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BOYS, GIRLS.—If you want to make lists of money send 10 cents to Wm. Morley Windsor, Ont., for full particulars and receipts.

To Hold Reception.—The Faculty of Victoria College has issued invitations to a reception to be held in the assembly hall of the High School, Fernwood avenue, on Thursday evening, December 17th, from 8 to 11 o'clock.

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THE LEGISLATURE ADJOURNED.

The Legislature was adjourned until evening until Monday, January 14th, His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor went down to the House and gave his assent to the Bills that had been passed, and the Government has thus been successful in carrying out the programme it laid out at the commencement of the session. The measures set forth in the Speech from the Throne as requiring to be passed in order to pass the Provincial finances on a proper basis, have now become law. They comprise the Loan Act, the Assessment Act, the Railway Tax Act and an amendment to the Government Act. By the first act the Government is authorized to negotiate a loan for \$1,000,000 on the terms specified in the act, and which have already been published in our columns. By the other acts provision is made for increasing the revenue, either by the augmentation of the existing taxes or the creation of new imposts. By these measures it is anticipated that not only will the interest and sinking fund requirements of the new loan be met, but that the revenue will be brought up to the level of the expenditure, so that the period of deficits in the Provincial financial regime has ended and a more wholesome situation be brought about than has existed in the past.

Legislation of such a character was bound to meet with criticism and opposition, and during the last few days of the session the progress of the Bills—especially the Loan Act—was impeded by a flood of amendments and hostile notices. Although everyone of these attempts of the Opposition was defeated by satisfactory majorities, it is, we think, a cause for regret that, in the course of their efforts to amend the certain parts of the Bill, the Opposition—or at least some of its members—was led to discuss its provisions in a manner that is likely to cause prejudice to Provincial interests. When it is stated in the Legislature that a certain bill, if it becomes law, will ruin large mercantile interests, drive out capital, embarrass business operations and altogether cause much injury, people are liable to overlook the circumstances under which such prognostications are made and attach to them an importance that those who utter them had no real intention of giving them. We must defer until another occasion a fuller reference to the Assessment Act, but we can say without hesitation that the Opposition is entirely astray in its assertions as to the taxation which will result from the changes made by the act in the assessment system in the Province. While it will increase, as it is designed to do, the revenues of the Province, it will impose no unreasonable burdens on any particular class. It will place the burden of taxation on a more equitable basis than it has had in the past, whilst affording relief by exemptions to sections of the community that were entitled to such consideration. We refer to this act more particularly than to the others comprised in the group of finance measures, because its provisions have been so distorted and exaggerated that a strong protest against such misrepresentations is desirable. It is, of course, a very long bill and its provisions are numerous and complicated. We are, therefore, quite inclined to believe that better knowledge of the details of the act will dissipate all these anxieties as to its effect and lead to approval of the reforms that it will bring about.

OUR FORTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

From December 11th, 1858, to December 11th, 1903, is a period of forty-five years, comprising in the intervening space, a period fraught with events of large importance to our country. When the Colonist began its weekly run, and became a daily paper, it was the only newspaper in the Province, and as far as the western boundary line of Upper Canada was controlled by the Hudson's Bay Company. It would be unfair to those hardy pioneers of civilization who had no real intention of giving them. We must defer until another occasion a fuller reference to the Assessment Act, but we can say without hesitation that the Opposition is entirely astray in its assertions as to the taxation which will result from the changes made by the act in the assessment system in the Province. While it will increase, as it is designed to do, the revenues of the Province, it will impose no unreasonable burdens on any particular class. It will place the burden of taxation on a more equitable basis than it has had in the past, whilst affording relief by exemptions to sections of the community that were entitled to such consideration. We refer to this act more particularly than to the others comprised in the group of finance measures, because its provisions have been so distorted and exaggerated that a strong protest against such misrepresentations is desirable. It is, of course, a very long bill and its provisions are numerous and complicated. We are, therefore, quite inclined to believe that better knowledge of the details of the act will dissipate all these anxieties as to its effect and lead to approval of the reforms that it will bring about.

The position of the Government and its ability to control the House have been completely demonstrated by the events of this two weeks' session. The possibility of attaining to power being thus shown to the Opposition to be indefinitely postponed, it is hoped that, on the reassembling of the House, there will be a general desire manifested by the members to facilitate the passage of needed legislation and a hearty endorsement of the Government's proposals for the better administration of Provincial affairs and the establishment of greater efficiency in the Civil Service. While it is absolutely necessary under present circumstances that strict economy should mark every department of the Government, that fact does not imply that public works essential for the opening up of the Province and the development of its resources should be neglected. On the contrary, wise expenditures for such purposes are certain to promote progress and increase the general prosperity, and there is no question that both sides

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of the House will support them. But the principle that henceforth we must not overrun our means or incur liabilities without any provision for their liquidation must not be lost sight of, while the demands for money for all sorts of schemes that have been announced in the past must be met with a firm retort. The Government has made a good start; it must not fall in any way to keep its pledges to the electors.

A NEW AUXILIARY FORCE.

An excellent beginning has now been made in England of a new auxiliary force in connection with the Royal Navy. This should in due season supplement and strengthen in case of need the Empire's regular maritime force, at least as usefully as efficient volunteer battalions have for several decades done in the case of the Army. The Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve is now fairly established and it is expected in the course of two or three years to reach or nearly reach the authorized limit of its enrollment which is placed at 30,000 men. In the London district some 800 applications would be naval volunteers have recently been received, by the recruiting officer in charge, amongst these being many from men not only of special intelligence and good physique, but also of good social standing. The first division of the London Naval Volunteer Reserve has meanwhile reached a strength of nearly 1,000 men, whilst the formation of other divisions should soon be on the way. In Bristol and Liverpool similar units have been formed, and it is expected that good results of enrollment are assured, whilst other great ports of the United Kingdom will doubtless also shortly add large companies to the new auxiliary force, which will, we trust in the early future, find its counterpart in the establishment in many lands of Greater Britain, including our own province, of companies of colonial naval volunteers. Meanwhile as regards the British home force which is to show the way, it is laid down that none must join unless he be of the limited number of officers, without being thoroughly ready and willing when out for training or on active service to share the ordinary life of the mess deck in the Navy. This, however, should not deter men of the right type from entering the new volunteer service, though it will serve the purpose of keeping out those who have no real interest in the matter would be to amuse themselves by taking an occasional cruise in the uniform of a British fighting man.

The new force will probably be detailed in his country, called out for active service to coast defence rather than to offensive service on the high seas, though so far as we are aware, there is no limitation of its employment to this purpose only. In any case, however, the addition to our Naval Reserve of some 30,000 sturdy volunteers will be eminently useful in further protecting our Empire's central points, the main security of which, as almost everybody knows, rests on the maintenance of a Navy of the strongest that is possible.

STEEPING A STRAIGHT COURSE.

The earnest determination of the Government to stand by its pledges to do all in the power of the law to effect financial success on a sound basis, which was indicated by the Bills it introduced in the House, has been manifested very plainly by its course during the passage of the Assessment Act. The Opposition has been calculated to arouse antagonism and hostile criticism than one of such a character as to do any good. The Opposition has been calculated to arouse antagonism and hostile criticism than one of such a character as to do any good. The Opposition has been calculated to arouse antagonism and hostile criticism than one of such a character as to do any good.

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AN AWKWARD REFERENCE.

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The Situation In the Far East

Russian Warships Arrive at Chemulpo and Admiral Protests Opening of Port.

Protraction of Final Negotiations Causes Uneasiness at Tokio.

London, Dec. 10.—The correspondent of the Times at Tokio says that the Russian warships which have been ordered to assemble at Chemulpo, the Russian minister to Korea, accompanied by the admiral commanding the fleet, had an audience with the Emperor in a room of the palace yesterday. The Emperor's attitude was said to be favorable and he renewed his protest against the opening of Yonampo to foreign commerce.

Despatches to the Daily Telegraph from Tokio and Nagasaki, under date of Wednesday, do not mention the arrival of the squadron at the Korean port. The Telegraph's correspondents state the situation is understood to change except an increase in tension due to the protraction of negotiations. They report that the Japanese government is buying war material abroad.

The correspondents of both the Daily Mail and the Daily Telegraph report that Viceoy Alexiev will start for St. Petersburg immediately.

Leading editors in the newspapers this morning point out that Russia is bound by the strong obligation to the East, concerning the Japanese, as it was on the understanding that this should be done that Great Britain restored Korea.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 9.—The correspondence between Baron De Rosen, Russian minister to Japan, and Admiral Alexiev, Russian viceoy in the Far East, concerning the Japanese demands, was despatched from the Far East yesterday. Owing to the time taken in the transmission of the correspondence, the submission of the Japanese negotiations may be delayed several days.

Berlin, Dec. 9.—The National Zeitung, which has recently published a number of accurate telegrams from Tokio, says today, in a special article, that the Japanese declaration in the Japanese press under yesterday's date, in declaring that a Russo-Japanese settlement immediately at hand, the diplomat doubtless has their opinion on the well-established fact that during the last few days there has been an extremely active exchange of telegrams between Tokio and Washington, which suddenly stopped two days ago, and the diplomats concluded from this circumstance that the governments of the United States and Japan have engaged in highly important negotiations regarding possible common action against Russia and that the negotiations have been concluded.

The foreign office has not been informed of the details of the Russo-Japanese negotiations, but it regards the basis of the understanding as settled. It is believed that the settlement will be reached.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Yokohama advices received here from Tokio today say that the Japanese government has not yet received, and it is believed that it will be finally decided in the Japanese cabinet, which negotiations on the subject of minor details. It is believed that unless Japan's minimum demand is accepted, the cabinet at Tokio may decline any amendments. In any case a meeting of the Japanese cabinet is expected to open on Monday, and it is expected to open on Monday, and it is expected to open on Monday.

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WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS

Victoria Meteorological Office, 2nd to 8th December, 1903. The weather during this week has been to a great extent directly opposite to that of the preceding week. Rain fell upon six days of the latter period, while during this week only a trace was recorded, and bright sunshiny to a greater or less extent was registered upon every day. From the beginning to the close of this period an area of high barometric pressure covered this province and was also that particular area over California the barometer was unusually low for the season of the year. This distribution of pressure caused a continuance of northerly winds over this portion of the Pacific coast, and with the exception of a few days, the wind was light to moderate during the last two days of the week, the force was light to moderate, and blowing at throughout the Pacific slope. Owing to the lack of movement of the air and certain atmospheric conditions, there was considerable fog overlying the straits of Juan de Fuca, and also Puget Sound. Light snow has occurred in this vicinity upon the first three days of the week, and upon five days on the Lower Mainland. The Cariboo and Kootenay the weather has been comparatively mild, while in Alberta and Saskatchewan the weather has been very cold, and on the 10th and 11th the temperature recorded was 23 hours and 15 minutes, only a trace of snow on the 10th and 11th, the lowest 34.8 on 2nd.

New Westminster—Rain of inch; highest temperature 40 on 2nd and 3rd; lowest 28 on 4th and 5th. Kamloops—Snow one inch; highest temperature 40 on 2nd; lowest 20 on 4th. Barkerville—Snow three inches; highest temperature 32 on 6th, 7th and 8th; lowest 14 on 3rd and 4th.

Patrolling the Panama Coasts

U. S. Cruisers Keeping a Watchful Eye for Possible Invaders.

Washington Ready to Despatch Troops to Help Fight Colombians.

Washington, Dec. 9.—United States Senator Teller concluded his speech in opposition to the Cuban reciprocity bill, and Senator Morgan was also heard in opposition to that measure.

Mr. Morgan took occasion to refer to the Panama canal treaty, and in that connection again criticized what he designated "Presidential usurpation." He declared that the United States is becoming more and more a nation of cowards, and said the course seemed to be quivering with doubt as to whether it should go on entirely or pursue the better course of our national fathers. So far as the Panama canal is concerned, he would not mean as to yield to a temptation simply to advance the commercial interests of its states. He asserted that the United States would do as it might please with the island of Cuba, and he said he was fettered to the decks of our warships as firmly as Professor Langley's airship was ever attached to the ground by its cables. He pointed to the negotiation of the Panama canal treaty as a disgraceful act and declared that that country had to consecrate a part of its territory to the United States as a swift winged messenger of falsehood despatched on his mission by the United States.

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Legislative Assembly

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