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The Budget Debate

MR. SPEAKER:—The resolution before the House I consider of so great importance that the humblest member in this House should have something to say concerning it, and this is my reason, Sir, for making a few remarks before you, all hope that some good will re- Legislature with a debt of \$666,000 members of this side of the House pledge; they come back to this all hope that some good will re- Legislature with a debt of \$666,000 resolution is that this House go There is no manner of dispute \$700,000. This is the Government into committee of supply, and by that we mean that we sre to vote the money necessary for the public expenditure of the current year.

This is the very essence of residies without injustice to the Prostate Property of the promises of statemen? The blue books show presentative government; it shows vince; for certainly money is need. all this, and their only excuse is the independence of the people. ed and that in the worst way. But "you did as bad as we did." He e The King cannot expend the public there is no evidence that the Fed- are the purists. Here are the monies until they are voted to eral Government is giving that champions of economy. Then they him by the people. The govern-question any serious consideration. say it is a growing time. Oh ye-, ment is responsible to the people. In speaking of the Fishery claims it is a growing time. It is a time The people hold the purse strings, being paid, the Leader did not of growing debt, of growing deficite, and vote the money for the necessary expenditures through their representatives in the legislature. Budget the other night, than be crick Peters took control of affairs It is for this reason a Premier of a Province, a Finance Minister or the of last year. We all regret this. the day of taxation was far off, that Chancellor of the Exchequer, as the Perhaps the Leader of the Gov- revenue and expenditure would case may be, makes the motion

and the House go into supply. But before monies are voted the

that the speaker leave the chair BUILT HIS HOPES ON A SANDY of the annual average expenditure people, through their represent. the hope of raising money in the atives, should demand the most rig- near future. He said he felt bad orons and searching enquiry into because he had not received this less than \$279,000 the Liberals the ways in which the monies money, that his heart was sore. previously granted bave been ex- The members of the other side pended. That is the business of when discussing the finanthe members of this side of the cial situation have assumed various This is one of their fruits of economy. House, it is simply carrying out positions. When the members of This is keeping their promise to the principle of representative gov- this side claimed that large deficits ecoment. It is unreasonable to were rolled up from year to year, assume that the Leader of the Gov. as shown by the public reports, they could not help it; they were no ernment should ask the House to the Government members at first taking very large taxes from the go into supply before he gives an scouted the idea. They said it account of how the monies voted was a figment of our imagination. for the previous year have been But the time came when they could for the previous year have been expended. When this motion is no longer shut their eyes to the damaging fact and then they said, call the Budget speech, that is not made by the Conservative. During the 12 years of Conservative rule they took from the Budget speech, that is not made by the Conservative rule they took from the people in taxes \$82.000. The Oh no, we would not be guilty of \$571,000 an average of \$57,000 a of the finances of the Province saddling a debt on the Province." when he makes this speech. Let Well, where did they come from? Well, where did they come from? collected no taxes. The taxes which were they like Topsy? Tuey just would probably amount to \$360,000 gave as full an account of all the monies expended during the past grew." The honorable member year, as he should give. Whether from Badeque, I suppose would call Was not that worth something to er not he gave to the members it "spontaneous generation." The of this House a satisfactory expland debt has grown to very consideration of how the monies were exable proportions now and to divert pended for the public service. It attention they say why do not the was noticed by members of both Opposition show their policy. believe the people of this Province sides of the House that there was That is the way they want to get are not so constituted as to be unquite a difference in the tone of over it. They want to see if they willing to pay a reasonable amount the Leader's speech, from that cannot steal the policy of the Opwhich formerly characterized such position and then go to the counspeeches I myself have heard try for election with it as their BUT THEY WOULD LIKE TO SEE bim deliver several Budget speeches platform, Coming back to the though I was not then within the Leader's reference to the representbar of the House, but I must say ation case. After he had exhaust that I was astonished at the mild- ed his vocabulary in trying to tell dition. They would like to see the ness of the tone of this last speech. all he did in connection with this revenues of this Province kept close It has none of that fight in it matter, he arrived at the stage to the expenditure. They would which was quite noticeable on when he should come right down to like to see no deficite, The people previous occasions, none of that business. The Estimates for this would not refuse to give them a diance. It was the most apologetic year had been laid on the table, reasonable amount of taxes if they speech I have heard a Leader of showing an estimated expenditure show them something tangible in the Government make in this House, of \$332,583. We expected then to return. What about deficits? It is very hard for us to judge

IT MUST HAVE BEEN HIS VALEDICTORY. by which the revenues were to be they have oreated deficits to the exraised in order to meet this expeni-He may have thought it was. It may be that he saw certain honors looming up before him, or he may have felt he had lost the confidence deficit of \$18,642 on the years never occupy his present position again. I said his speech was very which to enter upon the financial were to meet? All their pledges that fired him up a somewhat, just as a red rag will fire up a bill when placed before him. What was that? It was an article that appeared in a certain publication of this Province, a certain magazine. He grew quite wrathy over it. He considered it a terrible thing for any man to tell the truth about the inancial condition of our Province. The article he referred to appeared in the March number of the P.E. Island Magszine, and was written by Frederick W. Hyndman, E-q., a Liberal and a former Auditor under the Davies Government. There are few men who could speak with such authority on the subject as Mr. Hyndman. The Why don't you remove subject as Mr. Hydrian. It to be wondered at that the Loader that in 1903 the amount of interest of the Government felt very sore at that in 1903 the amount of interest that weight at the pit of the prospects before himself and his all the interest. A statement has vince are conducted much longer as they have been for the past few years such a course will land be necessary to starve the stomach House have told the Government we did create deficits but we did as Debentures was \$1,225,00 making over and over again, but their well as we could and the Conser- in all, a total of about \$34,754. The first step is to regulate the statements were simply pooh poohed vatives did as bad if not worse when What is the use in their adding by honorable members opposite.

no ideas but their own and when a at beart?

and permanently cures all derange- or knew there would be trouble. the reins of power succeeded in p. c., represents less capital than ments of digestion. It cures Dys- The mask of sophistry and pel- some way a few years ago in con- \$1000 of interest at 4 p. c. Therrpepsia and the primary causes lead- itical deception is torn off and the vincing the people that the Con- fore, I say, if their rate of interest idol is exposed. The idol which servatives were not doing what was [Continued on fourth page.]

in plain words what he thinks,

they all worshipped, is crumbling right, that they were not spending to pieces. The monster is revealed the money of the public in an in all its hideousness and con-economical manner, and that a In the Provincial Legis- fronts the Leader of the Govern- change was necessary. They s.id ment, who formerly tried to hide " put us in power and we will show it but now, it is exposed in all its you how economically we will hideous deformity. He devoted very manage affairs and how we will little time to speaking of the ways make revenue and expenditure and means by which money was meet." "We will have no deficits." to be raised for the carrying on This is the cry with which they members of this side of the House pledge; they come back to this sult from his labors in this respect. and we believe it is well over between the parties on that point. that promised to make revenue and seem to be any nearer receiving of growing interest, as we shall see this money when he delivered his presently. When the Hon. Fredwas when be delivered the Budget in this Province, he declared that

meet. Let us make a comparison of Conservatives and Liberals for the respective years both partics have been in power. While the Conservatives spent annually a little spent \$316,000, and for their 13 years this excess of expenditure make revenue and expenditure meet. When confronted with this they say people. Well let us see what taxes they took from the people compared year. For 9 years the Conservatives remaided in the people's pockets. people? The Public Works were adminstered as well as they are now, if not better. I think the members of this side of the House

hear him enter into a detailed While the Liberals have been constatement of the ways and means ducting the affairs of this Province ture. The ordinary ways and ficit of \$14,658. Must it not seem means he said would only produce to reasonable people that this is a retransactions. I would like to ask, dawn; that deficits were at an end if this is a bright prospect with and that revenue and expenditure year? A deficit of nearly \$19,000 and promises have been broken, all to start with, and if that were all shattered to pieces. Taxes we have we might have some little hope; had and definits we have had in but we know that year after year, estimates have been made here and invariably as often as they have been made so often have they fallen other side of the House take great far short of the actual expenditure. credit to themselves because the rate We have had deficits all the way of interest paid by them was lower from \$15,000 to \$50,000, yes even than that paid by the Conservatives. \$120,000. This last named deficit Well that makes it all the worse for was during an election year. The them: that makes their showing Government believed they had a infinitely worse. If their rate of inright or at least they had the temerity terest is so very low, their debt to create big deficits in such years. must be very very large, as a debt We may expect that this, an is measured by its interest, which in election year, the deficit will run all this case amounts to a very large the way from \$50,000 to \$75,000, sum. In 1890 the interest paid perhaps to even \$90,000. It is not amounted to \$2,697.44. We find to be wondered at that the Leader that in 1903 the amount of interest Government for the year to come. been tabled here which shows that When the Leader of the Government there is more interest than that. and his friends are confronted with There is an item of \$4,581.92 this state of affairs, what is their accrued interest on loans, The inanswer? They say "well, perhaps terest on the Prince of Wales College they were in power." Is that an \$30,000 to our subsidy if they pay by honorable members opposite.

The honorable gentlemen opposite who have the good of their country by the Commissioner of Agriculture.) As I pointed out before, if their rate man of their own party tells them WHY IT IS THE SCHOOL BOY'S AN. of interest is so very low, the total

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great importance was enacted. Of required no great length of time for their discussion; but the time, to about the usual length of the session was consumed. In the early days of the session very little work was done; very little work was done great amount of time to be wasted, in consequence of their unpreparedness to go on with the public business. But when the budget was presented.

But the Government. He supported the resolution in an fadmirable speech, in which the supported the mail-administration and general wrong doing of the Government. The resolution was seconded by Mr. A. J. McDonald, and one to to how that the country west of Lake busines of the mail-administration and general wrong doing of the Government. The resolution was seconded by Mr. A. J. McDonald, and one to to how that the country west of Lake business of the specific could not endure a delay of the support could not endure a delay of the country wildness. Nature above the station of the proposed new railway. But that the country west of Lake busines of the proposed new railway. But that the country west of Lake busines the country is peculiarly between the country widness. Nature able proposed new railway. But that the country west of Lake the existing conditions and carry the supported the resolution of the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carry the support of Lake the visiting conditions and carr with the public business. But of the afternoon on the matter of when the budget was presented the 3,000 and odd dollars over ex and third readings occupied the attenand the time for voting the public penditure in the department of monies had arrived, everything justice during 1902 When Mr. was then to be rushed, informatoin Mathieson asked the Leader of the was withheld, and criticism of Government to give him a plain public affairs was curtailed as far answer, "Yes" or "No," the Premas possible. The public accounts ier declined to reply. The Leader committee never met, notwith- of the Opposition wanted to know desires and urgent requests of the Opposition. Information regard.

The believed the passing of the resolution favoring the adoption of the adesires and urgent requests of the Opposition. Information regarding upwards of \$3,000 spent in connection with the justice de partment last year, was peremptorily refused. This is information to the Public Accumts committee together. The two answer was given by Mr. Peters. It was pointed out by the Opposition that the fear of unearthing this information was the motive for refusing to call the Public Accumts committee together. The lic Accumts committee together. The declared every provision wise of the adoption of the amended Grand Trunk Pacific continental railway." On March 28th, Mr. Puttee, of Winnipeg, received an answer to the same effect. Further than that, the Minister of Railways informed the last session of Parliament, they declared every provision wised. torily refused. This is information that the people should have, and which the people will demand of the Government with no uncertain voice, when the proper time comes. The conduct of the Government regarding the public ernment regarding the public division was strong evidence of the Government's guilt and fear of ernment regarding the public Government's guilt and fear of that while the question was un- 30th, 1903, or he was deceiving those bank of the river. They were repulsed accounts committee is unprece- exposure. But the electorate will der discussion, not half of those who placed him in power. Accepting but the loss is not known. Two gundented. Such Committees in- demand information on these matters the public funds found time to be doned a policy which he consider to be the Japanese when the Russians' field vestigate and report in all the other legislatures of the Dominion. In the Dominion Parliament, where quarterly and monthly reports of departments are made, ports of departments are made, the public accounts committee makes a thorough investigation go into Committee to further conof public matters and tables an his Majesty was made on Wednesday priety of the deal. Their leader of public matters and tables an exhaustive report. But here, the Government absolutely refuse to furnish such information and prevent, the committee appointed of public matters and tables an exhaustive report. But here, the forenoon, Mr. Mathieson moved a resolution in amendment, condemn ing the policy of the Government on the forenoon of the supply to be granted to the property of the property of the deal. Their leader of the property of the deal. Their leader of the property of the deal. Their leader of my right honorable friend when he offered the chairmanship of the railway offered the chairmanship of the railway officers and twenty soldiers, sixty-five of the other provents.

They cared not a jot for the proposition to this forence of Russia will be the other provents. They cared not a jot for the proposition to the other provents and the other provents and the other provents are now here. One of the most provincent that forence of the other provents are now here. One of the other provincent the other provents are now here. One of the other provincent the other provincent and the other provincent that the other provincent and the other provincent that forence of the other provincent that the other provincent that forence of the other provincent that forence of the other provincent that forence of the other provinc make any report. Such conduct this as a proper motion to make, as this cannot be tolerated for any length of time, and the Government we feel sure will soon find the speaker Read on the advice of Grand Trank millions of dollars.

The procedure sanction forced to admit that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure this as a proper motion to make, shows that the contract we can only draw upon our imaginations and I would sure the public. We can only draw upon our imaginations and I would sure the public. We can only draw upon our imaginations and I would sure the popular to the pottom with the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the public. We can only draw upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure that my right honorable friend must have addressed the ex-Minister of the public. We can only draw upon our imaginations and I would sure that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure the ship that the ship that they had upon our imaginations and I would sure th make any report. Such conduct this as a proper motion to make, concealed information which this out. Norwithstanding the the Government majority unceremon. additional in spot cash. admission of a deficit of nearly twenty thousand dollars to start with, the Government have made several increases in salaries of public servants. From this, it may fairly be judged that the outlook for our financial condition is deplorable. The Opposition, under the leadership of Mr. Mathieson, did excellent work castigated the Government and held them up to public condemnation for their glaring mismanagement of our public affairs and their tyrannical conduct in refusing legitimate information when properly requested so to do. But by force of numbers right was frequently trampled upon and At the evening sitting, Mr. Mathieson might prevailed. Before another introduced the following resolution, session the Government will have of which he had previously given to appeal to the high court of notice : public opinion. That will be the opportunity of the electors, that will be the time to avenge the tenant Governor will greatly exceed public wrongs perpetrated by the estima ed revenue of the current the Government. If the electors are true to themselves, and desirous of preventing our Province this House condemns the Government from coming to irretrievable on the following grounds: financial ruin, they will send the Government to the rightabout, and consign them to the political death which they have so richly

Sessional Notes.

The budget debate was resum and continued till after midnight. Mr. McKinnon delivered an excellent speech; and severely and pointedly criticized the conduct of the Government in their running of public affairs in general. He was particularly severe on the Commissioner of Agriculture for his mismanagement of the department entrusted to him Hon. Mr. Gordon, in a cogent logical and elequent speech showed up the Government's short comings. The doleful tone of the budget speech, the increase of the public debt and the bad condition of our roads were sharply animadverted upon. concluded his speech by moving

the following amendment: "Resolved that all after the word "that" be struck out, and the following inserted in lien thereof:

"This House regrets that the committee on Public Accounts has has to a large extent been abandoned not yet submitted its report to this and in some cases the Officers of the House, and that this House is not sufficiently informed to justify it in

THE HERALD tion in amendment, and it was vig. free candidates from responsibility for now preveiling along the line, but The Canadian Northern would gladly

As will be seen by reference to the list of acts passed at the recent session of the Legislature, no Government measure of any no Government measure of any no Government word down the motion.

As will be seen by reference to the list of acts passed at the normalized no Government measure of any no Government measure of any no Government word down the motion.

As will be seen by reference to the last fiscal year have demand the information to which the country at least, a policy so prom is entitled. He moved the adjourn ment of the debate; but the Government measure of any no Government mea the twenty-four Acts passed a Mr. McIsaac, and others, when the Government and contrave to law and large number pertain to incorporation of private companies
again made by the Opposition and
the Government and contrary to law and the Government has refused to disclose the sums so paid and taken and no and such like. These bills in again refused by the Govrenment. attempt at restitution has been made their passage through the House required no great length of time was negatived and the motion to go

not how much they were goaded, people.

There were 116 Liberals in the which the administration has failed to

to leave the chair and the House go into Committee to further con the bidding of the party whip.

Way.

They recorded their votes at the bidding of the party whip. authorities on procedure sanction iously ruled the amendment out of order. The House then went into committee and the debate was con-

The debate in committee of supply day evening till about midnight, when the committee rose and reported the resolutions agreed to. The bill founded on the resolutions was introduced, read a first time and, on suspension of the rule, read a second

Friday was taken up with the conreadings, and a general winding up pared speeches. of the business of the Session.

RESOLVED, That this House re grets that the estimates of expenditure recommended by his Honor the Lieuyear and condemns the policy of the Government in failing to make revenue and expenditure meet. And further

(1). That notwithstanding that the Act authorizing the imposition of succession duties was passed upon the express understanding that the money arising therefrom should constitute pecial fund for the maintenance of the insane and poor, no such fund has been established and the said moneys have been used as ordinary revenue. (2). That the Government though

authorized by Statute to borrow \$175. on Monday evening April 25th 000 only have borrowed money in ex ess of that sum in violation of the tatute and without giving the lenders hereof any security therefor.

(3). That the Government has failed to enforce the law intended to protect the stock-raisers of this Province against importations of diseased cattle have mismanaged the stock farm and sold therefrom stock at prices far below the market value by private sale con-

actory condition and in the case of colonial. Mr. Emmerson, in his and is allowed to take only what traffic \$35,000 of these debentures the Sinking speech on the G. T. P. deal last the two corporation railway do not Fund is growing less every year. (5). That the law with respect to the of Ontario, in an indirect

public schools of this Province has been enjoyed certain advantages from systematically violated and the schoo system of this Province has been greatly injured by the present Government (6). That the Public Works of this Province have been neglected and the moneys appropriated therefor by this House have been improvidently and wastefully expended, That the system

ernment voted down the motion. (9). That the Government have per-

tion of the House for a couple of hours. At 2.30 the House was prorogued, as indispensible to the growth of this counoticed elsewhere.

Our Ottawa Letter.

THE WEEK IN PARLIAMENT. The week in Parliament saw pondence in possession of the govern lic Accunts committee together. The Government were most severely scored on this point; but it mattered scored on the sc

sider of the supply to be granted to They cared not a jot for the proprevent the committee appointed several matters of its policy. All ed. Not until the last stages of ment, we feel sure, will soon find Mr. Speaker Read, on the advice of Grand Trnnk, millions of dollars

The Minister of Railways was the Premier, who closed the debate, did not offer a word in de-pledged your faith as a man versed in was continued Thursday and Thurs vote and vote right. Such was in the best interests of the country you the conclusion of the first stage are the most suitable person to apof the job, an ending neither edi- point as chairman of the great commis-

In condemnation of the scheme. and in favor of a railway for the could proceed as follows, and I suppose people; Messrs. Pope, Roche (Mar. he must have proceeded as follows: quette), Pringle, Henderson, Wil. He could have said : Especially is this mot, Hughes (Victoria), Kemp, Lefurgey, Thompson (North Grey), Barker, Alcorn and Bell sideration of private bills, third delivered strong and well pre-

> The resolution then went to the committee of the whole House. and passed, after which a bill embodying the amendments was in-

TO SAVE MONEY FOR THE PEOPLE. The importance of the extension of the Intercolonial to the Pacific should not be lost on those who are not now in a position to take advantage of the exceedingly low freight rates prevailing on fairly and full before Mr. Blair. must government owned lines in this sum it all up in this way: In view of country. It has frequently been all this you are an eminently proper pointed out by Hon. A. G. Blair, person to appoint as the chairman of the greatest railway authority in Canada, that along the line of the deal perhaps more than any tribunal in Intercolonial the saving in freight rates to the people, as compared to those living in sections where government ownership is unknown, means hundred of thousands of dollars each year in the pockets of the former and favored class. The present Minister of Railways has repeatedly expressed the same belief. Added to the the Government, under date of testimony of these two strongest December 10th, 1902: "There is one railway experts to be found in certain means of putting the Interthe ranks of the Liberal party colonial upon an interest-paying basis, since 1896, is the practical ex- and that this is by the extension of its perience of government control of line. The Montreal extension has done rates in Manitoba, which saved last year to the freight shippers more. While the Government railway directed a fire from a field piece as sucof that province \$1,000,000. In has captured the larger part of the the Maritime Provinces, the same traffic originating in Montreal and des-(4). That the Debenture Sinking conditions prevail to a very great tined for inland eastern and even ex-Fund of this Province is in an unsatis- extent along the line of the Inter- port points, it has no connections west

the rates in force on the govern-

Grand Trunk, respectively, and, alment road. How much more though the Intercolonial is fairly well would this favored treatment be placed to carry freight to Halifax and applied to the provinces not now St. John, it must always remain exincluded in the Intercolonial cluded from that portion of the busisystem, if the government were ness arising west of Montreal, so long to build and operate a line from as present conditions continue. the Atlantic to the Pacific? The Conservative party stand for the

year, pointed out that the people care to retain themselves. All winter

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possible," is the motto of the Conservative party.

TIME HAS WAITED.

On July 30th, 1903, Sir Wilfrid Laurier in his speech on the original Grand Trunk Pacific contract, declared most vahemently that the work proposed by to show that the country west of Lake

learn from a sure source that the

London, April 27.—No further news from the seat of war has reached London and there is no confirmation of the reported Japanese reverse on the Yalu.

who voted away \$150,000,000 of the former view of the case, he has abanaffairs, It is a proper policy which calls facilitated in crossing by the occupation of the Island of Samaleuda.
St. Petersburg, April 28.—A Russian the enemy. While commended there great curiosity is manifested as to how this for-reaching decision of Russia will be of the Island of Samaleuda.

the debate were the government place? No account of it has been diforced to admit that they had vnlged to the public. We can only draw were sent to the bottom with the ship words as these: Sir, you have impugn tion of the Petropavalosk, and the coned our motives, you have declared them sequent confinement of the remnant of unworthy, you have assailed it with the Port Arthur fleet to the harbor shut out from the discussion and ridicule, you have declared it to be born The fact of the Russian navy doing of madness and hysteria. You have something effective in the offensive, Sungari Rivers will soon open. The ice appeals to the popular mind which is is rapidly breaking up on the Amur. tinued all the afternoon and evening. bate, did not one a word and preded your latter as a wanton, unable to appreciate the inactivity of railway matters that it is a wanton, fined himself to making a fren- scandalous and unjustifiable waste of the fine ships of the Vladivostok zied appeal to his supporters to public money; therefore, we think that, squadron. It is generally recognized than frighten the Japanese and compe them to exercise greater care in their fying or advantageous to the sion. If my friend, Mr. Blair, showed a few transports or even cruisers an afternoon by his Honor Lieutenant a little modest hesitation in accepting ave no effect on the result of the war. Moreover he is bound by his instruc-tions not to risk his ships, the intention the position, my right honorable friend

being to keep them safe for an attack with the Baltic fleet when it arrives in he Pacific. There are various rumors regarding the sinking of the military transport Kinslin Maru. One report has it that three thousand men were aboard the a snitable appointment since we also have declared that you are acting from unworthy and improper motives, since we have declared that you resigned ransport when she went down, but the Admiralty insists that there were only 200. The Emperor is highly indigant pecanse we were afraid to entrust you with the expenditure of public money over the affair and may relieve Tesz apon a great enterprise such as this, and and order him to be court martialed. This report lacks confirmation in ecause you are a man of narrow views. responsible naval circles where it is mall and shifty, swayed by passion and prejudice and unworthy to unloose pursued and that the Admiral only fired when the Japanese refused to the latchet of the shoe of the prime minurrender and adopted a hostile attiister. In view of all this you are an eminently proper person to appoint as

ment prevails in St. Petersburg that no official despatches giving details of the operations on the Yalu River have yet "Well, I suppose that my right peen made public. The Associated Press has obtained from the General Staff the following clear statement

chairman of this high judicial tri-

honorable friend the prime minister,

having placed all these considerations

the lives of the people. "-Mr. R. L.

Borden, in his address on debate of the

BLAIR ENDORSES CONSERVATIVE POLICY.

shipments from the west ordinarily

reach the seaports of St. John or Port-

speech from the throne.

" Before beginning the passage of the Yalu the Japanese evidently completed the concentration of two armies along the river, commanded by Generals this high judicial tribunal which shall Kuroki and Oku. The total force The Japanese then commenced the

the country with the rights and with passage of the River and the Russians realized that it would be impossible to Picktong over eighty miles. We faced the possibility that they would cross at both the places and all we could hope was to harrass and impede them. Hon. A. G. Blair, whom Sir Wilfrid The Japanese crossed at least a two points. Their first attemptt to railway man in Canada, says in a railway man in Canada, says in a force a passage near Chang Che Kow, confidential, signed memorandum to twenty miles above Wiju, near

Siaopoussikhe on the Poussikhe, tributary of the Yalu was successful This is important because a road leads from Siapoussikhe northeast to Kwan Tien, which commands one of the roads Hall Company.

casafully that they destroyed the moor-

ing and wrecked the pontoons. The enemy was thrown into disorder and suffered considerable loss. Still further third attempt at crossing. will attempt to land at Takushan or atung kau now that they have crossed has been to cause a diversion so as to enable the Japanese to cross the river tenant Governor on closing :

land via the Canadian Pacific and Takushan is not a good strategic point."

Port Arthur, April 30.—All is quiet Paris, April 29. The Temps corres-

" A Russian column is about twenty miles from Gensan where the Japanese upon the garrison has fortified itself. The Vladienacted.

eral party, nothing has been done to further the building of the line which the first minister of Canada said was indispensible to the growth of this country. On March 17th, 1904, Mr. Emmerson, Minister of Railways, informed Mr. Barker, the member for Hamilton, that there were no "interim and other reports, plans, maps, accounts, statements, papers, documents, and correspondence in possession of the government, relating to the western and eastern divisions of the proposed transcontinental railway." On March 28th, Mr. Puttee, of Winnipeg, received an answer in the first minister of Canada said was indispensible to the growth of this country. Viadovistook squadron yesterday to cocupying these positions, made it clear to General Sacoulttch that it was impossible to hold Turenchen.

In the forencon of April 30th, and until five in the afternoon, the Japs shells ded our position at Turenchen from the batteries on the left bank where they had posted field and siege guns. They fired two thousand projectiles the same day. In the forence the Yalu attacking our troops on the heights near the village of Khussan and turning our left flank. Owing to the great superiority of the Japanese forces we retreated to a position near the village of Potiotinsky.

Tokio, May 2.—A Supplemental report from General Kuroki covering Sunday's

Stirring news is hourly expected both from the regions of the Yalu and Vladovostock.

Liao Yong, April 28.—The Japanese power either during or after the war, re-ceives hearty commendation from all classes of the community here. The cir-cular note is reproduced in every news-paper in the empire. It is felt that Russia now has committed herself before

Legislature Prorogued.

The Legislature was prorogued with the usual ceremonies on Saturday Governor McIntyre. His Honor as sented to the following bills :

An Act to amend 56 Victoria Chapter 1 intituled "An Act respecting the Lgislature." An Act to Amend An Act further to amend " The Country Courts " Amend-

ment Act 1878." An Act to Incorporate the Trusteen of the Christian Cnurch in Summerside An Act to Incorporate "The Maritime Steamship Company. An Act to Incorporate ', The Grand

View Public Hall Company." An Act to amend "An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Cheese and Butter Manufacturing Associations." An Act to Incorporate "J. D. Lap thorn & Company, Limited.

An Act to Incorporate "The Island Tug Company." An Act to amend "The Prince Ed ward Island Dental Act.' An Act to amend "The City of Char

lotte own Incorporation Act." (3 Ed. ward VII Cap. XVII.) An Act to Amend "The Summerside ncorporation Act. 1903."

An Act to Incorporate "The Ne Glasgow Christian Church." An Act to Incorporate "Charlotte town Council No. 824 Knights of Col umbus."

An Act to Amend "An Act to Inco porate the Trustees of Mount Stewar Presbyterian Church." An Act to Incorporate "The Rogers Hardware Company, Limited."

An Act respecting certain proceedings in the Court of Chancery. An Act to smend the Public School Act of 1877. An Act to Incorporate St. Patrick's

An Act to further amend the Absen Debtors Act. An Act respecting appointment tipendiary Magistrates. An Act respecting cartain depart ments of the Public Service.

The Appropriation Bill. The Act to extend North River Road. and add to Victoria Park, was reserved by his Honor for the consideration of his Excellency the Governor General Following is the speech of the Lieu

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly . At the conclusion of your Legislative pondent at St. Petersburg telegraphs as duties for the present Session I have follows: much pleasure in congratulating you

upon the useful measures you have

as present conditions continue.

"The undersigned has long held the opinion that a port on the Georgian Bay skirmishes have occurred on the right the Public Service of this Province, and content yet submitted its report to this House is not House, and that this House is not sufficiently informed to justify it in granting supply."

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Resolution of Condolence.—At a regu- LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS lar meeting of Branch 254. C. M. B. Kensington, held April 28th. 1934, the moved by Bro. Dr. E. G. Gillis, seconded report of the capture of Illig'on the coast by brother Edward Pendergast, and un. of Somaliland, from the Dervishers. Three animously carried. Whereas, Almighty blue jackets were killed and six wounded God in his infinite wisdom has called to his happy reward Rev. Brother D. B. Reid of Branch 216, and whereas the Minto to proceed at once up the St. Law-Catholic Mutual Benefit Association has rence to break the ice at Cape Rough belost an exemplary and worthy Brother— tween Montreal and Quebec which is the the Catholic Church, a zealous and devoted only impediment to navagation by the St. priest—the parishioners of St Joseph's Lawrence route. and St. Anne's a kind and loving pastor, whose example of Christian virtue and

highly commendable qualities endeared mine near Johannesburg on the 27ult, pre him to all. Resolved, that we, the mem- cipitated forty three natives two thousand bers of Branch 254 desire to testify our feet to the bottom. All were killed. The espect to his memory and express our bottom shaft is now a quagmire of huma arnest and sincere sympathy to the remains. riends of our dear departed Brother, therefore Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the friends of our departed Brother—to the Canadian— and the local press for publication.

AT a Conservative convention for the Fort Augustus district held in this city on Friday last Mr. Leonard Wood of Lot 48, was ominated as Assembly man, to contest the destrict at the next general election, in place of Mr. T. A. McLean resigned.

THE Minister of Marine has ordered the

THE passenger train on the Great Northern line running from Duluth to Larimer on the 3rd, ran into a burning bridge over Clear Water River, Minn. It esulted in a serious injury to twenty-five out no one was killed.

Almost a score of vessels of all rigs are ruising off the coast in a vain attempt to force their way through the drift ice ino Sydney and Louisburg harbors. They are prevented from approaching any furththe ice being jammed hard along the shore.

NINE-tenths of Fernie B.C. is burned The estimated loss is five hundred thousan dollars. The water supply failed and the fire burned itself out. Nearly six blocks were destroyed, including six hotels, two wholesale houses, Christ Church, and all

THE May devotions were inaugurated St. Dunstan's Cathedral on Sunday last by an appropriate celebration by the children. There was a suitable instruction by Rev. Dr. Morrison; the Blesesd Sacranent was borne in Solomn procession, the children, 50 boys and 150 girls marching and singing appropriate hymns. The children were neatly and appropristely dressed for the occasion and the sight was imposing and edifying.

THE Schooner Onora, Capt. King from Porto Rico ran ashore near Ketch Harbor N. S. on Saturday morning and is a total oss. The crew was all lost. Those lost are Capt. John Atkinson master, New Brunswick mate H. Laag, Gernmany, who are reported to have left the vessel, John F. Bowdon, cook, Guysboro; Archibald Baird, seaman, St. John's Nfld ; John Long seaman, Richibucto; H. Harvesta, Finland. The vessel is a total loss but is insured.

THE mortal remains of Rev. B. B. Reid arrived here from Pictou, on Wednesday evening. Rev. Dr. Morrson, Rev. Ds. Christy's keep their color Curren, and a delegation of C. M. B. A. mbers had gone to Pictou in the morning to meet the body and accompany it thither. A very large throng of citizens were at the wharf when the boat arrived. The memebers of Branch 216 C. M. B. A. turned out in a body and preceded by the League of the Cross Band lead the procession from the wharf to the Cathederal. At the church the casket was met at the door by the Bishop and clergy, and after the prescribed eremony the body was borne to a catafalque just inside the sanctuary rail. Rev. Dr McMillan then ascended the pulpit and O! may we meet our Priest, our Friend, lelevered an admirable address on the life Till then, loved one, adieu! adieu!! and labors of the priest, making special St. Joseph's, Kelly's Cross, April 25th, '04 reference to the many noble Christian virtues of the deceased. After the discourse, the office for the dead was chanted by the Bishop and clergy. The casket was then opened and the remains of the dear departed priest were viewed by the very large congregation present. At 6.30 Thursday morning. Solemn Mass of Requiem was celebrated by Rev, Dr. Curran, assisted by Rev. P. P. Arsenault and Rev. P. D. McGuigan, as deacon and day last. An inquest was held in Afton sub-deacon. The remains were then Road School house on Monday, when the conveyed to the hearse and the funeral loglowing verdict was rendered: "That cortege proceeded to the Railway Station. the infant body we viewed was the child The C. M. B A., marched in a body of Lattie DesRoches, and that the said preceded by the Band. The pall bearers infant came to its death from exposure were all members of the C. M. B. A. while the mother was endeavoring to con-The body was conveyed to Hunter River, | ceal its birth." The woman whose name by the 8 o'clock train. A large number is mentioned is a widow about 40 years of citizens accompanied the remains to of age and has been employed as a cook in Hunter River. From Hunter River, the the lobster factory of Mr. S. C. Clark body was conveyed by carriage to St. near where the body was found. Anne's, Hope River, where the interment sook place on Friday. After the office for the dead, Solemn Pontifical Requiem No. 2 Is a name punch, and will put your name on your Hat so that it can never be erased. Drop in and see these machines Mass was celebrated by his Lordship the Bishop, assisted by Rev. Jas. Æ. Mc-Donald, as arch-priest, Rev. Dr. Chaisson Grand Tracadie. Deceased was in hi and Rev. A. J. McIntyre as ideacons of May his soul rest in peace. honor, and Rev. Dr. Monaghan and Rev. D. P. McGuigan, as deacon and subdeacon of office. The ceremonies were directed by Rev. I. R. A. McDonald. The directed by Rev. I. R. A. McDonald. The funeral oration, and elegant and feeling tribute to the memory of the departed

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When came "good bye, for a brief time," Although our hearts with grief were sore, We hoped the sunny Southern clime Thy failing health would soon restore; But Death e'er seeks a shining light And claimed thee in thy noon of years. Bereft St. Joseph's mourns to-night, And prays for thee amid her tears.

For years fourteen *unceasingly, Thou labored'st, and though brief the

hy works and labors merit thee As if thy years a century ran; Thy life-work well and nobly done Well pleased the Master looketh down, And gently calls "Good Servant come, Lay down thy cross, receive thy crown.

No shaft needst thou to strangers tell, Nor to thy people's hearts appeal, What we, loved Father, know so well Thy life, thy works and holy zeal, Chree noble works † here towering stand, True witnesses that mutely plead, Iere are the monuments, fitting grand, Raised by the sainted Father Reid.

But cold, ungrateful, would we be, Did we require these to recall Thy kindly deeds, thy charity Tnat flowed to help and gladden al!; Thy words of comfort, hope and cheer, Tnat soothed so oft the bed of pain, And dried the mourner's blinding tear-These are the deeds that bless thy name

Ah I never can thy flock forget Thy teachings and thy counsels wise, Taat raised our thoughts from things o

And bade our hearts to Him arise ; The seed, although the sower's dead, Will live within our hearts and bloom Like the fair flowers that long will shed Their sweetest fragrance round the

We mourn, we pray God's will be done His wise design's, ah! who can tell. Resigned we bow, the stroke has come From Him who doeth all things well. Then tears away! Lord hear our prayers, Grant thy good faithful servant rest, And place him high in bliss for e'er, In the bright mansions of the blest.

And O! do thou, good shepherd, pray Thy children's hearts may not grow cold, Still guide us in the narrow way, Until we're safe within the fold. Lord grant this be our happy end, And when this world fades from our

* Father Reid was ordained Priest by the

† St. Joseph's Church, Parochial Residence and St. Joseph's Hall were built and completed during Father Reid's pastorate.

THE body of an infant was found buried on the shore at Blooming Point on Satur-

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PERFECTION CLOTHIERS.

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interest on loans amounting to story when \$4.581.00, and interest on Prince THEY KNOW IN THEIR VERY HEART given to Mr. R. N. Cox. of Wales College debentures amountof \$680,000 in round numbers. Agriculture.) There is also another quarter's salary due the teachers. Probably if we but knew the exact amount of the debt we would find it to be between \$725,000 and \$750,000. Party that said they were going to run this Province without taxes. Government that they want no more of such business. We have had some little evidence of that not very long ago. Some of our friends on the other side of the House went to the country at the recent elections and thought by their imaginary logic and their counterfeit eloquence to persuade the people the electors should support them. It had committed. WHAT PLEDGES AND PROMISES THEY

HAD BROKEN.

they thought by their sophistry to pursuade the people that it was all right; but they were mistaken. The people were not blind. They could see for themselves how things are managed, and they gave them their answer by returning two Opposition members. In 1891 the Liberals came before this House and the Premier said that he was desirous of wiping out the debt that was against the Province. Henceforth, we were to have no debt. Every. thing was to be plain sailing. We were to have a clean sheet. There has been some little dispute about the amount of that debt. The Commissioner of Agriculture said that the debt was \$128,000. I am quite willing to accept that statement. I heard the late Mr. Farquharson in making his Budget speech say and they are, and the best bridge that the debt was \$128,000. I that can be built, then I say they

money received? (Interruption that all persons throughout Canada ings and he did not do us very much by Mr. Read and Mr. Rogers) interested in such works would have harm-in fact, I think be did us good. He was to repair the Provincial time to submit tenders if they saw fit I would not wish anything better than building with part of that amount; to do so. Creosoted timber would to have him attend similar meetings everywhere.

whether this was done or not I do have to be used in the work and this is so very low it makes their show- not know. Perhaps it was. He could not be procured here. We ing all the worse. It has been was to carry out his idea of making find that only three weeks time was another boast of our friends across revenue and expenditure meet. I given from the publishing of the the floor, that they have not been have shown, and every member on tenders to the time they were to be taxing the farmers of this Province. this side of the House who has opened, and when we consider that They have made that statement at spoken has shown that there is at sometimes there were three days out public meetings and they have present a little gap of \$700,000 or of the week that we had no mail conmade it on the floor of this House, thereabouts between revenue and nections with the Mainland we can THEY WOULD LIKE TO DECEIVE THE expenditure. If we substract from see that parties outside of P. E. I that amount the sum of \$128,000 had no chance of tendering. I a little longer if they could, they which was the amount of debt against would take some time before con would like to try and make them the Province when the Liberals came tractors could find out the cost of believe that they were drawing the in 1891, and if we substract from creosoted timber and other materials taxes from other sources. Well let this the sum of \$51,000 which was that were to be used in the construcus look into the matter a little. If inherited by the Conservatives from tion of this bridge. Therefore, it I can judge aright they have been the Davies Government that would can be seen that three week's was drawing large taxes, from the leave the present Government refarmers. They have collected in sponsible for about \$625,000, quite receive tenders. I say that if the Land tax \$328,993.27. If we add an item for such a small Province as Government were really sincere in to this the Road tax which is col this. Our revenue is very limited; asking for tenders.

lected from the farmers, amounting we have no mines, no manufactures THEY WOULD HAVE GIVEN MORE TIME. to \$39.911 the taxes collected from like Nova Scotia, New Brunswick or There was a bridge built at Morell in the farmers of this Province amount Ontario. The greatest possible ecto \$368,804,97. Still they say they onomy should be practised in order have collected little or no taxes from the farmers; when in reality they have taken nearly four hundred thousand dollars or about we shall reach that stage which one-half as much as was originally Mr. Hyndman in his magazine deemed proper or expedient that Mr. paid for the lands when they were article says we shall come to; bankMellish be given the contract, and a paid for the lands when they were bought out by the Government.

This is the way the Government is trying to deceive the people. The trying to deceive the people. The total debt as acknowledged by them. selves is \$666,655, but to that their eyes to these facts and try to Cox occurring no less that five times. amount we must add the accrued make the people believe a different

When I was interrupted I was that happened ten, fifteen or twenty about making some remarks con- years ago. The Commissioner of cerning the Morell bridge. There Agriculture is very strong on that is the sum of \$2,000 in the estimates point. He made very little reference for the new Morell bridge. I am to the actions of his own Govern-This is the condition of affairs we find after this Party has been in office for 13 years. This is the bridge they can get. They need record as the present Government one, as the present structure is in a have. He knows that the political This is the Party that shouts loudly very dangerous condition. It is mask is torn off and that they will about the growing time. It is hardly safe to pas over it. Probably no longer be able to deceive the indeed a growing time of debt the members of this House who have people as they have done in the past deficits and interest. Our Liberal had occasion to pass it know the but that their day is near at an end, friends have been liberal in nothing condition it is in. A bridge has and in a very short time they will but in taking taxes out of our pook-been needed there for some time; pass into political oblivion. Conets, liberal in piling up debts, and but it is most extraordinary that it siderable reference has been made to liberal to their own friends. Let never dawned upon the Government roads and bridges; to summer and us take into account the amount of that a bridge was needed there until winter roads. Suppose we acknowinterest paid from the year 1891 to last winter when there was a con- ledge for the sake of argument that 1903 inclusive and we find that it vention to choose a Government can- the roads are as good as they were amounts to \$220,831.29 almost a didate for that district to replace Mr. thirteen, fourteen, fifteen years ago quarter of a million paid in interest McLaughlin. The Leader of the does that improve their case any and that by the people who said the Government and the Commissioner Did not they come into power era of deficits is at an end. This is the "Business is business" Government and the Commissioner of Public Works went down in a special train. They took the plan of the bridge with them. It was and are supposed to be progressing. it is time the people of this Province not only the plan of the bridge they We have a right to progress as took with them. Rumor has it that our roads are concerned. Anyone they took something else, some stuff, who has travelled over them knows and when they exhibited the plan that they are no better now than they they also exhibited the refreshments. were some fourteen or fifteen years (Interruption by the Commissione ago. I have had occasion to travel of Public Works, who said they went over some of those roads and I must on a freight train and that the refreshments were not exhibited while he and the Premier were at the meeting.) You will notice Mr. Speaker I have found that in the case of a ing regular doses had gained that the Hon. gentleman does not great many of the bridges, that is the twelve pounds in weight before

made no difference what sins they deny that the stuff was there. There small bridges, that the planks are the bottle was finished. there show the plan? That would confidence. have been a business course. They were men on only one side of about the Public Accounts. There

that plan. If

take it that these will be satisfactory should have all been made acto the Liberals. When Hon. Fred- quainted with the plan. It bears on erick Peters found that he had this the face of it that there was a strong debt of \$128,000 or thereabouts be desire to influence the people. That asked permission of this House to this did not work is shown by the issue Debentures for \$185,000 and fact that they gave me three votes to then informed the House that from one for my opponent. The Leader of if not why not? He told the people HENCEFCRTH THERE WOULD BE NO Government in making his budget He got authority to issue Deban- Morell bridge. The Commissioner tures and they were issued. The of Public Works has stated that no money obtained from the sale of tenders have been accepted. Sev. in order that he will not call it tothese debentures was sufficient to eral have been put in and none ac- gether and thus choke off free discuspay the floating debt and leave a cepted. Tenders were called for sion? (Interrupted by Mr. Read.) surplus of several thousand dollars, this work and published in the news | There is the expenditure at elec-Now, he paid off the debt or he papers on the 23rd day of February, tions. The Hon. Commissioner of did not. If he did not he deceived and these tenders were to be in on the Agriculture endeavored to make the people. But whether he did 14th day of March. It was the time point against the Conservatives with or not the money received was of year when mail connection with reference to this expenditure, but I more than sufficient for the pur- the main land was not very good; would remind him that during the pose. I made reference to this the mails were frequently interrupt time of Conservative rule there were matter at a meeting at St. Peters ed. Days and days there were no two Houses in existence. Elections and the Hon. member from Bay mails. Now this is a very import. had to be held for two Houses instead View (Mr. Simpson) got up and ant bridge, and as I take it a very of one. Those expenses would have thought he was saying something difficult one to build—an expensive been cut down had the Conservatives very clever when he told a little bridge-a bridge that will require had their way as they schoolboy's story, one that was as extraordinary engineering skill. I WERE ANXIOUS TO ABOLISH THE UPPER old as the hills and that oreated am not sure that there is any man very little mirth. Had he origin in this Province who could suc but several members who had seats in ated anything of his own it might cossfully build such a bridge. that House—and among others the have been a little different but to Sufficient time should be given for Commissioner of Agriculture-were try to force this chestnut on the those outside the Province to tender unwilling that it should be abolished. people was no good. Now the for this work, and a time of year The hon member from Bedeque has Leader of the Government having should be chosen when people out- made some references to the bye-elecreceived permission from the House side the Province could see those tions, he wanted to find some reason to issue those Debentures may we tenders as published in the papers. or some excuse for the Government's ask did he pay the debt with the Sufficient time should be allowed so defeat. He was down at those meet-

ence is this, that there was a call considerably higher. It was not Five tenders were submitted in the name of Cox and the contract was

When the members of the Govern ing to \$1,225, add amount due that this is the condition of affairs. ment undertake to discuss public on contracts, making a total debt (Interrupted by the Commissioner of questions, they never refer to their own record. They talk about things

> IN ANYTHING BUT A GOOD CONDITION are many ways by which it could be raised up two or three inches above brought there; however, it is on re- the level of the road. People drivcord that it was exhibited there with ing over those bridges are very liable the plan. They say that some of the to be upset from their carriages delegates did not get home until next What is the use for the hon, gentle day. It looked a little suspicious men on the opposite side of this to say the least, that they took ad House to say that the roads are vantage of their own convention to better or as good as they were under exhibit the plan. Men had been Conservative rule. That is no arguthere boring through the ice. Mr. ment. It is no use for them trying Fielding was here shortly before. I to deceive the people as the people free. say that it did look suspicious bave eyes and can see for themselves. that the plan was exhibited at this I believe the era of deception is at an convention. Why did they not call end and this will be proved in a very Toronto, a mass meeting of the people of few months when the Government Morell regardless of politics, and goes to the country for a renewal of There has been a great deal said

politics who knew anything about has been in this House a standing committee on Public Accounts ap-THE PEOPLE OF MORELL ARE ENTITLED pointed at the beginning of every session. Last year this committee was never called together. The Ohairman of this Committee is a member belonging to the other side of this House This Committee is practically a dead letter. The hon, member from Bedeque is Chairman of that Committee this year, and I would ask him, has be called that Committee together, and in the country that this Committee speech referred to the \$2,000 for the was no good, then I say, what is his object? Why has he been appointed Chairman of that Committee? Is it

in future. I would like to have him at the next election, but I suppose we cannot have that privilege as he will be looking after his own skin in Bedeque. The junior member for Char lottetown made some remarks about a juggling of figures. Well, he gave us an exhibition of figure juggling that ought to satisfy anyone. He read columns and columns of figures, and I do not know yet what they were all about. I do not know whether or not he understood them himself. I am sure nobody else did. He is an expert figure juggler without doubt. say Mr. Speaker, that there is a very serious problem ahead for the people of this Province, and the Government that came into power 13 years ago pledged to economy; pledged to make revenue and expenditure meet the "Business is business Government During all this time we have had the strongest and most accumulative evidence that economy has not been practised. We have had EXTRAVAGANCE AND THE GREATEST

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in connection with the conduct of our public affairs, and the manipulating of the finances. Instead of revenue and expenditure meeting we now have a gap of \$700,000. We have over a half a million dollars taken out of the people in taxes, nearly a quarter of a million dollars paid for interest on the Public Debt. This is ed, "you did'nt sound a single H, the case with which those people have to go to the country. This is their record and I ask you Mr. Speaker, if it is not a wretched and damaging one? What hope can they have that the people will be any longer deceived by their sohpis tries and false promises and political deception. We are satisfied the majority of the people in this Province will not renew their confidence in them. On the contary, we feel confident that when the appeal is made the people will say to them, No! We cannot give you our support. You can deceive us no longer. You have been a Government of cxtravagance, that spent our money lavishly and extravagantly and rolled up a debt of \$700,000 against this Province. Is it possible that the Government has any idea that they win? I certainly think they have not. I don't see how they can have. I am convinced that when the appeal is made the people of this Province will consign then to well earned, well deserved political ob-

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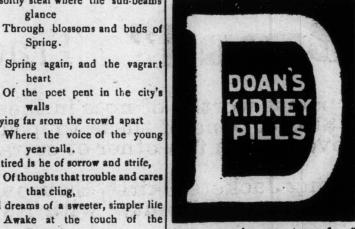
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