WRECKED MOUNT TEMPLE.

Vessel Shows No Signs of

Breaking Up.

Montreal, Q., Dec. 11.—Dispatches re-ceived at the C. P. R. offices to-day

Local Ottawa Passenger Train Crashes

Into Freight Engine at Arnprior.

OTHER POWERS

AMENDMENTS ASKED FROM LEGISLATURE

What the Council Will Endeavor to Get From Parliament This Session.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

At the meeting of the city counci Monday evening, the legislative com mittee reported upon the proposed powers they would seek at the next session of the House. A good number of these are similar to what were asked for

Gentlemen,—We, your committee or legislation beg to report as follows: We have had under consideration the amendments which should be sought on behalf of the corporation of this city as well as inside the municipality. the Municipal Clauses Act in the ensuing session.

Information has reached us that it is not the intention of the government to introduce the measure, which in previous years, has been urged upon them to remodel the Municipal Clauses Act by separating the powers given to the various classes of the munigislate upon certain defined subjects, following the mode in which legislative power is conferred in the eastern

Your committee regret to report that there does not appear to be a unity of sentiment among the municipalities whilst all appear to concur in desiring simplification of legislation, the wants of growing city municipalities, do not appear to excite the interest of the other municipalities, and through-with the power to construct sewers,

very many amendments advanced by the council in former years. The most of these amendments have been taken amendment be framed to meet this day and draw a large audience, with such names from existing powers in Ontario and difficulty. elsewhere, and have been repeatedly

ing of the Municipal Act.
Among those which your recommend should be again put forward during the next session are the following:

Power to increase the business tax for raising municipal revenue. maximum tax now authorized, which covers nearly every trading business of local in the city, is \$5 for every six months. Either certain specified businesses should be separately taxed on a fair and equitable basis, dealing with each case so as to make the burden not unduly onerous, or as advocated in prepercentage tax not exceeding 7 1-2 on actual or estimated rental value should actual or estimated rental value should be within the power of the council, the assessment roll being taken as a guide, with a court of revision to remedy inequalities. Included in the requirement would be the separation of large dequalities. Included in the requirement would be the separation of large departmental stores, with power to the council to define the departments to be saparately taxed.

Licensing and regulating electricians

As to subdivision plans and subdivision plans and subdivisions of city lots and lands, power to the council to oppose filing of same, unless in conformity as nearly as may be with the plan of the laying out of be with the plan of the laying out of the city tender, each party will pay their own costs; if the amount the city tender, each party will pay their own costs; if the amount the city tender, each party will pay their own costs; if the amount the city tender, each party will pay their own costs; if the amount the city tender is desired to the council to oppose filing of same, the amount the city tender is desired to the council to oppose filing of same, the amount the city tender is desired to the council to oppose filing of same, the amount the city tender is desired to the council to oppose filing of same, the amount the city tender is desired to the council to oppose filing of same, the amount the claims, but more than the amount the claims, but more

right to enter immediately after ex-propriation proceedings without fur-The existing legislation enables the ther notice.

part of the expense of the boundary trouble and annoyance the municipal streets and public utilities benefiting authorities have experienced in the adjoining lands.

power of assessing for scavenger work by enabling the council to divide the city into and define scavengering areas and appoint officers and by special rate not to be included in gen-

With due regard to existing contracts to compel telephone and other wires to be placed underground in certain specificed localities and along the chargeable on special rate assessing the government.

The desirable the government of the government of the government of the government.

—A Canadian patent was received during the past week through the chargeable on special rate assessing the government. improvement and as- rates. sed for accordingly.

To authorize the destruction of be supported,

buildings during fires to prevent the spread of fire; for the prevention smoke from factory chimneys.

To define nuisances to the public health and safety and impose fines upon persons creating, continuing or suffering same to exist.

'To regulate the location, construc-tion and use of all manufactories or industries, which prejudice the com-fort and convenience of private resifort and convenience of private residents, or which, if allowed, may deeciate the value of adjacent assessable property.

To regulate the location of lumber yards and places for piling timber, firewood and combustible material, and to require removal when danger-

To compel owners of vacant lots to keep same clear of brush or other de-trimental growths in certain specified districts, and to prevent the digging of sand pits and the accumulation of substances dangerous to the public safety To compel owners of certain streets etc., to mark up the words "private road," and to maintain the same in a

cleanly and fit state. To own, construct and operate pub-

age, and fix rental for storage. To join with other municipalities for last year. The report of the committee the joint supply of water for all pur-which was adoped was as follows:

poses, and for drainage or sewerage works or connections.

To expropriate, purchase, and own sand pits, gravel pits, and stone quar-ries for municipal purposes, outside

commend an alteration in the mode in ture of the telegram.

ipalities which improvement works are initiatthe various classes of the municipalities throughout the province, and giving to the province, and giving to be sought to do away with the right of petition against a work of local improvement which the council, by say three-fourths majority decide to be mperative, substituting machinery fo revising the assessment for the work.

The municipal working of past forming the union in British Columbia.
The requirements for legislation come from both rural, township and city, and which have not previously received

With the same object certain techelsewhere, and have been trying a urged as showing the necessity for a nical amendments are necessary to enable surface drainage to be carried out under the local improvement sections. An amendment is required to confine the duty of the municipality, out of annual revenue, to maintain and repair a work done under local improvement to the estimated life of the improvement, so that when such estimated lifetime has ceased the work of local improvement can be recon

Your committee would further re commend a declaration by statute that compensation should not be payable to persons encroaching on streets for the land, or for the improvements where involved - considerable law expense

the city and to prevent blind street city will recover the costs.

To enable the city to enter on all lanes and alleys and private streets, for the purpose of public utilities and always and private streets, and always and private streets, and always and private streets, and avoid the heavy logal and av

To assess lands adjoining on pub- the same the street lines. Your comparks and public grounds for a mittee consider that a great deal of the past would be obviated if it is made To expropriate right of way for the compulsory upon owners of land, besewer and other utilities, paying only fore constructing fences on street for the right of way without having boundaries to apply for the street line to pay for the land itself.

To compel the disposal of trade

To compel the disposal of trade waste and rubbish in a public incinerator; to enable the council to define by by-law what should be deemed waste and to fix a charge for destruction, and to improve the existing face, in numerous cases, the necessity up through the reading of a reso

city treasurer, that it is desirable to the government

specified streets and bridges and to ments and charges, whilst 8 per cent. torney of Vancouver, granted to J. enact that this work shall be deemed is chargeable on the general purposes Fletcher, of this city, on a protective The city treasurer further points out tomobiles or the like. This invention To regulate touters, runners, agents and cadgers for stages, cars, vehicles, vessels and houses of public enter-tainment.

To regulate evoluters, runners, agents and cadgers for stages, cars, vehicles, vessels and houses of public enter-tainment.

To regulate exhibitions device that the details in the notice of assessment required by sections 142 & 144, give to the taxpayer a quite unnecessary amount of detail, only tending to curred to it to prevent skidding. Care To regulate exhibitions, dance halls, sard and he suggests the elimination of the columns in the notice given of amusement with power to prohibit of amusement with power to prohibit of amusement with power to prohibit of the general special and debt charges. You are the columns of the columns are the columns of the columns in the notice given at the columns a of amusement with power to prohibit same in certain specified districts of the city where the existence of the same will diminish the value of assessable property.

To make regulations prohibiting the prove a saving of labor in the adminishment of adulterated food stuffs.

To a dulterated food stuffs. prove a saving of labor in the admin-istration of the city's finances it should be supported.

vention is being inantifactured locally, and has met with the unqualified ap-proval of those who have it in use,

GRANBY SMELTER

Prospect of Settlement Between Owners and Men at Grand Forks Further Protracted.

Grand Forks, Dec. 10.-A telegram has just been received by the local labor union here which will tend to widen the breach between the Granby llc wharves, rallways and tramways company and the unions, and will at connected therewith; to regulate stor-least for the present, retard any setleast for the present, retard any settlement of the difficulty. This wire is from Denver and is as follows:

"Denver, Colo., Dec. 9 .- To A. Hardy, sident of Miners Union at Grand Forks, B. C .- Executive board will suport miners in the Boundary to main tain present wage scale. Letters follow. (signed) Jas. Kirkwin."

As yet only a few men are working To compel the registration of at the smelter, being engaged in track common lodging and boarding houses.

A section to the act to prevent enlegular meeting of the miners union croachers on the city streets from ac-quiring title by prescription. here to-morrow evening may deal with this matter, but little hope of a set-Your committee would further re- tlement is expected in view of the na-

LOCAL TALENT.

torians Will Be Given Opportunity to Hear Some of Best Musicians of City.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) Preparations are now complete for the rand vocal and instrumental concert to e given under the auspices of the Young Vomen's Christian Association in the Victoria theatre on the evening of Thurs-

amongst its performers as Mrs. Herman Robertson, Mrs. Benedict Bantly, the Misses Winifred and Neille Lugrin, Ar-thur Gore and Frank Appartment. thur Gore and Frank Armstrong.
The sale of seats opens at the box office of the Victoria theatre on Tuesday morning next, when all tickets purchased previously may be exchanged for reserved

OAK BAY VOTES ON BY-LAWS SATURDAY

seats. A complete programme will b

published in a later issue

Ratepayers Will Have to Pass on Three Propositions Put Forward by Council.

council. One is for the raising of \$6,000 tion. Licensing and regulating electricians with a beard of examiners and the granting of certificates.

Licensing and regulating electricians with a beard of examiners and the granting of certificates.

Licensing and regulating electricians clause dealing with the requirements to purchase waterfront property for the city for expropriation or injurious affection has been advanced in former years. It is recommended to your committee that it should now be that the requirements clause dealing with the requirements to purchase waterfront property for purchase waterfront property for to attend him. He was profoundly unconscious, so much so that he thought he would die. He administered two laid down on Catherine street, Victor-laid was an estimated cost of \$60.00

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The existing legislation enables the city to give to owners of land seeking the people will wish they had some of the water-front property will be left, and then the people will wish they had some of the water-front property will be left, and then the people will wish they had some of the water-front property will be left, and then the people will wish they had some of the water-front property will be left, and then the people will wish they had some of the water-front property will be left, and then the people will wish they had some of the water-front property will be left, and then the people will wish they had some of the water-front property will be left, and then the went with Mr. McLean to the Dallas hotel on the day in question. He met Lang in the billiard room, as follows: it if they do not take it now.

IMPERIAL NEWS SERVICE Montreal Board of Trade Considers

Some Change in Supply Is Needed. That news supplied through agencies

covering for the pneumatic tires of at

BUSINESS OF Work of Salving Cargo is Advancing-

state that work of saving the cargo of the wrecked Mount Temple is proceeding satisfactorily. The steamship is in the same position, and there are no indications of the vessel breaking up. HEAD-ON COLLISION.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.-A bad wreck oc curred at Arnprior this morning. A local train from Ottawa crashed into a freight engine, head-on, both going at a rapid pace. The tender of the passenger engine was telescoped. The engineer and firemen of both engines jumped. No one was seriously injured, although the passengers were badly shaken up. The two engines and several cars were badly smashed.

WINNIPEG CONTRACTOR DEAD. Winnipeg, Dec. 10.-James Cadham, a

SUMMONED WRONG PERSONS IN CASE

Hearing of Charge of Selling Liquor on Sunday Has Been Cons quently Postponed.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

After examining two witnesses in the the holder of the license, so the case consideration:

The existing legislative power to construct main surface drains is, under the terms in the act, intermixed der the terms in the act, intermixed day, December 19th.

Benedict Bantly has selected the singers and players from amongst the best local talent, and Victoria can boast of being able to put forth a first-class musifor the defendant and H. G. Heister-

> billiard room and did not remember contribute to the cost of the work. The solicitor also advised that the ashimself at the St. Joseph's hospital. He did not remember telling Sergeant Carson that he had drunk a bottle and

> a half of brandy.
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> Witness stated that he was more or less under the influence of liquor be-fore he went to the hotel. He registered mittee were adopted: his name, but did not remember at "Recommend that a sewer be conwhat time. He did not remember whe- structed on Duchess street from Cadom or barroom,

The evidence was interrupted at altioned for by E. M. Anderson, et al. most every second question by Mr. Moresby, who objected to most of the duestions put by Chief Langley, on the ground that they were leading questions, or that they were irrelevant to the point at issue, which was the point at issue, which was the charge of selling brandy on Sunday At (From Tuesday's Daily.)

Next Saturday the ratepayers of the Oak Bay municipality will have an opportunity of voting on three new bylaws which have lately been passed by will be entailed before the right to laws which have lately been passed by Honor, who objected to such a sugges- \$1,200. Also that a sewer be con-

scribe a scale of charges applicable within and to a distance not exceeding four miles without the city, and for enlarging the powers of regulating vehicles for hire and drivers.

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Will pay their own costs; if the amount suitable for the conduct of th Saturday, although it might have been safe to the public was also adopted.

John D. McDonald, a carpenter, and he stated he was going to get his

and James and Isabella Patterson, the clause 59 of the Municipal Clause Act. parents of James Patterson, will appear on the charge.

SUICIDE OUTCOME OF 'FRISCO BANK CRASH

-A Canadian patent was received Manager of California Safe Deposit Branch Kills Himself With Shot Gun.

> San Francisco, Dec. 11 .- T. Ottway Sadier, manager of the west end branch of

CITY COUNCIL

UP LAST EVENING

Board of Trade Seek Information on Railway Extension--Septic Tank on Reserve.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) The business before the city counci last night consisted largely of routine. In great measure it was given to the onsideration of reports and communiefore the council hitherto.

Attention was directed by the board of trade to the question of the Store street railway crossing in the follow- Indian Act. ng communication signed by the secretary:

"Gentlemen,-At a meeting of the ouncil of this board of trade to-day, the serious inconvenience suffered by shippers in consequence of the inabilty of the E. & N. railway to properly handle freights was discussed and in cidentally reference was made to the Little Was Transacted at the Regular railway company's application to the railway commission of Canada for the privilege of using Store street in connecting with the proposed new freight sheds. It was also reported that the city will be represented by counse when the application is heard.
"It being understood that there is no

After examining two witnesses in the case brought against the Dallas hotel objections to granting the use of Store in which the proprietor is accused of street to the railway company, I was at the regular meeting of the Oak Bay of of the Oak Ba selling liquor on Sunday, it was discovered that James Patterson is not the holder of the license, so the case the holder of the license, so the case the license and thanking you in anticipation." the holder of the license, so the case was withdrawn, and William Patterson, the father of James Patterson, will the understanding that it should be Councillor Henderson presided. Councillor Henderson presided. Cillor Fernie was also absent.

out the past year no sufficient considered that eration has been given to legislation with a view of making a combined effort to secure the much needed reforms.

The concert ought to be well patronized when it is remembered that the proceeds when it is remembered that the proceeds of the ease of the power to legislation when it is remembered that the proceeds of the error of property.

William Lang was the first witness to the Right." This offer or the Right." This offer or the Right." This offer or the Right. This offer or t cal entertainment.

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The defendant and H. G. Heister and watched the case for the owners of the hotel property.

The solicitor advised that the tender of \$750 compensation offered to owners of the hotel property.

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hotel on Sunday, the 24th, and had his dinner there. He went in through a side door which led to the dining-room and also to the bar. He was served with dinner and also with a drink of brandy. He may have had several drinks of brandy with his dinner. He did not have any money with him. After taking his dinner he retired to the billiard room and did not remember be a matter for arbitration. With respect to the dispute with Dr. Helmcken as to his liability for a share of the cost of constructing a nermanent sidewalk on Heywood avenue, the city solicitor instructed that Dr. Helmcken was liable and that so far as he could see there was no good ground for objection on his part to billiard room and did not remember forwarded.

The following rece

ther he had any drinks in the billiard boro Bay road, a distance of 800 feet, at an estimated cost of \$800, as peti-"Also that a sewer be constructed on Fairfield road and Trutch streets as

Dr. George Hall gave evidence of Bay avenue, southerly about 400 feet.

Licensing and regulating motors cars for hire and their drivers, and to present a scale of charges applicable within and to a distance not exceeding within and to a distance not exceeding the first part of the control of the control of the same to cost \$2,000. The members have brought any ordinary drunk-informed that the present walk has been repaired and if a new one is to without effect. The patient was be laid it should be of cement."

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officer, who have been looking for pro

dinner. Two hours after he saw him again in a little room off the billiard room sleeping in a chair. He tried to with the fences and old sidewalks are waken him, but he only partially suc- in such an unsanitary condition that Just at that stage of the proceedings They are assessed in the name of Mr. it was shown that James Patterson was not the owner of the license, and Bridgeman, agent, on lot No. 405, block case was accordingly withdrawn, 13, Fort street. They fully come under

The report was received. The building inspector and chief of

lows: "Gentlemen,-We inspected this day he premises known as 1112 Broad street. The place is used as a carpenter shop and lumber yard and builders' supplies. There is a one-story building at the back and a two-story the yard. We are of the opinion this property should be condemned and removed as it is a great menace to passing the act in the first instance. rounding property in case of fire. This property is situated on the south part of lot 170 of block 13, and as-sessed in the name of the B. C. Land Oliver to again offer himself for re-& Investment Co., Limited. The above election. It is generally acknowledge. mes under clauses 95 and 96 of the that Mr. Oliver has made clent presiding officer for the

legally good.

this work, and see that the numbering with respect to the septic tank on the Songhees reserve, the following communications were read. The city

olicitor wrote:
"Gentlemen,—We beg to enclose herewith a copy of a letter received from the department at Ottawa. It is by this letter made incumbent upon the city to compensate for any injurious affection and damages occasioned to any members of the band of Songhees Indians by the construction of the sep-

"It will be desirable that, following usual practice, the city assesso be asked to report to the council what (if any) injurious affection or damage will be caused, in his judgment, and the amount of compensation which should be tendered. If this amount is refused it may be desirable to proceed o arbitration The Ottawa letter referred to read

as follows: "In reply to your letter of 6th inst.,

asking the consent of the depart-ment for the construction by the city of Victoria of a septic tank on the Songhees Indian Reserve for sewerage | Ibuki was successfully launched on purposes, I beg to inform you that, beeations on matters which have been fore this department could give its sanction to the construction of such work on the reserve, the consent of the Higashi Fushimi, Vice-Admiral Saite Indians would have to be obtained, in the naval minister, and a large numaccordance with the provisions of the ber of officers and others. Admira

"J. D. M'LEAN, Secretary."

BUSINESS BEFORE

Fortnightly Meeting Last Evening.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

A communication was read from D. shortly possess a number of the latest boast of be summoned. Mr. Moresby appeared given in such a way that the city's inlass musifor the defendant and H. G. Heistertreests would not be prejudiced.

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the Victoria Motor Club, offering to construction having already been the Victoria Motor Club, offering to construction having already

Councillor Newton proposed that the clerk should buy a sufficient number of copies of the Times to send a marked number to each ratepayer, drawing the district. The inspector took him special attention to the city's advertisement of the voting on the by-laws not keep him there, and the man got for Saturday next. It was thought, away again. Inspector Wilson got after vever, that if the newspapers would him and located him yesterday, and he give special prominence to the fact in is again in safe keeping until such their news columns the same end time as he can be deported, would be achieved at less expense to

the municipality. A report was received from R. H. Johnson showing the amount of road tax that had been collected and sug-gesting that he be paid at the rate of \$3.50 a day, or 50 cents an hour for any time less than half a

make any change in the wards, it was

i: jue the property of the Oak Bay at midnight on Saturday next.

The inhabitants of Lampman street, give the few deer that are left a chance through one of the councillors, made hiection to the name given to their street. The people who live there wish be York Place, and their wishes will be acquiesced in by the council, as the street is not yet registered.

GOVERNMENT AND HEAD TAX RULING

Sir Wilfrid Said Ottawa Had no Record of Decision of Nova Scotia Supreme Court

e fire department reported as fol- record of the decision of the Supreme court of Nova Scotia deciding that it was not an offence for Chinamen to enter Canada, and that the most the government could do was to sue them for the as Mr. Aikman, who is acting for them

there is a great quantity of lumber in make any statement of the intentions of

cient presiding officer for the Oak Bay ceived by falling through a hole in the sidewalk on View street, was not first year for a new reeve to get used to the routine business and Mr. Oliver It was reported that 5,446 houses have has been so satisfactory, especially to been renumbered under the new plan, his fellow councillors that they are all damaged, but will be dry-docked shortly. at a cost of \$1,361.50. The building in- anxious to have him in the chair for spector was instructed to report on another year.

JAPANESE NAVY

VERY QUICKLY BUILT

Fleet of Submarines of Latest Type Have Been Ordered From British Shipyard.

Japanese advices just to hand tel of further additions to the navy of the Empire. The armored cruise November 20th at the Kure Naval lockyard in the presence of Prince Saito read the christening address which mentioned that the construction of the cruiser was commenced as recently as May last. Rear-Admiral Kitakoya, commander of the dockyard, OAK BAY COUNCIL then severed the cord and the vessel glided gracefully down the ways amidst much clapping and applause. About thirty-five warships which were in port were fully decorated in honor

> The vessel's dimensions are as follows: Displacement, 14,600 tons; length, 485 feet; breadth, 75 feet 6 inches; horse power, 26,500; engines, Curtis tur-

bine; boilers, Miyahara.

The Yorodzu states that the Japanhowever, to the kindness of the British authorities, Japan's navy will

A Tokio message states that the second vessel of the Japanese second vessel of the Sapanese volun-teer fleet to be constructed at the Mitsu Bishi dockyards at Nagasaki has been named Umegaka (Plum Fra-

grance) by Prince Arisugawa. Dr. Nelson, health officer for Saanich, Sanitary Inspector Wilson captured a Chinese leper that had been at large in

THERE CAN BE NO **HUNTING SUNDAY**

son will receive that amount for his time spent is the service of the munici-Saturday at Midnight According to Game Law.

> (From Tuesday's Daily.) A number of inquiries have been

This will be good news, for it will to escape. Those who were out week got very little. There have been valleys have been scoured in every direction. It is to be hoped that this other game will be exposed to the depredations of hundreds of hunters for nearly four months,

THE POLICE COURT

(From Wednesday's Daily.) Months' Hard Labor for Stealing an Overcoat From a Store.

John Burns, a man who looked as if he had been a naval recruit at some time was this morning given six months' hard labor for stealing an overcoat from the street. Yesterday the man was let out on his own recognizances when convicted Ottawa, Dec. 11.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier answering R. G. Macpherson in the House to-day said that the government had no

perty. He was arrested by Sergeant Car The two men. Michael Leader and John again and were remanded until to-morrow r shop and lumber yard and build's' supplies. There is a one-story bilding at the back and a two-story building in front, all of wood, besides this record it would not be advisable to the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the owner was not the horse and rig, but the horse and right the horse and villing to do anything of the kind. H said that not only was the wagon broken It seems that the men had just arrived

AL-KI REACHES SEATTLE.

amaged Alaskan Freighter Will Be Dry

Docked-Is Not Seriously Injured. The Pacific Coast S. S. Co.'s steamship Al-Ki, which grounded on Dichnessy Reef, in Sumner Straits, on her way south from Skagway, has arrived at Seattle safely. The Al-Ki is not seriously her place on the Northern run being taken by the Meteor.

TORE R. PLAT

Sir Wilfrid Laurie -- Dealt Witl

Ottawa, December 3.the reply to the speech f exhibited to a striking de trast between the two parties in this country sion opened a good of the terrific fight the going to make from th

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galleries that the opposed off its feet in the fir Carping Criti After able addresses of Peterboro, and Mr. Richelieu, the mover an the reply, Mr. Borden, position, fired the first was an expurgated editi criticism and unsubstan of corruption, which hav fashionable for the oppo absence of harmony, st thing approaching a defini scarcely aroused the enthu followers because there particularly new or stri

Fighting Sir Wilfi Sir Wilfrid Laurier simply electrified the Hou the Sir Wilfrid of the old f eloquent, adroit and witty tore the arguments of the shreds and tatters the among his followers was speech was unquestionable finest ever heard in the Ho

Perhaps Sir Wilfrid was in his criticism of Mr. Bor fax programme. What cou characteristic than the foll No Mention of Prote 'Now one would exped

platform of the Conserva word 'protection' would large indeed. But in this word 'protection' is so small indeed that it to the naked eye. I dhowever, that the idea is there, but so hidden possible to find it without But how far we are from ant rhetoric of the old nati The word 'protection' has cupied such a prominen councils and the policy that one cannot conceive document it could have be It could not have been of dentally. One cannot condocument of this important was to be the law and the the prophets of the party, supposed to contain a pan our evils, any omission 'protection' could have be than wilfully designed. key of the mystery? The my hon, friend was in a In these later days the ranks of the Conserva tectionists and protection the French say there are fagots. We know that in t Lilliput there were two ri the Big-endians and the Sn Between them there arose troversy as to how eggs or at the small end. And ern island of Lilliput-I jesty's opposition-there tectionists in the city of in some other places who the tariff raised as high gallows, and in the west t ectionists who would have ought so low that pro not be distinguishable fro And between these two hon, friend hesitated. If them together, he knew th a terrible smashing of eggs could agree upon the end eggs should be broken.

friend managed to give go the one and to the other years ago my hon, friend his idea of what protectio -that it ought to be 'adeq tion. But it would appear course of time, and acco perience, 'adequate' protect inadequate. Therefore und of commentators on the party adequate protection has give 'reasonable protection and v reasonable protection no co has yet told us, and where to be drawn between rea unreasonable protection we surmise. But my hon, fr what his policy was, but wha A few moments later t

said: R. L. Borden's "Mirac "Sir, my hon. friend (Mr. 1 den) has told us what his policy would do, but he has what would be the legisla ment that would perform Indeed, this is a secret and among these gods I do ny hon. friend himself, not himself know. He coul his policy, but he has mana hope to him who hopes to se raised as high as Haman's g will be reduced to the lov level; and both may live usion until they be

the same deception.' Public Vitilities. Equally happy was the Pr his reference to the oppo with regard to public utili with this subject he said: fiscal policy, the most impo if I may say so, which has duced into the paltform ernment ownership of