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In the election for the Legislature held in the Tignish district yesterday, the Government received a black eye. Mr. Pineau, Conservative, was elected by a majority of thirty-one votes.

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A Million a Week.

WANTED BY THE GOVERNMENT—HOW THE EXPENDITURE GROWS—WEST HURON BALLOTS—OUT GOES THE GERRYMANDER.

Ottawa, July 22nd.—Several important things have happened this week. In the first place the Finance Minister has brought down a startling list of supplementary estimates.

A GROWING TIME. The last full year of the late administration was 1895-96, and we may compare the record of Mr. Foster with that of Mr. Fielding.

THE Redistributors of the present Government are taking from the statement made by Mr. Fielding in his budget speech.

promising to reduce it by five millions and more. This is the way they are doing it.

ON DEBT ACCOUNT.

Then there is the expenditure on capital. Many payments which former governments made out of revenue, this Government seems to be smuggling into the capital charges.

A FEW SAMPLES. Some of these proposed outlays are very interesting. For instance the Yukon will cost \$7,224,000, a good deal more than last year, and as far as can be seen more than the Government is getting out of the country.

HEADING OFF THE ENQUIRY. Sir Wilfrid Laurier got great praise for consenting to an investigation of the alleged West Huron and Brockville election frauds.

THE EVIDENCE OF THE OFFICER. The deputy returning officer Cummings who presided at the poll where the disappearance of Conservative ballots is said to have taken place was brought on the stand by the Government at the beginning of the case.

THE TESTIMONY OF THE BALLOTS. The most interesting discovery was made later on, an examination by Mr. Powell. Briefly it is this. All the ballots cast for McLean, the Conservative candidate, are initiated by the returning officer in pencil.

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the Senate sought to argue that the upper house had no right to interfere with a measure affecting only the House of Commons but they were handi-capped by the fact that their party had moved in the Senate and voted the 6 months hiatus to the redistribution bill of 1882 and 1882.

TO PUNISH THE SENATE.

Meanwhile the Premier has given notice of his Senate reform resolutions, and it is of right to call them by that name. The motion asks that an address be sent to the Queen praying for such imperial legislation as will provide that when the Senate does not agree with a measure that has passed the Commons, the Canadian Government may call a meeting of the two Chambers together, and that the action of the joint assembly shall have the same effect as if it has been the action of the Senate alone.

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difference in all. The proof of independence of party control was followed by an equally strong proof of independence of Government control.

PREFERENTIAL TRADE.

Wednesday and Thursday were devoted by the House of Commons to a discussion of the motion of which Mr. McNeill gave notice three months ago in favor of preferential trade.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

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