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Disgraced Minister

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Its Heavy Load.

tatters Growing More Critical
Every Day.

Fruitless Endeavor to Block
Investigation.

rumors of Proposed Reconstruction the Government and a Gen- eral Election.

OTTAWA, July 21.—Before the P
accounts Committee yesterday Mr.
Mullen, in the absence of Sir Richard
Bright, proceeded to ask Mr. Schr
several questions in regard to the I
Colonial Railway. In reply Mr. Schr

and the reason why there was so large a deficit on the Intercolonial Railway, compared with the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railways, notwithstanding the fact that it carried as much traffic when the mileage was compared, was that the rates were lower.

Mr. Bowell objected to this question, and Mr. Foster supported him in this objection, on the ground that it was irrelevant to the inquiry, which was a question of \$300,000 of a deficit paid by the Government. General's warrant on the Intercolonial Railway.

It was pointed out by
Lock and Dr. Landerkin that it
possible to investigate this deficit
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THE STRUGGLE TO KEEP OFFICE.

Hector Langevin. If the Government have to carry any more disastrous business it may totter under the load of the rank and file and the two leaders, Mr. Abbott and Sir John Thompson, are bent on holding together with reconstruction as soon as possible. I have the best authority that Mr. Abbott and Sir John Thompson have the resignation of all their colleagues in hand, to take effect as soon as the session is over. Oppositionists insist on making a record and continuing the session the Government.

gent will introduce a measure re-
distributing the seats as soon as the cen-
suses can be added up, and that means
a general election. The new leaders, so the
friends say, have as a first duty
to bring the Reformers out of power, and then
to reconstruct the Government, and
if necessary to the country as well.
The lists are revised and the seats re-
distributed. They are ready to sit upon
to-morrow in order to do this. Another
rumor is that W. R. Meade

OTTAWA, July 22.—Before the Tax Committee yesterday Martin P. Connolly, bookkeeper for the firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co., gave evidence in which he clearly stated that various sums were paid to inspectors Pelletier, Brunelle and Gauthier for certifying to work which had not been done. The witness admitted that he was giving receipts and erasing entries from the cash book in order to conceal the same.

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TAWA, Ont., July 21.—A vigorous
examination of Martin P. Connolly,
book-keeper of the Connolly firm,
showed that most of the willing witness to cor-
porate misdeeds of Murphy's damaging ef-
fect at the Tarte Committee this morn-
ing.

BUILDINGS BURNED.

MONTREAL, July 21.—About 4 o'clock
yesterday morning a fire broke out in

of the grocery store of J. B. Bordeau, Notre Dame street. The fire communicated to the store, spreading to the bakery store of Mr. E. T. Clairmont. The third story of Bordeau's place was being his brother, who was heroically rescued by the firemen. The damage was about \$6,000.

ETOLELA, Ont., July 21.—Fire broke out in evening in J. & J. Kerr's planing mill building was badly damaged, also the mill.

GRIS, Ill. July 21.—Chrisman, a carpenter,

twelve miles north of here, was
destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss
\$35,000, with \$35,000 insurance. All
business places were burned.

pal, yesterday it was resolved to
the Governor to take steps to prevent
ulation in English gold to the detriment
of the Portuguese circulation.
The employees of the great Bessemer Steel
Company and the Carnegie Company, near
Pittsburg, are on strike. Two men were
seriously injured in a row with the sheriff
and his deputies yesterday.
Governor Buchanan, of Tennessee, has
ordered the entire State militia to be
called out to protect convicts at work in mines.

place. It is stated 2,000 miners are being sent to the seat of war. It is feared there will be trouble before the miners will be sent to convicts taking their places.

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128 and 130 Dundas Street. 130 and 132
Carlton Street, London.

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