been known to insiders for some time, there would appear to be little chance of any further important decline in the general market. The successful placing, recently, of \$50,000,000 New York city bonds, subscriptions having aggregated nearly \$300,000,000, shows that there is still plenty of money for investment purposes, especially when securities of unquestionable safety are placed on the market. Investments at present are much more closely scrutinized than previous to the October panic, and there appears to be a decided preference for bonds and preferred stocks. Better earnings of railroads and industrial concerns should soon be restored, since easier money assists the crop movement, which has been considerably hampered by the scarcity of funds during the panic.

The English and other European markets pursued an irregular course through last week, first hardening, then easing, and then returning to some firmness. The Bank of England however, is now in control of the outside market, and any lower minimum than the four per cent rate now prevailing is not likely to be witnessed for several weeks. The appetite for securities is reviving, especially in England, as has been shown by the success of several recent Canadian issues of new capital. In Germany the general situation is not satisfactory from a business point of view. It had been stated officially that an early reduction in the discount rate of the Imperial Bank of Germany is highly improbable, owing to the condition of the European exchanges. The Paris markets have been unsettled and weak, but business is certain to improve with the opening of spring trade.

Pekin, March 7.—Japan's ultimatum in the case of the Japanese steamer Tatsu Maru received by the Chinese, was presented to the head of the Chinese foreign board on Saturday, and the board has the matter under consideration. Action is demanded within a "reasonable" time. In case of default or postponement, Japan, according to the terms of her ultimatum, "will take immediate action."

China has since apologized and promised to punish the offenders.

FAVOR CHURCH UNION

Winnipeg, March 7.—That from an economic standpoint, the proposed union of churches is expedient. That the union of these three churches will result in increased and better efficiency in all missionary work.

That the union of these three great churches is certain to greatly increase the efficiency in all missionary work.

That the union of these three great churches is certain to greatly increase the efficiency and power of the Christian force for social progress.

The above resolutions were unanimously passed at a banquet in Grace church school room, in connection with the proposal to form a union of the three churches, Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregationalists, and for the purpose of discussing the basis which had been arrived at. There was a very large attendance, several hundred clerics and laymen being present, while ecclat was given to the proceedings by the presence as chairman for the evening of His Hon. Sir Daniel McMillan, lieutenant-governor of the province.

LONGAKETON

Everyone is enjoying this beautiful weather. We have only had one blizzard this winter, consequently lots of fun of all sorts going on.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ren-

AMEND ELECTION ACT

In the House of Commons on Monday, Mr. Aylesworth introduced a bill to amend the Dominion Elections Act. The amendments suggested are contained in the following:

(1) All contributions to election

expenses must be made through a candidates' statutory agent who must make the same public.

(2) Heavy penalties are provided for contributions to election funds on the part of corporations.

(3) Circulation of false statements regarding the conduct or character of a candidate to be penalized, if shown to be circulated with a view to affecting the election result.

(4) Handbills printed during the election campaign must bear the name of the printers.

(5) Aliens are forbidden to take any part in the elections.

(6) A penalty is provided for tearing down of public proclamations.

(7) Nominating papers must give the nominee's address.

(8) The bribery clauses of the oath for a vote is to be made clearer.

(9) A special numbered ballot is to be allowed to voters whose names are omitted from the list, but who will take the oath that they are qualified.

(10) Where the federal subdivisions are not identical with the provincial authority is given for the transfer of names from one classification to another.

(11) No ballot shall be spoiled by any mark placed on it by the deputy returning officer.

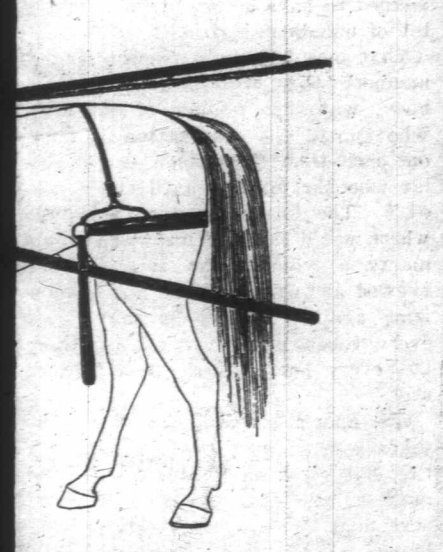
(12) A penalty of disfranchisement and disqualification for a federal office for eight years is added to the present penalties against bribe givers and bribe takers.

(13) Imprisonment is made compulsory in all cases of tampering with ballots.

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