Was Again Before the Com- to two

officers.

Mr. Mulock said that on the contrary it would reduce the staff and expenditure, as he could show if he had time.

Mr. Foster reciled that that was just the trouble. At this late hour of the session and without necessary information, it was impossible to legislate wisely, so the Postmaster-General said. Better let his bill go over till next session.

After some further remarks Mr. Mulock withdrew it.

The Grow's Nest Resolutions.

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mons Yesterday.

charter of the British Columbia Southern, which it had acquired, namely, 20,000 acres per mile for the length of the
line, this included a large area of valuable coal land in the vicinity of the
pass. It was estimated that this coal
area was about 250,000 acres, and of
this the C. P. R. would get a propor-

mandant, Major-General Cameron, a gentleman who had earned the warmest are at present so largely under American control.

\*\*Sp. Exhertsen's Astack.\*\*

The Posteffice Act was considered in countities. Strong objection was asken by Sir Charles Tupper to this country. The post of the performance of a mail contract is excessive, he shall not be compelled to enter of coal lands, as well as other monopal contract of further re-advertise the said contract for further competition, or of fer to any person willing to undertake the contract and may enter into a contract and may enter into a contract would give very arbitrary powers to the Postmaster-General to award nostal contracts and may enter into a contract would enter the contract with such person as will accept such offer.\*\*

Sir Charles sointed out that the section would give very arbitrary powers to the Postmaster-General to award nostal contracts which the desire should be re-drawn. It was accordingly always mail service, and "such superintendents, railway mail circles, transfer agents and other comploves as are deemed necessary," it was contended by the Onposition that this would certainly increase the number of officers.

Mr. Molock said that on the contrary in two contracts without tender. It thought the clause should be re-drawn, and the proper such officers.

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"I stand by my speeches, but I do not wish to be judged by interviews. I have been interviewed by several papers, and have not read the interviews. I have said a hundred times in Canada that protection is a mistake for a country, and there cannot be a question as to my views on this subject."

The Canadian Premier, Mr. Wilfrid Laurier, had an interview to-day at the Colonial Office with the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain.

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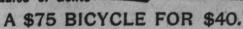


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