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Bourassa Complains of Lord Strathcona—
Soldiers to Add to Pay if Good Service Is Given—Minister of Militia Announces New Arrangement to Go Into Effect on June 1, 1904—Mr. Maclean's Two-Cent Passenger Rate Bill.

Ottawa, May 31.—In the House yesterday Hon. W. S. Fielding announced that the budget speech would be delivered on Tuesday, June 7.

Bourassa and Strathcona.

Henry Bourassa made complaint that Lord Strathcona, High Commissioner in London, discussed publicly some phases of the political relations of Canada and the Empire. He insisted that a Canadian official should take no part in the politics of Great Britain. Recently the Prime Minister had stated that W. T. R. Preston had no authority to speak for Canada in certain matters he had discussed; he wanted some such course pursued with regard to Lord Strathcona.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier explained that Lord Strathcona, socially and politically, was highly thought of in Great Britain. While His Lordship sometimes gave his opinions on political questions, Sir Wilfrid said he had never known him to speak on behalf of the Dominion Government.

Ralph Smith Hits a Snag.

Ralph Smith moved the second reading of his bill to enable labor unions to register their labels under the trades marks act.

Speaker Beldout ruled the second reading out of order under the rule which prohibits the introduction of a bill relating to trade or the restraint of trade without notice in the form of a resolution.

"I give notice to that effect than," said Mr. Smith.

The notice is probably too late, as the bill goes to the bottom of the list of public bills and orders, and is not likely to be resurrected this session.

To Amend Criminal Code.

Mr. Lancaster moved the second reading of his bill to amend the Criminal Code. The object of the bill is to prevent persons under 21 years of age, arrested on a criminal charge, from electing as to how they shall be tried without first securing the advice of their parents as guardians.

Mr. Fitzpatrick suggested that a good many criminals under 21 years of age know how to take care of themselves on such matters without any advice. He thought it would be sufficient to give persons under 16 the protection provided for in Mr. Lancaster's bill.

The amendment was adopted.

Cigarette Resolution.

Without a word of discussion the House went into committee on the resolution: "That it is expedient to bring in a bill to prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of cigarettes," and passed it. The bill will be brought down at next sitting of the House.

Cattle Guards.

The House having gone into committee on the bill, Mr. Lancaster, the champion of the cattle-guard movement of last session, explained the necessity of amending the Railway Act as proposed.

The bill states that "whenever in a city, town or incorporated village a railway crosses a highway at rail level, the said speed of ten miles an hour shall in no event be exceeded, unless the railway company keeps a watchman at such crossing to warn all people using the highway of approaching trains."

Canada-French Line.

Sir Richard Cartwright stated that since the beginning of the present session the Government has entered into negotiations with the Armstrong Company, shipbuilders, with the object of establishing a line of steamers between Canada and France.

The Treadgold Investigation.

Mr. Casgrain was informed that a new commission had been issued to Mr. Justice Britton to continue and terminate the investigation into the Treadgold and other concessions in the Yukon. The commissioner expects to make his report about July 1.

Only to the Cabinet.

Mr. Barker of Hamilton, wanted to know to what persons, or what dates, and under what circumstances was the application of George A. Cox, Charles M. Hays and William Wainwright read to the House by the Minister of Finance on May 27 last communicated wholly or in part previous to the same being so read to the House. Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that the application was communicated to the Cabinet, and no one else shortly after it was received.

Timber Protection.

The Minister of the Interior stated that the Government had been informed of the resolution passed at the fifth annual meeting of the Canadian Forestry Association, setting forth the necessity of protecting the timber along the route of the Transcontinental Railway from fire risks with the construction of the road, and also asking for an examination into the water sources of Canada. Mr. Sifton said that an efficient protective service would be instituted where the railway crosses Government lands. The question of enquiring into the water sources of the country is under consideration.

Pay of the Militia.

In reply to Mr. Henderson, re the rate of pay to be allowed the militia at the annual camps, the Minister of Militia said that under the act long service and good conduct will be allowed at the rate of 20 cents for the first year, 40 cents for the second and 50 cents for the third year. Several conditions are laid down. To be entitled to this pay, which is in addition to the regular rate of 50 cents a day, privates and non-commissioned officers must be duly enlisted in a regiment outside of the permanent corps.

They must perform the full amount of drill for which their regiments are called out. They must be reasonably efficient in the performance of their duties, in the use of the rifle, or whatever weapon their corps is equipped with. They must have received no punishment beyond admonition or reprimand. If these conditions are not complied with all rights to good service standing is forfeited. The act will come into force on June 1, 1904, but privates and non-commissioned officers who have served continuously for three years will come under its provisions.

Two-Cent Passenger Rate.

W. F. Maclean moved the second reading of his bill to amend the Railway Act. The bill, besides providing for a minimum rate of two cents a mile for passengers on railways, contains three other amendments. It deprives the chairman of the Railway Commission of power to override the decision of his two colleagues on questions involving points of law. It brings the express companies within the jurisdiction of the Railway Commission. It provides that compensation in connection with independent telephone companies gaining access to railway stations shall be based on actual damages sustained by the company, and aside from any claim to recognition for violated contract or rights.

Mr. Maclean fought unsuccessfully against sending his bill to the Railway Committee. Like Mr. Lancaster's bill to amend the Railway Act it was passed on to the Railway Committee.

The Minister of Justice gave the assurance that the purpose of the Government in sending it to that committee was not to shelve the bill but to expedite its full consideration.

Aliens on Grand Trunk Pacific.

At midnight, Sir William Mulock telephoned into the House the correspondence between the Department of Labor, the representative of the Canadian Amalgamated Society of Civil Engineers and the Grand Trunk management, in connection with the charges of the employment of aliens on the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Grand Duke Wilhelm Dead.

Berlin, May 31.—The death is announced of Grand Duke Friedrich Wilhelm of Mecklenburg-Strelitz. The Grand Duke was born Oct. 17, 1819.

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Enquiry Already Begun.

Montreal, May 31.—Judge Winchester arrived in town yesterday morning and began his enquiry into the complaints re the employment of aliens on the G.T.R. surveys. He expects to be in this city for three or four days.

Double Tracking G.T.R.

Woodstock, May 31.—Double tracking operations have been commenced on the G.T.R., just east of the city, and also in the city limits near Norwich avenue.

Butchers' Choice Picked Lots of Butcher.

Butchers' Choice picked lots of butcher, equal in quality to best exporters, 1200 to 1500 lbs. each, sold at \$4.00 to \$4.70, at \$4.25 to \$4.40; common at \$3.00 to \$4; rough and inferior at \$2.25 to \$3.40 per cwt.

Costs, Arm, 20 to 25 lbs. Receipts of wheat during the past three days, 40,000 centals; no American. Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 600 centals. Weather fine.

CATTLE MARKETS.

British Cattle—Firm—No Price.

Butcher on American Markets.

London, May 30.—Canadian cattle are steady, at 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 c per lb.; refrigerated beef, 9 1/2 c per lb.; sheep, 13 1/2 to 14 1/2 c per lb.; yearlings, 15c.

Wheat during the past two days was 57 1/2 to 58 1/2 centals, including 60,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the past two days was 22,700 quarts. Weather showery.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, May 31.—Butter—weak, receipts 14,000 pounds; creamery extras, per pound, 16 to 16 1/2 c; do. firsts, 17 to 17 1/2 c; do. seconds, 18 to 18 1/2 c; state dairy tubs, extras, 17 to 17 1/2 c; do. firsts, 18 to 18 1/2 c; do. seconds, 19 to 19 1/2 c; do. thirds, 19c; western imitation creamery firsts, 15c; renovated extras, 15 1/2 c; do. firsts, 16 1/2 c to 15c. Cheese—firm, unchanged, receipts 5,000 pounds.

Eggs—Weak, receipts 20,000 dozen; state Pennsylvania and fancy selected white, 20c; good to choice, 19 to 20c; do. min. extra, 18 1/2 c; do. firsts, 17 to 18 1/2 c; do. regular packed firsts, 17c; do. second, 16 1/2 c to 18 1/2 c; Kentucky, best 15c to 16c; Tennessee, averaged 15c; Southern inferior, 13c to 14c; best, 13c to 14c; chicks, 12c to 13c. Arrivals.

CATTLE MARKET.

Cattle Unchanged—No Price.

Steady in American Markets.

London, May 31.—Canadian cattle are steady, at 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 c per lb.; refrigerated beef, 9 1/2 c per lb.; sheep, 13 1/2 to 14 1/2 c per lb.; yearlings, 15c.

Receipts of live stock at the market were 112 carloads, city cattle 1,110 cattle, 800 hogs, 200 sheep and calves.

Export bulls—Choice export at \$4.75 to \$5.25, medium at \$4.25 to \$4.75.

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