

CANADA'S FUTURE

WILL CONSULT WITH
IMPERIAL AUTHORITIES

Determined if Necessary to Devote Entire Resources to Defence of Empire.

Ottawa, May 29th.—In the commons this afternoon Hon. G. E. Foster moved a resolution declaring Can-

Sir Wilfrid Laurier replying proposed a resolution accepting the spirit of Mr. Foster's resolution, but going further to state that Canada realized the necessity of assuming, with her growing population and wealth, a greater

The resolution gives in effect a re-statement of the policy on the question of Imperial defence laid down by the Canadian ministers in a memorandum submitted at the Colonial conference of 1902. It concludes with the statement that in case of need Canada is

Sir Wilfrid noted the steps already taken by Canada along the line of gradually working out a general scheme of defence, in co-operation with the Imperial War Office in militia organization, and much had already been done towards the developing of an

effective defence organization in Canada along the same pattern as obtained in the Imperial army. What Canada would now do in the matter of taking further action along the line of naval defence was, he said, a matter for careful and mature deliberation after consultation with the Imperial authorities and the getting of advice from naval experts.

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**COMPANIES GRANTED
PROVINCIAL CHARTERS**

Organizations Which Have

Been Incorporated During
the Past Week.

The following companies have been incorporated, the notice appearing in the last issue of the Gazette:

Couquiam Real Estate Company
with a capital stock of \$10,000.

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East Kootenay Investment Company
capitalized at \$4,000.
Fife Mines with a capital of \$2,000.
Ideal Grocery in Vancouver with a
capital of \$15,000.
J. M. Burns, with a capital stock of
\$5,000.
Langley Park Association, capital-
ized at \$10,000.

Mathew & Noble, with a capitalization of \$100,000.

and the right to the steamship Topaz, the steamship tug McCulloch, and the steam launch Hopewell.

Porpoise Harbor Land Company capitalized at \$100,000.

Strathcona Land Company, with a capital of \$75,000 to deal in unimproved land within the city of Vancouver.

Valley View Land Company, with a capital stock of \$48,000.

Vancouver Gazette, capitalized at \$200,000.

Gault Bros. are given an extra provincial license to do business in the province.

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

Various Officials Named by the Local Government.

The week's Gazette contains notice of the following appointments:
To be justices of the peace for the province of British Columbia: Thomas Knight Smith, of Armstrong; George Alfred Mosley Cheeke, of Shawnigan, V. I.
John Joseph Campbell, of Nelson, to be a member of the provincial board

of horticulture, for the fourth horticultural district.

Arthur Herbert Skey, of the city of Kamloops, to be a member of the board of directors of the Royal Inland hospital in the place of M. P. Gordon, resigned.

John A. Mara, J. P., W. Curtis Sampson, C. A., and Moses B. Cotsworth, to be grading commissioners.

under the provisions of section 25 of the "Public Service Act, 1909."

To be notaries public for the province of British Columbia: Lewis David Orr, of Victoria; James Malcolm Palmer, of Vancouver; Ernest Edward Langford and Joseph A. Coldwell,* of Vancouver, and Henry C. Hanington, of the city of Victoria, barristers-at-law.

George Murray, of Nicola, J. P., to be assistant commissioner of lands and works for that portion of the Kamloops division of the Yale land recording district lying south of the southern boundary of the Dominion railway belt.

works; acting registrar of voters for the Columbia electoral district; acting recording officer for the Columbia cattle district; and to receive applications for registration and record, under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act," from the 1st day of April, 1909, during the absence on leave of John E. Griffith, government agent.