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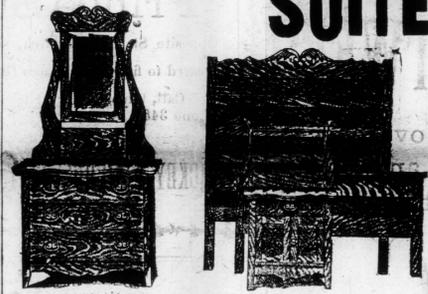
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Ottawa Weekly Letter.

A PARTIAL REFORM

Defects in Civil Service Bill.—Opposition Has One of Them Remedied; Mr Fisher Obstructs His Own Measure.

Indian Departmental Finance

Much For the Official Little For the Indian.

SIR RICHARD IN THE DARK

Inner Circle Does Not Consult Old Liberals.

HODGINS ENQUIRY SHELVED

Though Mr. Barker and Mr. Lennox Desired to Proceed.

When Investigation was not Burked.

How Sir John Thompson Dealt With Charges Against His Government.—Compare Him With Mr. Aylesworth.

Ottawa, June 27, 1908. The main feature of legislation this week is the Civil Service Bill, which has passed its second reading and part of the Committee stage. Though postponed until so late in the Session the measure is exceedingly important, and the Government has amendments to make to every important clause. Mr. Fisher, in moving the second reading, expounded two hours discussing civil service reform in other countries. His address was a repetition, in a highly diluted form, of the facts presented by Mr. Foster and Mr. Burden on the latter's resolution advocating an independent non-partisan service. The Government voted down this resolution, but is obliged by public opinion and various exposures to take some action. Hence this Bill, which goes some way in the direction of the Conservative platform, though Mr. Fisher dilutes the reform as much as he dilutes the speeches supporting it.

WHAT SHOULD HAVE BEEN.

Mr. Fisher's two hours discourse was followed by one of twenty minutes from Mr. Borden, and one of five minutes from Mr. Foster, both endorsing the measure, so far as it sets the civil service free from political control and makes it an independent and self-respecting body. Mr. Borden and his party had proposed:

That the Commission which is to have charge of examinations and control of appointments should not be subject to dismissal by Government.

That appointment by merit on examination should apply not only to the members of the civil service at Ottawa, but to the much larger body of officials throughout the country.

That the independent Commission should not only control original appointments, but subsequent promotions, so that party pull should disappear altogether from the Service.

That the rule unanimously adopted by Parliament four years ago against partisan activity by civil servants, which has been systematically violated by Government consent, should be made part of the civil service law.

ONE GOOD AMENDMENT.

Of these propositions only the first one was adopted by the Government, and that not until after Mr. Foster had announced his intention of moving an amendment to cover it. The Government Bill provided that the Commissioners in charge of the whole business should have only the same tenure as a Deputy Minister, who may be dismissed by the Government at any time. Mr. Foster proposed that they should have the status of a judge or of the Auditor-General, who is removed only by an address on both Houses after good cause is shown, which practically means an impeachment.

A WPAK FEATURE.

The weak feature of the Civil Service Bill is its application to the

present service. The new classification into first, second and third divisions is made on the basis of duties and responsibilities. But instead of providing that the officers now in the Service shall be classified by duties and responsibilities, the Bill provides that they shall be placed in divisions according to their present salaries. Thus any man doing purely clerical work who now gets over \$1,200 salary is placed in a division supposed to be composed of technical and administrative officers, while a junior technical or administrative officer whose present salary is below a certain point is thrown into a division normally composed of purely clerical workers, from which there is no promotion. Thus the classification by duties and responsibilities becomes a mere pretence, and a Bill to correct existing inequalities in salary and classification makes them continue until the present civil servants are dead.

THE POOR INDIAN.

In the course of an interesting discussion on the Department of Indian Affairs, Mr. Armstrong of East Lambton, gave some interesting facts, to which others were added by Mr. Wright of Muskoka, and Mr. Olements of Kent.

The total Indian population of Canada is about 110,000, of whom 85,000 are under treaty.

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| Expenditure from Indian Trust funds | 397,783 |
| Total expenditure | \$1,672,380 |

From 1895 to 1905 the expenditure increased by \$378,900. In the ten years the number of officials in the Department has increased by 233.

About half the money expended by the Department goes in salaries and expenses.

There is only one more teacher in the Indian schools than there was ten years ago. Many of the instructors in farming and industries are men who have failed everywhere else.

There are reserves with superintendents and instructors with hardly any Indians. There are schools with an average of half a pupil.

Indian lands have been sold on private terms without competition at low prices. Twenty-six lots in Ontario have been sold at 10 cents an acre and others at 16, 20 and 25 cents.

SIR RICHARD'S MISTAKE.

Senator Ferguson has made the discovery that Sir Richard Cartwright, former Finance Minister, was not told what arrangements the Government made last year for special advances to the banks. On the 2nd of December, Sir Richard spoke in the Senate on the address, dealing particularly with the financial situation. Some newspapers had proposed that the rule requiring dollar for dollar in gold to be held in the Treasury for all additional notes issued should be relaxed. Against this doctrine, Sir Richard vehemently protested. He said among other things:

"You can relieve the Government from the necessity of holding dollar for dollar of the legal tenders which they hand to the banks. I do not think it would be a politic thing."

"I am in favour of retaining our reserve as we have always had it, and that is dollar for dollar after we have made reasonable provision for our circulation."

HE WAS NOT NOTIFIED.

At the very moment when Sir Richard made this statement, the Government of which he is a member was doing the very thing that he declared should not be done. Mr. Fielding had stated that it was issuing \$5,300,000 additional notes and lending them to the banks without adding a dollar of gold to the reserve. The strange thing is that so high a financial authority as Sir Richard Cartwright should have known nothing about it. This is one of the many things which show that half the ministers do not know what the other half are doing, and that the old-fashioned Liberals who trust to the watchfulness of Sir Richard Cartwright and ministers of his type to prevent recklessness, extravagance and graft, are betrayed.

As a matter of fact, though Mr. Fielding seems to have kept this back, the Government handed out more gold than notes, and there was not only a reduction in the reserve relative to the note issue, but of the actual gold in the treasury.

GOVERNMENT NO LONGER RESPONSIBLE.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier used to say that under Liberal rule it was not necessary to argue that the country was prosperous, as the people knew it. But the Premier usually went on to tell of increasing revenue, of industries working night and day, of abundant capital for Canadian investment, low interest on the Canadian securities, the increasing number of Canadian banks and decreasing record of failures. Ministers are now explaining that falling revenues, decreased transportation earnings, paralysis of the woolen industry, closing of iron and steel plants, scarce money and bank failures, are all due to causes beyond Government control.

But the Government is responsible for adversity more than it is for prosperity, since its prodigious extravagance, its withdrawal of money from productive industries by increased taxation, and its protection of public dishonesty, have assisted to undermine the prosperous conditions.

When the Premier next talks about banks he will have to say that within a few years they have been wrecked. These are the Banks of Yarmouth, Ontario Bank, Sovereign Bank, Banque de St. Jean, Banque de St. Hyacinthe.

THE ENQUIRY CHOKED OFF.

As expected, the Government majority in the Hodgins' committee report in favor of quitting the inquiry. They say that Major Hodgins has withdrawn the charge of improper conduct on the part of commissioners, and that questions of classification can be tried by arbitration between the Government and the Grand Trunk Company.

Mr. Barker and Mr. Lennox, the Conservative minority, do not think that charges involving millions of over-payment should be treated so lightly.

They show that stronger charges in respect to over-payments and false classification have been made against the commission by the G. T. P. engineers than were made by Major Hodgins, and that those over-payments are of serious concern to the Dominion.

Therefore the minority "recommend that the subject-matter of the investigation be remitted to the committee with instructions to proceed therein until completion."

This request was the more reasonable as the committee had brought at great expense from all parts of the line a dozen resident engineers to testify about classification in their respective districts.

But these witnesses have all been sent away without giving evidence.

THEN AND NOW.

Now that the Hodgins inquiry has been knocked on the head, the Cassels inquiry suppressed for the summer, and the record of Government obstruction in the committee has been examined, it is interesting to recall the course of another government of Canada in dealing with charges of a somewhat similar character against one of its departments.

At the close of a long inquiry into the McGreavay scandal in 1891, Mr. Tarte, who had preferred the charges, and presented them before the Committee, made this statement in the House of Commons. (Hansard 1891, page 5800)

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Had Weak Back

Would Lie in Bed For Days And Was Scarcely Able To TALK

Liniments and Plasters Did No Good But DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS Cured

Mrs. Arch. Schurz, Black Point, N. B., writes:—For years I was troubled with weak back. Oftentimes I have lain in bed for days, being scarcely able to turn myself, and I have also been a great sufferer while trying to perform my household duties. I had doctors attending me without avail, and have tried liniments and plasters but nothing seem to do me any good. I was about to give up in despair when my husband induced me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and after using two boxes I am now well and able to do my work. I can assure Doan's Kidney Pills are all that you claim for them, and I would advise all kidney sufferers to give them a fair trial.

Doan's Kidney Pills will cure all kinds of Kidney Trouble from Backache to Bright's Disease, and the price is only 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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"Suppose you do. Don't be impatient. Just look him in the eye and say pleasantly, 'You talk like a weather bureau.'"

Mrs. Fred. Laine, St. George, Ont., writes:—"My little girl would cough so at night that neither she nor I could get any rest. I gave her Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and am thankful to say it cured her cough quickly."

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A word of advice from your dad,
If you think you are smart,
That thinklet impart
To no one, to no one, my lad.

Just keep the thing hid
And put it to your bid
For what you are sure you can swing
The chances are fair
You'll rake in your share
Of dollars and that sort of thing.

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Mary Ovington, Jasper, Ont., writes:—"My mother had a badly sprained arm. Nothing we used did her any good. Then father got Hayward's Yellow Oil and it cured mother's arm in a few days." Price 25c.

DIFFERENTIATION.

"Is lying ever justifiable?"
"Never."
"But I have known some very respected men to promise one thing and do another."
"Goodness, man, that isn't lying; that's business."

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THE HERALD

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1908

JAMES McISAAC, Editor & Proprietor.

The Opposition Triumph.

The noble fight put up by Mr. Borden, Leader of the Opposition and his followers in the House of Commons, has been crowned with success, and the bare-faced attempt of the Government to disfranchise the Conservatives of Manitoba has been frustrated. The Opposition fought this bill in the interests of justice and fair play, and in the struggle they had at their back all the right thinking people of Canada. In this fight the Opposition have done nobly and well and have earned the everlasting gratitude of those who sent them to Parliament.

On Thursday last the Minister of Justice announced in the Commons that the Government had agreed, so far as clause one of the bill was concerned at least, to accept the principle for which the Opposition have been contending. Clause one referred to Manitoba, and empowered the Federal Government to frame new lists after the writs for a Dominion election would issue. This clause is struck out and in its stead is incorporated a clause setting forth that the Judges of the Province shall allocate in Federal ridings the names of voters on the Provincial lists. This means that where the boundaries of Federal constituencies do not coincide with those of Provincial ridings, the Judges shall determine in what subdivision an elector may vote. All electors may be heard at the time this distribution is made by the Judges. This is the proposition assented to by Mr. Borden. The provisions relating to British Columbia and the unorganized districts of Quebec are cut out altogether; but the bill retains the power to prepare new lists for New Ontario. This provision will be fought in committee by Mr. Borden and the Opposition.

From this summary it will be seen that almost all the amendments demanded by the Opposition have been conceded, and the back down of the Government is a splendid triumph for the Opposition. Mr. Aylesworth, Minister of Justice, consumed three hours in his speech announcing the Government back-down, and quite plainly intimated that his change of front was in deference to the desire of his leader rather than from his own good will. As a matter of fact his changed attitude was a species of political gaul and wormwood. "In proposing that substitute for the Province of Manitoba," said Mr. Aylesworth, "I am not losing sight of the fact that it is a substantial departure from the clause of the bill which provides the work of preparing the lists shall be done by men appointed by this Government, by men who would be the friends of this Government. That feature is entirely eliminated simply because I adhere to the proposition made by my honored leader." This showed that Mr. Aylesworth yielded to pressure. He assumed full responsibility for the preparation of the bill, and evidently stubbornly persisted in his desire to have it enacted as first presented, but was overborne by Laurier. This is further affirmed by him when speaking of Mr. Borden's proposal to ask the judges to allocate the names. Mr. Aylesworth said, "The leader of the house closed with that proposition, he did so as he said after consideration, after consultation and he did so, so far as I am concerned, with my full consent whether that consent proceeded upon conviction or upon persuasion of my honored leader does not signify."

The Government and Government press try to create the impression that the concessions announced by Mr. Aylesworth are those offered by Laurier six weeks ago. Mr. Borden emphatically repudiates this assumption, when he states that he had conferred with Sir Wilfrid in the last few weeks on the subject but had not got any such proposition from him. If he had, the bill would have been read a second time long ago. Referring to the provision regarding New Ontario, Mr. Borden said it would have to be opposed and condemned. Mr. Borden commended the Government for giving up interference with Manitoba and British Columbia; but he said "it was an insult to Ontario to be left to the paltry, meddlesome and pernicious interference of the Government."

From what has here been set forth, it will readily be seen that the Government, by introducing this bill undertook to force through Parliament a most pernicious and iniquitous election bill. But when they discovered that the Opposition backed by the best public opinion in the country, stood up for the peoples' rights with a determination never to surrender, Sir Wilfrid and his friends were obliged to back down and grant almost all the concessions demanded. The attitude of the Government press, including the Patriot, in connection with this matter has been most inconsistent and ridiculous. One day they accused the Opposition of obstruction and abused them in all the moods and tenses. Next day they proclaimed in scare head lines that the Opposition had backed down. One day they declared the bill introduced by the Government was a fair and just act, and the next day they told us Sir Wilfrid had declared his intention to make such concessions as would render the bill reasonable and just to all parties. Now they attempt to say that the concessions announced by Aylesworth are those outlined many weeks by Laurier. Mr. Aylesworth himself, as well as Mr. Borden, shows that every one of these assumptions by the Government press is false. This jumping from one position to another by the Government press only shows the panicky condition to which they were reduced, and how ready and anxious they were to grasp at anything in the hope of screening their ignominy. In the light of present events, the juggling and squirming of the Government press show up in a most ridiculous light. The Opposition stood for right and justice and these have triumphed. The Government stood for falsehood and deception and injustice and they are forced to back down. This is only a premonition of the humiliation to which they shall be subjected when the electors get a chance at them.

The Patriot has, during the last month or two, devoted many columns of its editorial space either to abusing the Opposition in the House of Commons for their attitude towards the Government franchise bill, or to hysterical rejoicing at what it was pleased to call, from time to time, the Opposition's "back down," on this same matter. Of course there never was any backing down on the part of the Opposition, however much the Patriot might desire it. Now the Government has backed down and conceded almost every point the Opposition demanded. But the Patriot has nothing to say about this "back down." It simply mentions the fact in an obscure corner. That is the Patriot's manner of instructing its readers concerning the public events of the day.

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Mr H. Wilkinson, Stratford, Ont., says:—It affords me much pleasure to say that I experienced great relief from Muscular Rheumatism by using two boxes of Milburn's Rheumatic Pills." Price a box 50c.

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The parishioners of St. Mary's Souris, will hold their annual Tea in aid of the New Church, on the beautiful church grounds, on

Wednesday, July 15.

Every effort will be made to make this gathering one of pleasure, comfort and amusement to all patrons. As Souris is the most charming summer resort in this Province yearly visited by countless tourists from the neighboring Republic and all parts of the Dominion, a visit to it at this season of the year will be most enjoyable. It is well worth a visit to see the magnificent stone church, admitted to be one of the very finest in the Dominion of Canada.

Remember the day and the date, and cancel all other engagements and come to the Great Souris Tea on Wednesday, 15th July.

Should the 15th be unfavorable, the tea will be held on the following day.

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Passengers from Stations between Georgetown and Mount Stewart can go by regular morning trains on Thursday, July 16th.

JAMES McQUAID, Secretary.

GRAND TEA

FORT AUGUSTUS!

Monday, July 13th.

The parishioners of St. Patrick's Church, Fort Augustus, will hold their Annual Tea on the beautiful grounds at Webster's Corner, near Glicky's Wharf.

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The Committee in charge are making every effort to provide all kinds of amusements usual on such occasions. The ladies of this parish are noted for their Excellent Teas, and this one will be up to the usual high standard.

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BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE July 8-11

GRAND Tea Party

Saint Columba.

Tuesday, July 21st, 1908

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June 12, 1907.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

Hot weather these days. 88 degrees in the shade yesterday, and to-day seems to be quite up to that.

Lord Roberts, the hero of the Boer war, is coming to Quebec for the Tercentenary festivities. A cable to this effect has been received.

Fourteen deaths from various causes and five dying is reported from Boston, as New England's contribution this year to the fourth of July festivities.

Five persons were killed and at least 36 injured two miles east of Knobnoster, Mo., on the 3rd, when the fast California special from St. Louis on the Missouri Pacific, collided with the St. Louis special from Kansas City.

The order of tea parties advertised in this issue is as follows: Fort Augustus July 13; Souris 15th and St. Columba 21st. All are preparing to use their guests in the very best manner.

The New York Freeman's Journal of June 20th is a magnificent twenty-eight page illustrated edition, commemorative of the centenary celebration of the New York diploma. It contains a splendid account of the proceedings and has portraits of all the leading participants therein. It is, in every respect, a magnificent production of journalistic art.

Dr. Alex. Graham Bell, inventor of the Bell telephone, and Mrs. Bell, arrived here by the Campana from Montreal on Friday on a brief visit. The Dr. is now experimenting with flying machines, and expects that when he again visits the island he will be able to fly all over it. There is no law against flying machines.

Toronto advices of the 4th say: A mad dog is at large in Norfolk County, and the people are in terror of their children. The animal bit three cows near Villa Nova and started off for Simcoe town. Several other cows and pigs were bitten by the same dog and all have died from unmitigable hydrophobia. The dog has so far eluded pursuit.

Wednesday last, Dominion Day, was observed in Charlottetown as a holiday. Business was very generally suspended and large numbers were out of town. Steamers, trains and carriage conveyed pleasure seekers and excursionists in all directions in the morning. The weather was fine and no serious accident marred the pleasure of the day in this Province so far as known.

A party of six, four men and two women, were sailing in a boat on Lake Deschene, near Aylmer, Ont., on Dominion Day, when the mainsail jibed and knocked William Green, who was at the tiller, off the poop into the water. He was struck before assistance could reach him. He was aged 21 and teller of the Union Bank in Ottawa. He was a native of Dartmouth, N. S.

The Daylight Bill, a measure by which the United Kingdom is to start the day's work one hour ahead of the time indicated by the sun has received the unqualified blessing of the select committee of the House of Commons, and all indications now point to its becoming effective next April. The bill proposes to advance the clock one hour in April, in order to promote a greater use of daylight, and to give the masses an hour more play time by light of day.

Sixty-two persons were killed by automobiles within the state of Massachusetts during the year ended July 1st, according to the 1st annual report issued by the Safe Roads Association, an organization formed for the purpose of lessening danger and recklessness attendant upon autoing. Of the number killed during the year twenty were in suits and forty-one were not. Several persons who were injured later died as a result of their injuries. In addition 640 persons were seriously injured of whom 240 were in autos.

Writes in actions for over \$150,000 have been issued at Toronto against Senator D. McMillan, director of the Sovereign Bank. Others are on the list at Osgoode Hall. These will be followed by writs against all the directors who have refused to pay to the bank the face value of the promissory notes, which they gave in payment of bank stock. These actions will be followed by writs against every other director who disclaimed liability, and every director on the present board will resign at the meeting of July 4th.

Victoria, B. C., advices of the 3rd say: News of a terrible disaster involving the loss of over 600 lives at Batavia striking a storm was brought here by the steamer Empress of China. Many large boats were overturned in the harbor at Batavia and passengers were thrown into the water with no chance of being rescued. Many were devoured by sharks. During the week following the storm some 200 corpses were found mutilated by sharks. Batavia is the chief commercial port of the island of Java, and is an important coffee exporting city. Its population is between 115,000 and 125,000.

It is stated on reliable authority from Rio Janeiro that Brazil has placed orders with British shippers for twenty-seven war ships, including three battleships of the Dreadnought type, with the stipulation that all the vessels be delivered in September, 1909. Brazil has also bought from the Krupp foundry, in Germany, 125 batteries of guns, twenty-five of which have already been delivered. There is no truth in the report published here that the Argentine Republic has placed orders in Europe for two Dreadnoughts.

The joint political meeting held in the C. M. B. A. Hall, Vernon River, last evening was very largely attended. Mr. John R. McDonald presided. The Conservative Candidates, Dr. Rogerson and Mr. Bruce, first addressed the meeting, and made an excellent impression. They were followed by Messrs. Irving and Hazard, the sitting members. Premier Hazard was followed by John A. Matheson, leader of the Opposition, who delivered a powerful address which made a deep impression on the large audience. He let daylight in on the raciality connected with the Vernon River Bridge. Mr. Cumiskey came next, and he was followed by Murdoch McKinnon, M. P., who delivered a brief, pointed address, full of hard nuts for the Government to crack. The meeting was overwhelmingly in favor of the Opposition.

LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS

In consequence of an accident our paper is late going to press this week, and does not contain as much reading matter as we could wish.

Seven persons were killed, two fatally injured and thirty-seven severely hurt as a result of a fire in Kraig's fire and tent store, Cleveland, Ohio, following an explosion of fire works on July 4th.

A disastrous fire broke out yesterday in Turner's lumber yard at Victoria Harbor, Ont. The contents of the yard including six million feet of lumber were consumed. Part of the lumber was owned by the Turner Lumber Co. The cut was valued at \$120,000 and is fully covered by insurance.

An educated blind person is a rule self-reliant, self-supporting and an inspiration to those with whom he comes in contact. An uneducated blind person is a burden to himself and to his friends. Education is free to every blind boy and girl in the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland; but this fact is not always known to the parents of such children. Our public-spirited citizens, boys and girls as well as grown-ups, to help forward the work of the School for the Blind at Halifax can best do so by sending to the Superintendent the names, ages and addresses of all blind persons under twenty-one years of age. Address to C. F. Fraser, Superintendent, School for the Blind, Halifax, N. S.—June 24 if—

Advice of the 3rd from Yussou, Russia, says: A fire broke out in Rikomorok mine which yesterday was the scene of an explosion of gas that resulted in heavy loss of life. Over 200 men remain down in the mine shot in by falling earth while 160 bodies already have been brought out. Seventy-five wounded were removed to hospitals, and of those ten are now dead and many more are dying. It is believed that the present number of dead will be increased by seventy-five. The explosion occurred just after the night shift entered the mine. The last twenty men of the shift were still in the cage at the bottom of the shaft and they were drawn to the surface uninjured. Rescue parties were at once organized and commenced to go down. Six of the rescuers were suffocated and the others heavily scorched working. Meanwhile five thousand miners who had gathered at the head of the shaft became so excited that troops had to be summoned. Heart-rending scenes are witnessed as the mangled bodies of the dead men are brought to the surface and given over to the bereaved women.

DIED

At Goose River, on June 21st, after three days illness, Mary McLean, aged 69 years, leaving three brothers and three sisters to mourn. May her soul rest in peace.

At her home at De Gros March, on June 27th, Christina, relict of the late Duncan McLean, aged 86 years. Deceased's name before her marriage was McDonald, and she was a native of Lanoching. She was married to Mr. McLean at the age of twenty years, and from that time up to her death lived at De Gros March. She had been severely ill for some weeks prior to her death, and during that time she had the happiness of having at her bedside, almost continuously, her devoted son, Rev. J. C. McLean, P. P., Summerside. She devoutly received the last sacraments and departed this life fortified by all the rites of holy church. Her funeral to St. George's, on June 29th, was very largely attended. The high Mass of Requiem was celebrated by her son, Rev. J. C. McLean, and there were also present in the Sanctuary, Revs. R. B. McDonald, Souris; J. R. A. McDonald, St. Theresa's; J. C. McMillan, D. D.; Carlgan; Rev. Dr. Walker, Rollo Bay; Rev. R. J. Gillie, St. Peter's; J. B. McInlyre; A. B. McDonald, D. D.; F. J. McDonald, and the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. G. McDonald. The congregation of Summerside was represented by Mr. D. H. McDonald, Bedouque. She leaves to mourn besides Father McLean, four other sons and two daughters. May her soul rest in peace.

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| Butter, (fresh)..... | 0.20 to 0.00 |
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| Call skins..... | 0.08 to 0.09 |
| Ducks per pair..... | 1.00 to 1.25 |
| Eggs, per doz..... | 0.15 to 0.16 |
| Fowls..... | 0.75 to 1.00 |
| Chickens per pair..... | 0.80 to 1.00 |
| Flour (per owl)..... | 0.00 to 0.00 |
| Hides..... | 0.04 to 0.00 |
| Hay, per 100 lbs..... | 0.50 to 0.60 |
| Mutton, per lb (carcase)..... | 0.06 to 0.08 |
| Oatmeal (per owl)..... | 0.00 to 0.00 |
| Potatoes..... | 0.25 to 30 |
| Pork..... | 0.07 to 0.075 |
| Sheep pelts..... | 0.00 to 0.00 |
| Turkeys..... | 0.30 to 0.25 |
| Turkeys per lb..... | 0.00 to 0.00 |
| Geese per lb..... | 0.00 to 0.00 |
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Calendar for July, 1908.

MOON'S PHASES. First Quarter d. 7h. 4m. 25 p.m. Full Moon d. 14h. 5m. 48 p.m. Last Quarter d. 20h. 8m. 2 a.m. New Moon d. 28h. 3m. 17 a.m.

Table with columns: Day of Week, Sun, Moon, High Water, Low Water. Rows for each day of the week from Wed to Fri.

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In the Commons.

(From Hansard.)

On June 24th, discussing Public Works expenditure, Mr. Alex. Martin asked many questions about expenditures in this Province as follows:

Mr. A. Martin (Queen's, P. E. I.)—I understood the minister to say that \$375 a yard was paid in Prince Edward Island. I would like to know what kind of stone it is and where it is being used.

Mr. Pugsley—It is being used in the Souris breakwater.

Mr. A. Martin (Queen's, P. E. I.)—What kind is it?

Mr. Pugsley—Large quarried stone.

Mr. A. Martin (Queen's, P. E. I.)—Free stone or red sandstone?

Mr. Pugsley—Free stone.

Mr. A. Martin (Queen's, P. E. I.)—Does any one believe you are building the Souris breakwater with free stone?

Mr. Pugsley—This is for rip-rapping.

Mr. A. Martin (Queen's, P. E. I.)—With regard to the Souris breakwater the minister has said that free stone was used. There is no free stone in Prince Edward Island. If you use free stone in the construction of a public building in Prince Edward Island you have to bring it from Nova Scotia.

Mr. Pugsley—It was brought from Wallace by water.

Mr. A. Martin (Queen's, P. E. I.)—I never thought that you used any free stone in the construction of any wharf in Prince Edward Island.

Mr. Pugsley—It is not a wharf but a breakwater.

Mr. Lalor—As to the price of \$3.25 at Port George I would like to ask the minister what that was for?

Mr. Pugsley—\$3.25 a yard was the lowest tender for large quarried stone.

Mr. A. Martin—Yes, there is the Hillsborough bridge.

Mr. Pugsley—I think the Railway Department keeps that in repair and that the Prince Edward Island Government contributes a portion of the cost.

Mr. Pugsley—The service is to protect the harbor.

Mr. A. Martin—You must have a harbor into which vessels can go.

Mr. Pugsley—Does the hon. gentleman say that vessels cannot go into the harbor now?

Mr. A. Martin—At this breakwater?

Mr. Pugsley—Next item, Mr. Chairman.

minister says that 500 feet is to be built for \$2,500.

Mr. Pugsley—This is not a wharf at all; it is ballasting cribwork costing \$5 per lineal foot.

Mr. A. Martin—Does the minister think that he will complete the work for \$2,500?

Mr. Pugsley—Yes. Rastico harbor—breakwater on Robinson's island, south side of entrance to harbor, \$1,500.

Mr. A. Martin—I know something about all these harbors. I would like to know the condition in which this harbor is, how much money has been spent, the depth of water at the head of this breakwater at present and the depth of water the department expect to have after spending this small sum of \$1,500.

Mr. Pugsley—The department has completed, under contract, a breakwater there \$750 feet in length, extending from the island shore in a northeasterly direction so as to leave a clear space of \$1,400 feet between its outer end and the northern breakwater. What we propose to do is to protect the outer end of the breakwater. The work which has been done is very important and it has cost a considerable amount of money.

Mr. Taylor—Will this complete it?

Mr. Pugsley—This will complete it.

Mr. Taylor—What depth of water is there?

Mr. Pugsley—I do not know the depth of water in the harbor.

Mr. A. Martin—I want to know the depth of water at the head of the breakwater?

Mr. Pugsley—I do not know the depth in the harbor. The hon. gentleman should know that better than I.

Mr. A. Martin—Has the minister any idea at all from his department what they are doing there?

Mr. Pugsley—Yes.

Mr. A. Martin—Surely the department could tell him the depth of water at the breakwater.

Mr. Pugsley—I can get that information but I do not have it now.

Mr. A. Martin—My information is that the money you are spending there will be of very little service unless you extend the work very much further. The idea of coming before this House for a penny a penny \$1,500 when you require about \$15,000 before you can make a satisfactory harbor there is absurd. Surely the minister's officers can tell what depth of water there is at the head of the breakwater?

Mr. Pugsley—The hon. gentleman professed to know all about Rastico harbor, and if he does he will know what the depth of water is.

Mr. A. Martin—I am not performing the duties of the Minister of Public Works.

Mr. Pugsley—I know what the duties of the Minister of Public Works are just as well as the hon. gentleman does and just at the present time the hon. gentleman is not giving evidence of very close study of the Public Works Report as to what has been done at Rastico, because, as I have said today, we have just completed a breakwater 750 feet in length at a cost of about \$2,900. That is not a penny a penny matter and this small amount that we are asking for today is to protect the outer end of the breakwater.

Mr. A. Martin—Surely the minister can tell me what service it is to be when completed, what water there will be at the head of the breakwater?

Mr. Pugsley—The service is to protect the harbor.

Mr. A. Martin—You must have a harbor into which vessels can go.

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LIME. We are now prepared to supply the best quality Roach Lime from Kilns on St. Peter's Road in large and small quantities. Orders left at our office will receive prompt attention.

C. LYONS & CO. April 29, 1908—4i

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GOAL! We would advise customers to order their Coal and have it delivered before the season gets too late, as The Strike now on at the Springhill Mines may cause a scarcity and be the means of advancing the prices. C. Lyons & Co. Sept. 4, 1907—3i

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A MINISTER WHO STOOD BY HIS DUTY.

"I must say this much to the credit of the Minister of Justice, (Sir John Thompson). From the moment that the Minister of Justice perceived that I had a case he sent me to the counsel for his administration, Messrs. Henry and Osler. They came to me and to my lawyer and they said: 'It is better not to say publicly that we will work together as much as we can, but we have been authorized to come to you.' I asked them, 'by whom are you authorized?' They told me they had been authorized by Sir John Thompson. I asked them: 'are you going to take your orders from the Minister of Justice or from Sir Hector Langevin?' Osler and Henry said: 'we are taking our orders from the Minister of Justice and we are prepared to work with you and find out the truth as much as we can.' I say that they have helped me, and my lawyer, Mr. Geoffroy, will tell you the same thing. They have helped me as much as their delicate position of the Minister of Justice allowed them to do. I think, sir, it is well that we should know, and that the world should know, that when a grave and momentous question like this is thrown upon Parliament, the representative of Justice is prepared to stand by his duty, however delicate and difficult may be the position in which he is placed."

A COMPARISON.

According to present appearances and the record of two Sessions, it will be a long time before Mr. Ayer worth will earn such a tribute as this.

This Government paid Mr. Tatle's own counsel as well as the counsel who helped him. It followed up the finding by criminal proceedings against the offenders and by civil action to recover the over payments. Yet the total profits in the transaction involved in the McGreevy inquiry, including the salaries of the partners, political contributions and all doubtful expenses, were less than 30 per cent of the cost of the work, while the Marine Department, in 1906, gave profits of 187 per cent. to Merwin for purchasing articles common to the trade, 900 per cent. profit was paid to the Canadian Fog Signal Company, and perhaps equal profits to the International Signal Company on nearly a million dollars. If the statement of the Grand Trunk Pacific engineers is true, the over-payments on the Transcontinental contracts are many times greater than the total gains of the LarKin Connolly firm.

A Warning to the Public Re Prince Rupert.

A notice with the above heading has appeared in the Vancouver World, signed by the Prince Rupert Townsite Company, 43 Fairfield Building, Vancouver. A statement is therein made that their property is the original and only legal Prince Rupert, and the Railway Company 4,000 to 5,000 acres of arable land immediately surrounding the same.

The above statement is misleading and incorrect as the only townsite are: South Prince Rupert, owned, it is understood, by the Company who signed the above warning, and the Townsite of Prince Rupert at the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway situated at the North West portion of Kelen Island.

The distance between these two townsites is over eleven miles, and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company is not in any way interested in South Prince Rupert, nor is it the intention to have a station at that place.

East Prince Rupert, so called in various reports which have appeared in the press, is not registered; the subdivision referred to is situated over 16 miles from the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway

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