

## LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

Against the Winding  
Ledges Dam.Only Seven Members Favored  
the Scheme.

FREDERICTON, March 31.—Mr. Dunn, in reply to Mr. Hazen, this afternoon, said since the publication of the Hickman hand book another book had been prepared giving information in regard to the province and its resources. It was written and compiled by Doctor Hannay and printed at the Gazette printing office. The number of copies published, 15,000, were distributed in England, also from the Immigration office, St. John, and the department here. The cost of publishing was \$2,167 and \$650 was paid Doctor Hannay for preparing it.

Mr. Pugsley, in reply to Mr. Flenning, read a statement of the amount paid by the province on account of small pox in 1902 and 1903. The total in 1902, \$23,663.85; in 1901, \$10,943.37; in 1902, \$18,927.57; in 1903, \$2,208.47; total, \$55,743.26. A large amount is still undistributed. The bills were paid out of current revenue and the Legislature gave authority to issue debentures for \$60,000 to pay them.

Mr. Labllois, in reply to Mr. Smith, said the toll collected by the directors of the Hartland Bridge Company for the past fiscal year was \$1,860.30.

Mr. Labllois, in reply to Mr. Glasier, said a contract had been awarded for the erection of a permanent substructure across the Oromocto river to T. T. Baird for \$10,940. Notices have been issued, calling for tenders for the super-structure.

Mr. Pugsley, in reply to Mr. Hazen, made a statement in regard to the negotiations with reference to representation of this province in the House of Commons, disclosing no new facts.

Mr. Morrissey, continued the debate on the address. He criticized the government in reference to wheat raising, importation of stock, hoped the fishery award would provide money for "some of the rotten bridges in Northumberland" and said the lumber regulations as to 25 year leases were not being complied with. Mr. Morrissey mentioned incidents which occurred three or four years ago of 3,000,000 of lumber being cut while stumpage was paid on only 300,000. In a recent federal election in Northumberland a liberal conservative candidate had the support of the liberal party leader in New Brunswick. He also had the support of the provincial government and he received more rebate on stumpage than any other man in the province. If a committee of this House be appointed he (Morrissey) was prepared to prove these facts. As a representative of the Irish Catholics he thanked the government for recognizing their rights by taking Mr. Sweeney into the cabinet, and hoped it would not be long before he was promoted to a higher position.

Mr. Dunn, asked Mr. Morrissey to name one man who had paid only 30 cents stumpage.

Mr. Morrissey—Appoint a committee of the house, and I will prove my charges.

Mr. Dunn—I would ask the Hon. member to name one sealer who does not make proper returns. Mr. Dunn said it is easy to make a bold assertion that the crown land was receiving 30 cents instead of \$1 stumpage, but no importance can be attached to any such assertion, when a member, on being questioned, refused to furnish names. Referring to the granting of crown lands for settlement, Mr. Dunn said an applicant was never refused lands suitable for farming. The member for Northumberland had nothing left to stand on his remarks were most unfair.

McGrimmer criticized the government for the management of its agricultural work. He also expressed surprise that the speech from the throne did not contain any reference to the mining development of the province. In Charlotte county five square miles were held by one man in St. Stephen since 1893 and he had simply paid the annual amount required to hold these leases.

Mr. Pugsley and Mr. Grimmer indulged in a discussion over this matter, and then the Hon. Mr. Hill took the floor against Mr. Grimmer, after which the Legislature adjourned.

FREDERICTON, April 1.—Mr. Pugsley, in reply to Mr. Smith, stated that the amount paid George Robertson, M. P. P., for his services in connection with the royal visit was \$1,500.

Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill to legalize certain marriages. He explained that a minister in Charlotte county, the Rev. Mr. Coburn, had performed the marriage ceremony in certain cases without being registered, in ignorance of the laws. The only way to remedy this was to legalize the marriages.

Mr. Hazen asked if the Attorney General had any other statement to make in regard to the representation of New Brunswick under the redistribution bill. He noticed by the papers that this bill was introduced yesterday and under it New Brunswick was only to have 13 members. He quoted from the speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in introducing the bill, in which he said that protests had been made by certain provinces against losing any part of their representation, but that the point had been debated and determined by such able jurists as Sir John A. MacDonald, Hon. Edward Blake and Sir John Thompson, and that there was no doubt in regard to the law. He (Hazen) desired to call the attention of the Attorney General to this statement for if a case was to be submitted to the Supreme Court it should be done at once.

Mr. Pugsley said his attention had been called to the report of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech, but he had not been let by reason of these remarks to retract anything he had said in regard to this matter, or to have any doubts as to the strength of the position the government had taken. The statement in the speech from the throne in regard to the reference of the question to the Supreme Court was based on the following telegram from the Minister of Railways to the Premier:

OTTAWA, Ont., March 23, 1903: Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Chatham, N. B.

You are warranted in stating that while the Dominion government has not agreed in opinion with views expressed on behalf of the provincial government on the subject we talked, it is prepared to co-operate with you in securing an early decision on the question from the Supreme Court. You may state this fact in any way you prefer. (Sgd.)

A. G. BLAIR.

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At Ottawa took a different view of this question from that of the provincial government. It had been his experience to have such differences with the Ottawa people, who, after confederation, took a very low view of the rights of the provinces.

Mr. Hill continued his debate on the address. He took issue with Mr. Grimmer, that \$8,000 paid to agricultural societies was the most important item for the farmers. In his opinion no money expended in the department of agriculture proved of so little benefit. The amount of \$4,000 paid out in salaries, which his colleagues had objected to on the ground that it helped nobody, was the most valuable part of the grant because its results were educational. The member for Northumberland informed the House that he was in favor of running the elections on party lines, but his faith and works do not go together. He ran as a liberal on a ticket with a conservative and he is now in harness under a conservative leader. He had also brought in the religious question, which he regretted. Mr. Hill dealt with Mr. Hazen's views on the fishery award and with the subsidy matter, differing from him. The Attorney General had referred to his (Hill's) withdrawal from the government. He was absolutely correct in all he had said. He was

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fully in accord with the acts of the government up to the time of his withdrawal, and nothing had occurred since then to shake his confidence in the administration.

Mr. Loggie took issue with the Attorney General in regard to the fishery award. The latter did not state on what basis he claimed \$400,000 of it for the province. He also claimed interest at 4 per cent, making up another million. This claim was a most unfair one, for the Dominion government had paid over about \$155,000 a year ever since to the fishermen, the payment of bounties for the encouragement of the fisheries. He was not in favor of the government undertaking to administer this money. He agreed with the leader of the opposition that if we got \$130,000 more from the Dominion government it would be coming out of our own pockets. He desired also to refute the slander of a portion of the press in regard to the ballot boxes being stuffed in the parishes of Alnwick and Hardwicke.

Mr. King moved the adjournment of the debate.

Mr. Osman presented the report to the committee of the Winding Ledges dam. It is to the effect that this project should be opposed as injurious to the general interests of the provinces.

Mr. Burgess opposed the acceptance of the report. He claimed that the dam would not be an obstruction.

Mr. Tweedie favored the report and approved of the action of the government with regard to it.

Mr. Claire said that this was a business question and that it was the desire of the people of Madawaska to have mills erected at which lumber could be manufactured.

The vote was then taken on the report which was agreed to on a division as follows:

Yeas—Pugsley, Dunn, Labllois, Farris, Sweeney, Hill, Whitehead, Scovil, Osman, Jones, Carpenter, McLatchey, Burden, Goggin, Barnes, King, Ryan, Tweedie, Purdy, Robertson, Hazen, Smith, Grimmer, Burns, Lantana, Clarke, Morrissey, Glasier, Loggie, Hartt and Morrison—31.

Nays—Young, Johnson, Poirier, Burgess, Legere, Claire, Gagnon—7.

Mr. Hazen's resolution to petition the Dominion parliament against the scheme was then carried by the same vote.

Mr. Pugsley introduced a bill to revise and consolidate the general public statutes of New Brunswick. The bill was read a second time and referred to a committee of nine. Messrs. Pugsley, Tweedie, Allen, Hazen, Clarke, Copp, McLatchey, Purdy and Burns.

Mr. Pugsley, on a question of privilege, read a paragraph from the Globe in which it was said:—"The government of New Brunswick, if not actually resisting, has been delaying action proposed to be taken against this legislation by the Legislature." Instead of delaying the Winding Ledges dam matter the government had hastened it in every possible way. It was grossly unfair for the Globe to make statements of this character.

Mr. Hazen gave notice of inquiry in regard to the St. John hospital commission.

Mr. Loggie gave notice of motion with regard to the method of voting by ballot.

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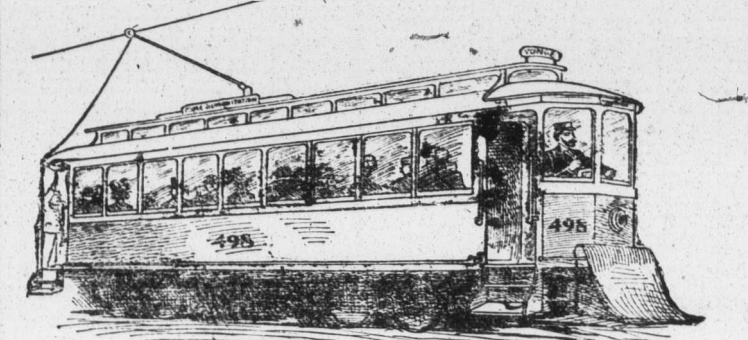
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