

COMMONS CONSIDER SHIP SUBSIDIES

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These boats will be vessels giving the present service for which \$50,000 per annum will be paid. Then two new boats of 2400 tons gross register will be provided for which \$150,000 will be paid. These boats will be capable of performing 12-knot service and will have accommodation for fifty first class, forty second class and 200 steerage passengers.

Mr. Perley emphasized the fact that the greater cost of the service is due to the effort to provide first class passenger accommodation. A distinctly freight service would be much cheaper. The contract for one year would demonstrate whether or not it is possible to work at a paying passenger traffic between Canada and the West Indies. The minister gave some details of the Royal Mail Steamship company offered a fortnightly service for the route. He stated that they should be allowed to discontinue it after one year if it is not satisfactory to them. The Canada West Indies syndicate offered a fortnightly service for the route. He also stated that they must also receive \$150,000 from the West Indies and British Guiana. He stated that this was not a C. P. tender as the people were connected with it. The original offer came from this company provided for a call at Boston.

Mr. McLean said that while he did not desire to speak in any spirit of sectionalism, he believed that the interests of the Dominion could be properly served from the point of view of the West Indies. He stated that the government was not to be taken in by the fact that the summer terminals established at that port would be a long time before they succeeded in making a profit. He stated that the government was not to be taken in by the fact that the summer terminals established at that port would be a long time before they succeeded in making a profit.

Mr. Robb, of Huntington, said that the two largest items of the Dominion's treasury are flour and fish. Canadian flour would enter the West Indies market at an average of 35 cents per barrel. It was to be remembered, however, that flour is handled at an average profit of 10 cents per barrel, and that we are going into competition with the Southern States. He stated that the government had taken care of the West Indies in their bare feet.

Half-Mast High One of the most universal of customs when a prominent man dies is the hoisting of flags on public buildings only part of the way up the flagpole. This is known as "half-mast high" but how many know what the custom means or how it originated?

Royalty Visits Labor London, April 28.—The king and queen have spent the last week among the laboring classes in the neighborhood of Crew. Comment in the labor newspapers is to the effect that the mingling of the king with the laborer has done more to quell the labor unrest than all the work of parliament.

INTERESTING STORY OF CANADIAN COMPANY'S DEVELOPMENT

The Russell Motor Car company has had long experience in the selling and manufacturing of cars. Starting as agents for other makes of cars, this company proceeded to build their own cars in Canada. The parts were purchased abroad, but the cars were assembled and finished at home. The amount of home-manufacturing steadily increased. In 1910 the adoption of the Detroit motor gave a further stimulus to the business, and the company found it necessary to provide in a strong manner for future developments of the industry. Developments in mind were the further adoption of the sliding valve motor, the adoption of left-hand steering and center rear axle control, the adoption of electric lighting and self-steering.

Early in 1911 a corps of engineers was set to work to develop a car that would be worthy of the name "Russell". In September of that year they were ready for a preliminary report, and, taking advantage of the opportunity, an engineering co-operation and advice, a conference of engineers was held upon preliminary plans. These plans were worked out in further detail. In January, 1912, this conference was held again, there being present representatives of three of the foremost manufacturing firms in the United States and two engineers from Europe from factories operating under the same conditions as the Russell car. The attempt was a failure. The designers had passed this stage several times and had submitted to exacting tests upon the car in the factory and upon the road. Following this a small number of demonstrators were put through to discover any further points of difficulty.

There came the crucial preparation of exact copies for manufacture. So that each piece would be an exact duplicate of a similar piece in any other car, these provisions, one after the other, have been carried through. Today the Russell company is delivering cars designed under the most advantageous conditions of equipment and manufactured with a care that the requirements not only of 1913 but 1914 as well.

The Russell Knight car of this is a model on which there will be no important change for two seasons at least.

HON. C. R. MITCHELL WINS IN MED. HAT

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Final Count in all Ridings Edmonton, April 29.—According to the final counts in the various constituencies, the Liberals as a result of the provincial election have a majority of twenty members over the Conservatives in the new legislature. In Edmonton the Hon. C. W. Cross was given a majority of 27, the final figure being Hon. C. W. Cross 671, H. H. Ferguson 644.

The official count in Vermilion increased Premier Hon. A. L. Sifton's majority by twenty votes. The premier's final majority over the Conservative candidate being 20. In Edmonton the Hon. C. W. Cross was given a majority of 27, the final figure being Hon. C. W. Cross 671, H. H. Ferguson 644.

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REFORM MOVEMENT IN ASIA MINOR

Firm Determination Among the Inhabitants of Asia Minor to Carry Out Their Programme. Paris, April 29.—An extraordinary effervescence is manifesting itself from the Lebanon to the Red Sea, and among the inhabitants of the countries comprising the European part of the movement is caused by the breakup of the Turkish Empire, and by the desire for reform, which is making for solidarity between the people which constitute Turkey in Asia.

The correspondence of the Temps in Beirut, draws an astonishing picture of the events which have been taking place in that city recently. He says that the inhabitants, taking advantage of the opportunity for reform, have drafted a programme of reforms in direct opposition to the one proposed by Constantinople. There is a firm determination among the inhabitants to carry their own programme, and an open protest against the unwillingness of Constantinople to fall in with their scheme, wholesale resignations of the members of the chamber of commerce and agriculture, of the members of the land tax committee, and of several members of the general council have taken place.

An effort was made recently by the Turkish government to check the movement by buying the allegiance of one of its principal promoters, the former deputy for Damascus, Chekri Bey. The attempt was a failure. Chekri Bey stated that what the Syrians required was not the bestowal of lucrative posts, but of reforms, the real nature of which was touched for by the great powers of Europe.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY WANTED—Experienced waitresses for Boston Hotel, Medicine Hat. Call at Room 4, Alberta Hotel, Medicine Hat. C129

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THE WORLD'S MARKETS

WINNIPEG MARKETS. Winnipeg, April 29.—The wheat market was exceptionally dull today.

Chicago opened 1-8 to 1-4 lower and closed 1-8 to 1-4 lower. American markets opened 1-32 to 1-2 lower after which prices stiffened on heavy decrease in the world's visible but later weakened. Minneapolis opened 1-8 to 1-4 lower and closed 1-8 to 1-4 lower.

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AMERICAN MARKETS

MINNEAPOLIS. Minneapolis, April 29.—The market for steel was higher than in December the gain derived from this source was offset by extensive flood damage and the increase in operating expenses resultant on the advance in wages established February 1.

NEW YORK STOCKS. New York, April 29.—The pronounced weakness of European markets caused by reports of Austria's belligerent attitude toward Montenegro was of direct influence on the home market, where prices were depressed sharply today.

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LONDON STOCKS

LONDON, April 28.—The stock market opened fairly steady today. Prices were inclined to harden on a report that Austria intends to demand reparation action against Montenegro.

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WEDNESDAY. CHINA AND THE CHINESE REPUBLIC. The Chinese Republic established for more than a year.

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PHONE EXCHANGE M191 GROCERY PHONE M492 PRYCE JONES DAILY STORE NEWS WE CLOSE WEDNESDAY AT 1:00 P. M.

TOP FLOOR SPECIAL NO. 1 Reversible Union Carpet 35¢ SPECIAL NO. 2 Nottingham Lace Curtains 59¢ SPECIAL NO. 3 Cocoa Door Mats 75¢ SPECIAL NO. 4 Window Shades 45¢ SPECIAL NO. 5 Ladies' Oxfords 2.95 SPECIAL NO. 6 Pumps 2.95 SPECIAL NO. 7 House Slippers 1.55 SPECIAL NO. 8 House Slippers 1.65 SPECIAL NO. 9 Children's Print Dresses and Overalls 3.85 SPECIAL NO. 10 Girls' Dresses 98¢ SPECIAL NO. 11 Night Dresses 1.00 SPECIAL NO. 12 Kimonos 48¢ SPECIAL NO. 13 Corsets 48¢ SPECIAL NO. 14 Girls' Dresses 1.50 SPECIAL NO. 15 Waists 1.25 SPECIAL NO. 16 Ladies' Wash Dresses 2.95 SPECIAL NO. 17 Girls' Cloaks 1.75 SPECIAL NO. 18 Combinations 55¢ SPECIAL NO. 19 Knit Undervests 25¢ SPECIAL NO. 20 Writing Tablets 3 for 10¢ SPECIAL NO. 21 Cranes' Noted Paperies 15¢ SPECIAL NO. 22 Toy Department Half Price SPECIAL NO. 23 Glass Cloth 6¢ SPECIAL NO. 24 Roller Crash 10¢ SPECIAL NO. 25 Turkish Towels 48¢ SPECIAL NO. 26 Boys' Underwear 40¢ SPECIAL NO. 27 Men's Shirts 98¢ SPECIAL NO. 28 Boys' Raincoats 5.75 SPECIAL NO. 29 Sheets 2.00 SPECIAL NO. 30 Men's Gloves 35¢ SPECIAL NO. 31 Boys' Jersey Suits 2.95 SPECIAL NO. 32 Boys' Suits 3.95 SPECIAL NO. 33 Boys' Shirt Waists 65¢ SPECIAL NO. 34 Extra Special Remnants of Laces and Embroideries Edgings, Insertions, Galons, etc., accumulations of oddments in this busy section must constantly be cleared to keep stock in good condition. Wednesday morning half marked prices. SPECIAL NO. 35 Drug Department ALL TALCUM POWDER-ON SHOW COUNTER FACE POWDER PERFUMES SPECIAL NO. 36 Silk 95¢ SPECIAL NO. 37 Pryjo Electric Iron 3.50 SPECIAL NO. 38 Garden Hose from 3.95 SPECIAL NO. 39 Refrigerators from 9.50 SPECIAL NO. 40 Lawn Mowers 3.95 SPECIAL NO. 41 Pryjo Paint, gallon 2.00 SPECIAL NO. 42 Pryjo Shingle Stain, gal 1.35