

# Premier Sift Says the Michener Statement is Absolutely Untrue

WINNIPEG, April 14.—That statement is absolutely untrue and Mr. Michener knows it. I denied it before and I repeat the denial now. Mr. Michener has documents in his possession proving what I say. Plainly and emphatically Premier Sift last night again denied the statement being made by Mr. Michener, leader of the Conservative party, that the Edmonton, Dunvegan and B. C. railroad tapped timber limits owned by Theodore Burrows, a brother-in-law of Clifford Sifton, brother of the premier. Mr. Sift had more than his mere words for his reply to the opposition leader. He exhibited a telegram received from Mr. Burrows a few days ago when the statement first began to be made in public. The exact wording of this telegram, sent from Winnipeg is as follows:

"I never was interested, directly or indirectly, in any timber north or west of the Athabasca river or in any timber tributary to McArthur's Peace River road or the Great Waterways railroad. I am a shareholder in the Phoenix Lumber company which owns some limits in township 57 and 58, ranges 3 and 4, west of the 5th; also in townships 59 and 60, ranges 7, 8 and 9, west of 5th. All the timber owned by this company is on the North Saskatchewan in Lethbridge. Aside from these I have no interests of any kind in Alberta. (Signed) THEODORE A. BURROWS."

"That should answer the statement," continued the premier. "It is absolutely untrue that this road taps on those limits. As a matter of fact the nearest Edmonton, Dunvegan and B. C. road, which is the McArthur road mentioned in the telegram, comes to those limits 18 miles from the first one and 40 miles from the other one. The Canadian Northern comes closer to the limits than any other road. If Mr. Michener really wanted to know where the Edmonton, Dunvegan and B. C. road goes and what limits it taps he could easily get it by going to the land office where his friends are, but apparently he does not want correct information, preferring rather to give false statements."

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## THE ALBERTAN

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### OTTAWA TO TAKE UP CAUSE OF EXILED ALBERTANS

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Brings Up Question of Alberta Home-Stealers, Said to Have Been Sent to Siberia in Exile by Russian Government.

NO POLICE CALLED IN TO KEEP ORDER IN COMMONS

Sir Wilfrid Corrects Premier Borden for Misstatements He Had Made in Debate in the House; Hazen Says He Did Not Ask for Protection

Ottawa, Ont., April 14.—At the opening of the house, Sir Wilfrid Laurier made a statement made by Premier Borden that Monday to the effect that the Russian government had sent to Siberia in exile a number of Canadian home-stealers. Sir Wilfrid said that it was perfectly correct that he had asked for the formation of a committee, but the premier had been misinformed in stating that the committee had been formed. He said that he had asked for the formation of a committee, but the premier had been misinformed in stating that the committee had been formed. He said that he had asked for the formation of a committee, but the premier had been misinformed in stating that the committee had been formed.

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Hazen Can Protect Himself. Hon. Mr. Hazen said a paragraph had appeared in the Toronto Globe and Leader that on Wednesday evening, at six o'clock, he rushed to the office of the chief whip and demanded protection. He said that he had seen a report in certain Canadian papers to the effect that police were brought on the floor of the house on Monday last.

Page Is Acceptable to Britain. Washington, April 14.—Great Britain has formally responded to the American inquiry as to the acceptability of Walter S. Page as American ambassador to the court of St. James. Mr. Page is persona grata to the British government and the nomination will be sent to the senate by President Wilson tomorrow.

Will Mr Bennett Explain About That Telegram? R. B. Bennett has not yet explained the forged telegram which Premier Sifton presented to the House on Monday. He said that he had seen a report in certain Canadian papers to the effect that police were brought on the floor of the house on Monday last.

### AN INSTANCE OF LAME OF MEMORY BY R. B. BENNETT

"It is true that I acted for the Royal Bank, but before that I gave my services to the province FREE first."—R. B. Bennett at the Conservative mass meeting Saturday.

Let us see how much of this is true.

R. B. Bennett received the regular salary of a member of parliament. He also received a subscription amounting to about \$5,000 raised by the Conservatives before the royal commission. Mr. Bennett did not therefore give his services FREE to the province, in any sense of the word.

Were The Albertans disposed to emulate the bad manners of Mr. R. B. Bennett on public platform, this would be the best place to hurl back at him the echo of his "Anglo-Saxon" belittling of the French Canadian people when he called upon you to apologize to the citizens of Alberta for being a common liar!

The Albertan prefers merely to call attention to the fact that when Mr. Bennett said he gave his services free to the province, he was not adhering strictly to the truth.

Conservative Attacks on Rogers' Methods in Desperate Effort to Capture the South. The Liberals are on their guard and are prepared, as well as can be, for such invasion. Last night it was reported here that a special set was being made from Calgary on all the near-by seats and specially on Cochrane.

The Liberals are not standing idly by and have installed extra constables and will arrest any of the Rogers brigands who start any funny business.

Don Hiebert, Member of First Opposition in Alberta, Is Strongly in Favor of Sifton Administration, and Tells His Friends Why

FARM IMPLEMENT ACT IS STRONGLY ENDORSED

Mr. Hiebert Believes That Alderman George Ross Would Be Valuable Member of Legislature and Says People of Calgary Should Elect Him

Mr. Hiebert is supporting the Sifton government. Of course every person knows who Don Hiebert is; or if he does not, he should.

He was one of the two members of the opposition in the first legislature. For some weeks he was the only member, as High River, which really did elect Horatio Robertson, was in doubt. Mr. Hiebert represented Rosebud, leading Dr. Clark by a few votes. He was one of the two Conservatives in the house.

Mr. Monk Objects to Clause in Course of a Crisis. It is of the opinion that referendum is the only logical solution of question.

MONTREAL, April 14.—In an interview given today to Le Devoir, Hon. F. D. Monk, ex-minister of the interior, said that for a long time past he has been favorable to a referendum in the province of Quebec. He said that he had been favorable to a referendum in the province of Quebec. He said that he had been favorable to a referendum in the province of Quebec.

Clerks Strike; Trade Helps Itse. East Liverpool, Ohio, April 12.—"Help yourself," has been the greeting with which proprietors of the stores in this city of 25,000 persons have met their customers since the clerks struck early in the week for higher wages and better working conditions, and the customers have helped themselves. No new clerks have been employed, and storekeepers have depended on the honesty of buyers who have selected what they wanted and paid the proprietor, often the only one of the working force left in the establishment.

### CONSERVATIVE ATTACK ON ROGERS' METHODS IS RESENTED

Mrs. Arthur J. Lewis, Chairman of the Woman's Campaign Committee, Defends Mrs. Yeomans Against Attack of Conservative Candidate

THINKS MR. TWEEDE SHOULD MAKE APOLOGY

Says She Cannot Conceive of a Public Man Singling Out Such a Woman for Attack; No Government Has Enough Money to Hire Her

"THE women of Calgary who are interested in the movement to procure the franchise for women deeply resent the cruel slanders of Dr. Amelia Yeomans by Mr. T. M. Tweedie at the Sherman rink meeting Saturday night. Mrs. Yeomans is a woman of high standing in the community. She is a woman of high standing in the community. She is a woman of high standing in the community.

NO IMPROVEMENT SHOWN IN FRIEDMANN'S PATIENTS

London, Ont., April 14.—No permanent improvement is reported on the patient treated by Dr. F. F. Friedmann for tuberculosis. Two cases of tubercular bone have been reported to show improvement, but so far nothing permanent has been demonstrated. The patient under the care of Dr. Ross of the Queen Alexandra sanatorium is not improving.

CRUEL TO STEPCHILDREN, IS SENT TO PRISON

Houlston, Maine, April 14.—For cruelty to her step-children, Mrs. Charles Martin was sentenced to six months in the state prison. The evidence against her was that she had neglected the care of a six-year-old girl, and that the exposure to which she had subjected her had necessitated the amputation of her frozen toes.

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4,000 MEN WILL WORK ON C.N.R. EXTENSION NORTH

Edmonton, April 14.—W. J. Pace, superintendent of construction for the Northern Construction Co., Ltd., announced today that 4,000 men will be hired soon to work on the C.N.R. extension north of Edmonton. The work will be carried out in the winter months.

### CONSERVATIVE WORKER IS REMANDED FOR BRIBERY

Carmangay, April 14.—J. Crutchley, a Conservative worker, was today charged before local justices of the peace on charges of bribery, receiving, and giving liquor to an interested person. He pleaded not guilty to the charges and asked for a remand. He promised that he would leave the district and take no further part in the election. He was remanded for eight days to Macleod jail, without bail.

Acquire Track of 5,000 Acres of Land 65 Miles Northeast of Calgary, and Will Place 20 or 30 Dutch Families on Property Within Few Months

CONTRACTS LET FOR THE ERECTION OF BUILDINGS

Deal Is Put Through by Calgary Colonization Co., and Releases About \$150,000 of Foreign Money in Calgary; Land Near Rosebud

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### CONSERVATIVE RESORT TO ROGERS' METHODS IN DESPERATE EFFORT TO CAPTURE THE SOUTH

IT is stated, on authority that cannot be questioned, that a desperate and most unscrupulous effort is to be made or is being made by the opposition to capture the different ridings in the south. Though much has been done already, it is only the preliminary to an invasion which really began yesterday. The idea is to wind up with such a campaign as Alberta has never seen before, a regular Rogers carnival.

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