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#### CANADA:

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN.

# PROCLAMATION

- George the Fifth, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.
- To Our Faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Saskatchewan, and to every one of you, Greeting:
- T. A. COLCLOUGH, WHEREAS, it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to connice of Saskatchewan, We do will that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on Thursday, the Twenty-fifth day of the month of January now next, at Our City of Regina, personally be and appear for the Despatch of Business there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Province of Saskatchewan and thereby to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.
  - IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of Saskatchewan to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS HIS Honour George William Brown, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of Saskatchewan.
    - At Our Government House in Our City of Regina in Our said Province the Second day of January in the year of Our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and twelve and in the Second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

Edw. J. Wright, Deputy Provincial Secretary.

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#### FOURTH SESSION—SECOND LEGISLATURE

REGINA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

This being the first day of the Fourth Session of the Second Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, for the dispatch of business, pursuant to a Proclamation of His Honour George William Brown, Lieutenant Governor of the Province, dated the second day of January, 1912, and the House having met, His Honour entered the House and having taken his seat upon the Throne was pleased to open the Session with the following speech:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,—

It is a matter of great pleasure to me to meet you in this magnificent chamber today on the first occasion of its use for the purpose for which it has been erected. Let me express the hope that today's proceedings in this assembly hall may inaugurate an epoch in the history of our province that shall be long marked by continued prosperity and progress in all that shall make for the material, moral and social welfare of our people. As you will have observed that neither this chamber nor the departmental offices adjoining are yet entirely completed it has been deemed advisable to postpone the more formal opening of this building and its dedication to its public purposes.

Since we last met the Empire has rejoiced at the Coronation of Their Most Gracious Majesties King George the Fifth, whom may God long preserve, and His Royal Consort, Queen Mary. The province was represented at the auspicious ceremonies in Westminster Abbey by my First Minister who was also in attendance at the various functions by which the occasion was fittingly celebrated, in all of which it was

also my great pleasure to be privileged to join.

His Majesty has given one more evidence of his interest in Canada by appointing as our Governor General a member of his own family so closely related to him as is His Royal Highness Field Marshall the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn. I am sure you all join with me in welcoming His Royal Highness to our Dominion and in appreciating the honour which his Majesty has been so graciously pleased to bestow upon our people.

From the census figures recently announced it is gratifying to learn that our province is now firmly established as one of the leading members of Confederation. The results of the final computation are not yet public but sufficient is known to indicate that as regard population Saskatchewan now occupies the fourth and possibly the third place amongst the several provinces. It may confidently be expected that by the time of the next decennial census we will be in a position to rival

the older and larger provinces of Eastern Canada.

Although as a result of abnormal climatic conditions during the past season many of our farmers have not garnered as bounteously as in former years the aggregate grain crop of Saskatchewan exceeds that of any previous season. In fact it has been so great as completely to overtax all the facilities provided for taking care of it as marketed. The conditions prevailing during the past few months so clearly indicate the inadequacy of the existing terminal, storage and railway facilities that it is earnestly hoped that every endeavour will be made by all upon whom the responsibility rests to prevent a repetition of this season's experiences.

Following your action during your last session my Government promptly represented your wishes in relation to the natural resources of the province to the Dominion authorities, but the absence of the Federal Premier from Canada and the dissolution of Parliament shortly after his return prevented any final decision or agreement being reached with the late Government. Since the elections the attention of the new administration has also been invited to the subject and a conference asked for. All the correspondence relating to the matter will be laid

before you.

You will be gratified to learn that The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, which organisation you created at your last session, took hold of the work committed to it with commendable zeal which has met with merited success. Five elevators have been purchased outright and thirty-nine others constructed in the most modern and efficient manner, by which means facilities for the handling and storage of 1,210,000 bushels of grain have been furnished in addition to all the facilities afforded by private enterprise. It is understood that the company proposes to continue this good work as early in the coming season as may be found practicable.

As a result of investigations made by the officials of the Bureau of Public Health my Government has practically completed arrangements in conjunction with the three great railway companies operating in the province, for a careful examination into the question of the feasibility and cost of diverting the water of the south branch of the Saskatchewan river and its disposition over as large an area as possible for the general benefit of the people residing in those sections of the country where water in sufficient quantity or in suitable quality is not otherwise readily obtainable. A successful solution of this problem will meet with general approbation.

In view of the complaints received by my Government in reference to the freight and express rates charged throughout Western Canada by Dominion railways steps were taken some months ago to gather and compile such information and data as would be required to place the whole problem before the tribunal which has properly been vested by the Parliament of Canada with full power to deal with it. This information is now well in hand and as the Board of Railway Commissioners has decided to hold the necessary inquiry at an early date you will be asked to make provision whereby the people of Saskatchewan may be represented at the investigation.

In more recent years it has become apparent that the lack of experienced farm labourers and domestic servants has militated to a very considerable extent against our general development. As a consequence my Government two years ago took action to aid in the amelioration of this condition of affairs. Further proposals with the same object in view but on a more comprehensive scale will be submitted to you for consideration.

The growing importance of the horse raising industry requires that more advanced legislation providing for its regulation be enacted and your attention will be directed to a measure looking to this end.

The question of making further and better provision for the protection of our farmers from the ravages of hailstorms is one that has received a good deal of attention in recent years. A measure prepared with this object in view will be referred to you for consideration.

As very considerable progress has been made in constructing the branch lines of railway heretofore arranged for by you and as there are still many localities in the province in need of transportation facilities your concurrence will be asked to further measures intended to relieve existing conditions.

Bills to provide for greater regulation of insurance companies, to empower rural municipal organisations to purchase and distribute seed grain, for the control of motor vehicles, to redistribute the representation of the electorate of the province, as well as to furnish such amendments to the general law as its operation has suggested in the public interest, will all be laid before you.

The public accounts for the last fiscal year, and estimates of the amounts required for the public service during the year soon to commence, all prepared with due regard to economy and efficiency will be laid before you.

Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

I now leave you to commence your duties, confident that you will give to them that careful attention and consideration which has hitherto marked your proceedings and believing that your deliberations will be Divinely guided to the best interests of the people and the province which you represent.

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that in order to prevent mistakes he had obtained a copy of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor which was laid on the table.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Administration of Oaths.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, Ordered, That the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor be taken into consideration on Monday next.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That the Votes and Proceedings of this House be printed after having first been perused by Mr. Speaker, and that he do appoint the printing thereof, and that no person but such as he shall appoint shall presume to print the same.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That the Select Standing Committees of the House for the present Session be appointed for the following purposes: 1. Standing Orders; 2. Privileges and Elections; 3. Private Bills and Railways; 4. Public Accounts and Printing; 5. Agriculture and Municipal Law; 6. Law Amendments; 7. Education; 8. Library; which said Committees shall severally be empowered to inquire into and examine all such matters and things as shall be referred to them and shall report from time to time their operations and opinions thereon with power to send for persons, papers and records.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That a Special Committee consisting of Messrs. Ens, Smith, Haultain, Gillis and the Mover and Seconder be empowered to prepare and report with all convenient speed a List of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of this House.

And then the House adjourned at 3.17 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation praying for An Act to amend the Act incorporating Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

Mr. Calder from the Special Committee appointed to prepare and report lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House, begs to report that they have prepared lists of Members accordingly and the same were read as follows:

STANDING ORDERS.—Messieurs Smith, Wellington, Sheppard, Bradshaw, Whitmore, McNab, Stewart, Riddell, Mitchell, Garry,

Motherwell, Johnston (Pelly), Pierce.

Privileges and Elections.—Messieurs Atkinson, Stevenson, Gillis, Smith, Simpson, Wylie, McDonald, Bell, Nolin, Calder, Anderson, Mitchell, Totzke, Johnston (Kinistino), Willway, Finlayson, Tate, McNab, Pierce, Motherwell.

Private Bills and Railways.—Messieurs Simpson, Bell, Haultain, Elliott, Wellington, Sheppard, Calder, Scott (Arm River), Bradshaw, Turgeon, Whitmore, Mitchell, Ens. MacNeill, McNab, Johnston, (Kinistino), Pierce, Donaldson, Laugley, Bole.

Public Accounts and Printing.—Messieurs Smith, Elliott, Gillis, Simpson, Bell, Sheppard, Haultain, Donaldson, Calder, Tate, Scott (Arm River), Bole, Turgeon, Johnston (Kinistino), McDonald, Mitchell, Ens, MacNeill, Pierce, Langley.

AGRICULTURE AND MUNICIPAL LAW.—Messieurs Atkinson, Stevenson, Riddell, Anderson, Bell, Donaldson, Wylie, Willway, Sheppard, Stewart, Nolin, Scott (Arm River), Bole, Tate, Elliott, Gillis, Eus, Garry, Finlayson, Robertson, McNab, Langley, Motherwell.

LAW AMENDMENTS.—Messieurs Turgeon, Lisle, Haultain, Wylie, Johnston (Pelly), Whitmore, Willway, MacNeill, Totzke, Finlayson,

Robertson.

Education.—Messieurs Atkinson, Stevenson, Haultain, Bradshaw, Tate, Stewart, Nolin, Calder, Wellington, McDonald, Lisle, Ens, Anderson, Riddell, Garry, Johnston (Pelly), MacNeill, Totzke, Robertson, Motherwell.

LIBRARY.—Messieurs Turgeon, Elliott, Calder, Lisle, Mitchell, Bradshaw, Whitmore, Langley.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ended February 28, 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 1.)

Statement of Special Warrants issued during the year 1910-11. (Sessional Paper No. 2.)

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1911, and the Statement of Special Warrants during the year 1910-11 by the Provincial Auditor be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing.

Mr. Motherwell, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Sixth Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture of the (Sessional Paper No. 3.) Province of Saskatchewan 1910.

Annual Report of the Provincial Secretary including the Report of the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies of the Province of Saskatchewan 1910-11. (Sessional Paper No. 4.)

And then the House adjourned at 3.07 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of The Assiniboia Club praying for An Act to amend the Act to incorporate The Assiniboia Club.

By Mr. Sheppard,—Of H. F. Stirk and fourteen others praying for the incorporation of Executors and Administrators Trust Company.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Haultain,

Ordered, That the number necessary to form a quorum in each of the Select Standing Committees be as follows:

Standing Orders 5.

Privileges and Elections 7.

Private Bills and Railways 7.

Public Accounts and Printing 7.

Agriculture and Municipal Law 8.

Law Amendments 5.

Education 7.

Library 4.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Secondary Education Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Judicature Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Demise of the Crown.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Mr. McNab, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

The Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 5.) The Order of the Day being read for taking into consideration the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session.

The House proceeded accordingly to take the said Speech into consideration.

Moved by Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Bole,

That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour George William Brown, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan, as follows:

To His Honour George William Brown, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR,-

We, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank your Honour for the gracious Speech which your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, Ordered, That the said Address be engrossed and presented to

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor by such Members of the House as are of the Executive Council.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That this House will on Wednesday next resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That this House will on Wednesday next resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

## REGINA, TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of The Wascana Country Club Company, Limited, praying for the confirmation of the incorporation of the said Club and for other powers.

By Mr. Simpson,—Of R. R. Earle and three others praying for an Act to incorporate "The Battleford Security Corporation Limited."

By Mr. Wellington,—Of John R. Taylor and two others praying for an Act to incorporate "The Colonial Club."

The following petition was read and received:

Of Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation praying for an Act to amend the Act incorporating Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

Ordered, That Mr. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill to enable Municipalities to borrow money for seed grain distribution.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

And then the House adjourned at 3.12 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. McNab,—Of Theodor A. Girling and fourteen others praying for An Act incorporating The Young Men's Christian Association of Saskatoou, and to provide that the buildings, land and equipment of the said Association may be exempt from taxation.

By Mr. McNab,—Of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act validating, confirming and ratifying certain assessment rolls, tax rolls,

and bylaws.

By Mr. McNab,—Of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act validating, confirming and ratifying a certain agreement with the

Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

By Mr. McNab,—Of the City of Saskatoon and Harry Marshall Erskine Evans praying for An Act validating and confirming a certain agreement concerning the Street Railway System.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of the Assiniboia Club praying for An Act to amend the Act to incorporate The Assiniboia Club.

Of H. F. Stirk and fourteen others praying for the incorporation of Executors and Administrators Trust Company.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation praying for An Act to amend the Act incorporating Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Gillis asked the Government the following questions:

1. How many Provincial Game Guardians are at present employed.

2. Their names and the date of their appointment.

3. Salary or other remuneration paid to each including expenses. Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

- 2. Neil Gilmour, appointed May 3, 1907. Fr. I. Hauser, appointed July 15, 1907. David Ramsay, Jr., appointed November 11, 1908. Joseph A. Dyma, appointed December 1, 1911.
- 3. \$1,200 per annum to each guardian for the services of himself and team and travelling expenses.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The School Grants Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The School Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Fire Insurance.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Offensive Weapons.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Correspondence and Papers respecting an issue of Treasury Bills authorised by the Lieutenant Governor in Council on November 20. (Sessional Paper No. 6.) **1**911.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 1) to amend The Secondary Education Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 3) respecting the Demise of the Crown.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 3.18 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Turgeon,—Of O. E. Mathieu praying for An Act incorporating the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina.

By Mr. Turgeou,—Of O. E. Mathieu praying for An Act incorporating "La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina."

The following petitions were read and received:

Of The Wascana Country Club Company, Limited, praying for the confirmation of the incorporation of the said club and for other powers.

Of R. R. Earle and three others praying for An Act to incorporate

The Battleford Security Corporation Limited.

Of John R. Taylor and two others praying for An Act to incorporate The Colonial Club.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of The Assiniboia Club praying for An Act to amend the Act to incorporate The Assiniboia Club, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of H. F. Stirk and fourteen others praying for the incorporation of Executors and Administrators Trust Company, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Mitchell asked the Government the following questions:

1. Has the Government taken any action respecting the much needed extension of the Weyburn-Lethbridge Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. If so, what action.

2. Is the Government in possession of any definite information regarding the work to be done on this line during the year 1912. If so,

what information.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. and 2. Yes. Early in 1911 the necessity for extending this line was taken up with Sir William Whyte who promised to urge upon the President of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company the desirability of proceeding with construction at an early date. Again, in October of last year, Mr. Scott took up the matter directly with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and received an assurance that the line in question would be built to a point 175 miles west of Weyburn in 1912 and another 100 miles in 1913.

Mr. Ens asked the Government the following questions:

1. What rates are charged for telephone service in Saskatchewan for business and residence telephones.

2. Has there been any increase in the rates for use of telephones since the telephone system has been under control of Government.

3. Is it the intention of the Government to increase these rates. Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. The annual rates charged for use of telephones are as follows: Business Telephone,

Regina, Moose Jaw and Saskatoon,

\$35 for wall telephone,

\$37 for desk telephone.

Battleford, North Battleford and Prince Albert,

\$30 for wall telephone,

\$32 for desk telephone.

Other exchanges,

\$24 for wall telephone,

\$26 for desk telephone.

Residence Telephone,

Regina, Moose Jaw and Saskatoon,

\$25 for wall telephone, \$27 for desk telephone.

Battleford, North Battleford and Prince Albert.

\$20 for wall telephone,

\$22 for desk telephone.

Other exchanges,

\$18 for wall telephone,

\$20 for desk telephone.

- 2. There has been no general increase in rates but upon the purchase of the exchanges at Moose Jaw, Rouleau, Estevan, Weyburn and Saskatoon, certain adjustments of rates were necessary in order to have uniform rates for the whole provincial system.
  - 3. No.

Mr. Wellington asked the Government the following questions:

- 1. Has any action been taken by the Government with regard to the route to be taken by the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern Railways, or either of them, in and through the City of Moose Jaw.
- 2. Has the Government any information as to when the said railways, or either of them, will be carried into the City of Moose Jaw.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. No action further than to advise the said companies that their lines into the City of Moose Jaw must be so located as to suit the convenience of the general public.

2. The Government has been informed that the necessary construction work to bring the said lines into the City of Moose Jaw will be

commenced as early as possible this year.

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Simpson,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. A list of the elevators purchased or erected to date by the Sas-

katchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

2. The location and cost of each such elevator.

3. The amount advanced by the Government to the Company for the purchase or erection of the said elevators.

On motion of Mr. MacNeill, seconded by Mr. Atkinson,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The number of Rural Municipalities organised in Saskatchewan,

showing the year of their organisation.

2. The number of existing Local Improvement Districts.

3. The total number of townships included in Small Local Improvement Districts in 1905.

4. The total number of townships included in Rural Municipalities or Local Improvement Districts on December 31, 1911.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill ratifying certain Agreements made between His Majesty and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Gillis,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The number of purebred animals purchased by or for the use

of the College of Agriculture.

2. The number purchased in each province in Canada and the number purchased elsewhere.

3. The name and registered number of each animal in each class, the person from whom purchased and the price paid.

Ordered, That Mr. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill to Protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Hawkers and Pedlers.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Auctioneers.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Willway, seconded by Mr. Riddell,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The aggregate amount expended in each of the Electoral Districts of the Province for Public Works during the year 1911 exclusive of grants given to Municipalities.

2. The number of grading and bridge gangs employed in the same

year.

Mr. Turgeon, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Statement of Remission of penalties and forfeitures as required by Chapter 29 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

(Sessional Paper No. 7.)

Annual Report of Regina Jail for Fiscal Year ending February 28, 1911.

Annual Report of Prince Albert Jail for Fiscal Year ending

February 28, 1911.

Annual Report of Moosomin Jail for Fiscal Year ending February 28, 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 8.)

Ordered, That Mr. Sheppard have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 1) to amend The Secondary Education Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again in two weeks time.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 3) respecting the Demise of the Crown, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments. Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 3) be read a third time on Monday next.

And then the House adjourned at 4.15 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. McNab,—Of H. M. E. Evans and four others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company and for other powers.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of Theodor A. Girling and fourteen others praying for An Act incorporating The Young Men's Christian Association of Saskatoon, and to provide that the buildings, land and equipment of the said association may be exempt from taxation.

Of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act validating, confirming

and ratifying certain assessment rolls, tax rolls and bylaws.

Of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act validating, confirming and ratifying a certain agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Of the City of Saskatoon and Harry Marshall Erskine Evans praying for An Act validating and confirming a certain agreement

concerning the Street Railway System.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of John R. Taylor and two others praying for An Act to incorporate The Colonial Club, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Riddell asked the Government the following questions:

1. How many miles of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch line running south-east from Regina have been built.

2. Has the Minister of Railways approved of this line to the International boundary. If so, at what point will it cross the boundary.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. The company has completed 133 miles of grading and the company's engineer in his progress estimates gives \$90,000 worth of rails as having been purchased for this line.

2. The route of the line has been approved to a point near

Frobisher.

On motion of Mr. Ens, seconded by Mr. Stewart,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The number of Rural Telephone Companies organised in the

Province during each of the years 1908-11 included.

2. The total number of stockholders in these Companies and the total capitalisation of the companies.

3. The total number of pole miles built by these Companies during

each of the years mentioned.

4. The number of telephone subscribers served by the said Companies during each of said years.

Moved by Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

That in the opinion of this House the Government should take such steps as may be necessary to obtain full information respecting:

(a) The feasibility and cost of developing and transmitting

electrical power generated at the coal fields in Saskatchewan;

(b) The most economical form and manner in which lignite coal may be used as a fuel for domestic purposes.

And the question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the question being again proposed,

It passed in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Finlayson,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The mileage of each line of railway the bonds of which have

been guaranteed by the Government.

- 2. The number of miles of grading on each such line and the number of miles of steel laid during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911.
  - 3. The total miles of grading on these lines now ready for steel.
- 4. The total mileage of these lines upon which no grading has as yet been done.
- 5. The number of miles of railway completed by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in Saskatchewan during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Motor Vehicles.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Whitmore, seconded by Mr. Wylie,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

Amounts paid The Leader Publishing Company, The Leader Times Company and The Saskatchewan Courier for printing and advertising during 1910 and 1911.

On motion of Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Wellington, Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

1. Remuneration including travelling expenses and subsistence paid to Registrars and Revising Officers in compiling Voters' List 1911 in each Electoral Division.

2. Total cost of Voters' Lists including printing for the Province.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 5) to amend The School Grants Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 6) to amend The School Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 8) respecting Offensive Weapons.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 4.10 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of O. E. Mathieu praying for An Act incorporating the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina.

Of O. E. Mathieu praying for An Act incorporating "La Corpora-

tion Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina."

Of H. M. E. Evans and four others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company and for other powers.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of The Wascana Country Club Company, Limited, praying for the confirmation of the incorporation of the said club and for other powers, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of R. R. Earle and three others praying for An Act to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Your committe have also examined the petition of Theodor A. Girling and fourteen others praying for An Act incorporating The Young Men's Christian Association of Saskatoon, and to provide that the buildings, land and equipment of the said association may be exempt from taxation, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act validating, confirming and ratifying certain assessment rolls, tax rolls and bylaws, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act validating, confirming and ratifying a certain agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the City of Saskatoon and Harry Marshall Erskine Evans praying for An Act validating and confirming a certain agreement concerning the Street Railway System, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following Report:

Your Committee recommends that the date of the reception of petitions for Private Bills as defined in Rule No. 49 be extended until and including Wednesday, February 14, 1912.

And that the date for the presentation of Private Bills to the House as defined in Rule No. 49 be similarly extended until and including Wednesday, February 21, 1912.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Gillis asked the Government the following questions:

1. What amounts have been paid by the Government to the Saskatchewan Stationers, Limited, for supplies of any description during 1910 and 1911.

2. Were goods, if any purchased from the said Company, supplied under tender or tenders.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. No payments were made by the Government in 1910 for supplies purchased from the Saskatchewan Stationers, Limited. In 1911 blue print paper costing \$140.50 was purchased.

2. The purchases were made in the open market, no tenders being

invited.

Moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Garry, That this House do now adjourn. And a debate arising thereupon, And the debate continuing, The said motion was by leave withdrawn.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Local Improvements Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Support of Illegitimate Children.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. MacNeill,

Whereas on the eighth day of March, 1911, the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, moved by a consideration of the undoubted benefits to be derived by the people of this province from the adoption of the reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States then before the Dominion Parliament unanimously passed a resolution approving of the said trade arrangement;

And whereas the aforesaid resolution was published to the people of Canada as the official pronouncement of this Assembly on a matter of paramount importance to the people of Saskatchewan made after

due consideration and deliberation;

And whereas subsequently during the Dominion election campaign which terminated on September 21, 1911, several members of this Assembly, disregarding the aforesaid unanimous resolution, which all of them had supported by their votes and some of them by their speeches in this Assembly denounced the said reciprocal trade arrangement before the electorate of the province and took an active part in bringing about its defeat;

And whereas such action on the part of the said members must inevitably tend to lower the dignity of this Assembly and to weaken and discredit its influence and authority as the official exponent of the views and desires of the people of this province;

And whereas the conditions surrounding the marketing, warehousing and transporting of the grain crop of Saskatchewan harvested during the year 1911 have demonstrated more clearly than ever the disadvantages under which the producers of Saskatchewan are labouring and it is expedient for that reason that this Assembly reaffirm its indorsation of the policy embodied in the aforesaid reciprocal trade arrangement;

Therefore be it resolved that this House regrets the action taken by the said several members of this Assembly during the recent

Dominion election campaign as above set out;

And be it further resolved that this House reaffirms its adherence to the policy embodied in the aforesaid proposed reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States and is of the opinion that every effort should continue to be made to secure to the people of Saskatchewan the benefits contained in the said trade arrangement.

And the question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

On the motion of Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. McDonald, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. McNab, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

The Annual Report of the Department of Public Works of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year 1910-11

(Sessional Paper No. 9.)

And then the House adjourned at 10.50 o'clock p.m.

## REGINA, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

Mr. Smith, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders. presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of O. E. Mathieu praying for An Act incorporating the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of O. E. Mathieu praying for An Act incorporating "La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina," and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Wascana Country Club.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chapter 37 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1891-2, being An Ordinance to incorporate the Assiniboia Club.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Wellington have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Colonial Club of the City of Moose Jaw.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon concerning the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon regarding the Street Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the City of Saskatoon.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for resuming the adjourned debate on the Resolution moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. MacNeill

Whereas on the eighth day of March, 1911, the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, moved by a consideration of the undoubted benefits to be derived by the people of this province from the adoption of the reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States then before the Dominion Parliament unanimously passed a resolution approving of the said trade arrangement;

And whereas the aforesaid resolution was published to the people of Canada as the official pronouncement of this Assembly on a matter of paramount importance to the people of Saskatchewan made after due consideration and deliberation;

And whereas subsequently during the Dominion election campaign which terminated on September 21, 1911, several members of this Assembly, disregarding the aforesaid unanimous resolution which all of them had supported by their votes and some of them by their speeches in this Assembly, denounced the said reciprocal trade arrangement before the electorate of the province and took an active part in bringing about its defeat;

And whereas such action on the part of the said members must inevitably tend to lower the dignity of this Assembly and to weaken and discredit its influence and authority as the official exponent of the views and desires of the people of this province;

And whereas the conditions surrounding the marketing, warehousing and transporting of the grain crop of Saskatchewan harvested during the year 1911 have demonstrated more clearly than ever the disadvantages under which the producers of Saskatchewan are labouring and it is expedient for that reason that this Assembly reaffirm its indorsation of the policy embodied in the aforesaid reciprocal trade arrangement;

Therefore be it resolved that this House regrets the action taken by the said several members of this Assembly during the recent Dominion election campaign as above set out;

And be it further resolved that this House reaffirms its adherence to the policy embodied in the aforesaid proposed reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States and is of the opinion that every effort should continue to be made to secure to the people of Saskatchewan the benefits contained in the said trade arrangement.

And the debate continuing

On the motion of Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

And then the House adjourned at 11.15 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council laid on the Table the following:

The Annual Report of the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ended February 28, 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 10.)

The Order of the Day being read for resuming the adjourned debate on the Resolution moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. MacNeill

Whereas on the eighth day of March, 1911, the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan moved by a consideration of the undoubted benefits

to be derived by the people of this province from the adoption of the reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States then before the Dominion Parliament unanimously passed a resolution approving of the said trade arrangement;

And whereas the aforesaid resolution was published to the people of Canada as the official pronouncement of this Assembly on a matter of paramount importance to the people of Saskatchewan made after

due consideration and deliberation;

And whereas subsequently during the Dominion election campaign which terminated on September 21, 1911, several members of this Assembly disregarding the aforesaid unanimous resolution which all of them had supported by their votes and some of them by their speeches in this Assembly, denounced the said reciprocal trade arrangement before the electorate of the province and took an active part in bringing about its defeat;

And whereas such action on the part of the said members must inevitably tend to lower the dignity of this Assembly and to weaken and discredit its influence and authority as the official exponent of the

views and desires of the people of this province;

And whereas the conditions surrounding the marketing, ware-housing and transporting of the grain crop of Saskatchewan harvested during the year 1911 have demonstrated more clearly than ever the disadvantages under which the producers of Saskatchewan are labouring and it is expedient for that reason that this Assembly reaffirm its indorsation of the policy embodied in the aforesaid reciprocal trade arrangement:

Therefore be it resolved that this House regrets the action taken by the said several members of this Assembly during the recent Domin-

ion election campaign as above set out;

And be it further resolved that this House reaffirms its adherence to the policy embodied in the aforesaid proposed reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States and is of the opinion that every effort should continue to be made to secure to the people of Saskatchewan the benefits contained in the said trade arrangement.

And the debate continuing

On the motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Lisle, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Sheppard,—Of The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company praying for An Act to amend An Act incorporating The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company, being Chapter 43 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

On motion of Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Johnston,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

Copies of all correspondence and other documents, passing between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway or any allied company or corporation, relating to the construction of a railway and traffic bridge across the south branch of the Saskatchewan River at or near McKenzie's Crossing south of Prince Albert City.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate The Wascana Country Club.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate The Colonial Club of the City of Moose Jaw.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

Mr. Langley asked the Government the following question:
What drying capacity is there in the elevators at Port Arthur,
Fort William and Duluth?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows: King's, Port Arthur 30,000 per day. Canadian Northern, Port Arthur 5,000 per day. Grand Trunk Pacific, Fort William 25,000 per day.

Moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Garry, That this House do now adjourn. The said motion was by leave withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read for resuming the adjourned debate on the Resolution moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. MacNeill

Whereas on the eighth day of March, 1911, the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, moved by a consideration of the undoubted benefits to be derived by the people of this province from the adoption of the reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States then before the Dominion Parliament unanimously passed a resolution approving of the said trade arrangement;

And whereas the aforesaid resolution was published to the people of Canada as the official pronouncement of this Assembly on a matter of paramount importance to the people of Saskatchewan made after

due consideration and deliberation;

And whereas subsequently during the Dominion election campaign which terminated on September 21, 1911, several members of this Assembly disregarding the aforesaid unanimous resolution which all of them had supported by their votes and some of them by their speeches in this Assembly, denounced the said reciprocal trade arrangement before the electorate of the province and took an active part in bringing about its defeat;

And whereas such action on the part of the said members must inevitably tend to lower the dignity of this Assembly and to weaken and discredit its influence and authority as the official exponent of the

views and desires of the people of this province;

And whereas the conditions surrounding the marketing, warehousing and transporting of the grain crop of Saskatchewan harvested during the year 1911 have demonstrated more clearly than ever the disadvantages under which the producers of Saskatchewan are labouring and it is expedient for that reason that this Assembly reaffirm its indorsation of the policy embodied in the aforesaid reciprocal trade arrangement:

Therefore be it resolved that this House regrets the action taken by the said several members of this Assembly during the recent Domin-

ion election campaign as above set out;

And be it further resolved that this House reaffirms its adherence to the policy embodied in the aforesaid proposed reciprocal trade arrangement between Canada and the United States and is of the opinion that every effort should continue to be made to secure to the people of Saskatchewan the benefits contained in the said trade arrangement.

And the debate continuing,

And the question being again proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Scott (Arm River), seconded by Mr. Robertson,

That all the words in the second, third and fourth paragraphs be left out, and that the words "And be it further" in the seventh paragraph be left out and the following words be inserted instead thereof "Therefore be it."

And the Question being put on the amendment.

The House divided and the names were taken down as follows:

#### YEAS.

#### Messieurs

Calder McNab Sheppard Motherwell Lisle Bell Langley Bole Nolin Mitchell Garry Johnston (Pelly) Atkinson Johnston (Kinistino Pierce Scott (Arm River)	
Pierce Scott (Arm River) Stevenson Finlayson	Totzke Tate—27

#### NAYS.

#### Messieurs

Haultain	$\mathbf{Elliott}$	Wellington
Wylie	Donaldson	Bradshaw
McDonald	Whitmore	Riddell
Willway	Gillis	Anderson—12

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the main Question as amended being proposed.

The House divided and the names were taken down as follows:

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#### Messieurs

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Lisle	Bell	Smith
Langley	Bole	Stewart
Nolin	$\operatorname{Mitchell}$	Simpson
Garry	Johnston (Pelly)	MacNeill
Atkinson	Scott (Arm River)	Robertson
Pierce	Finlayson	Totzke
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#### Messieurs

Haultain	Elliott	Wellington
Wylie	Donaldson	Bradshaw
${f McDonald}$	$\overline{\mathbf{W}}$ hitmore	$\operatorname{Riddell}$
Willway	Gillis	Anderson—12

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Turgeon, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Annual Report under the provisions of Section 60 of The Liquor License Act by the Attorney General, November 1910-January 1912.

Convictions under Liquor License Act from November 1910 until January 1912.

Bartenders' Licenses issued for the year ending June 30, 1912. (Sessional Paper No. 11.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

A Report of the organisation and general work of The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company up to December 31, 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 12.)

Mr. McNab, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 1, 1912, showing:

- 1. The number of Rural Municipalities organised in Saskatchewan, showing the year of their organisation.
  - 2. The number of existing Local Improvement Districts.
- 3. The total number of townships included in small Local Improvement Districts in 1905.
- 4. The total number of townships included in Rural Municipalities or Local Improvement Districts on December 31, 1911.

  (Sessional Paper No. 13.)

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Mitchell,—Of Edson J. Chamberlin and four others praying for An Act to incorporate "The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan

Railway Company" with certain powers.

By Mr. Bole,—Of Frank H. Phippen and four others praying for An Act to incorporate Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company with certain powers.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways begs to

report as follows:

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same:

Bill (No. 19) to incorporate The Wascana Country Club.

Your Committee have also had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 21) to incorporate The Colonial Club of the City of

Moose Jaw.

Ou motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The Young Mens' Christian Association of Saskatoon.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Simpson have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Mr. Motherwell, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 1, 1912, showing:

1. A list of the elevators purchased or erected to date by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

2. The location and cost of each such elevator.

3. The amount advanced by the Government to the Company for the purchase or erection of the said elevators.

(Sessional Paper No. 14.)

Mr. Motherwell, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 1, 1912, showing:

1. The number of purebred animals purchased by or for the use of the College of Agriculture.

2. The number purchased in each province in Canada and the

number purchased elsewhere.

3. The name and registered number of each animal in each class, the person from whom purchased and the price paid.

(Sessional Paper No. 15.)

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 3) respecting the Demise of the Crown.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 3) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Demise of the Crown."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 12) respecting Hawkers and Pedlers.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 13) respecting Auctioneers.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 7) respecting Fire Insurance.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 5) to amend The School Grants Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 5) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 6) to amend The School Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 8) respecting Offensive Weapons, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 22) to amend a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon concerning the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 23) to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon regarding the Street Railway.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 24) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the City of Saskatoon.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 14) to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 12) respecting Hawkers and Pedlers, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 13) respecting Auctioneers, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. MacNeill,—Of Charles I. Alexander and two others praying for An Act to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company praying for An Act to amend An Act incorporating The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company, being Chapter 43 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

Of Frank H. Phippen and four others praying for An Act to incorporate Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company with certain powers.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Statement of Remissions made by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor during the Fiscal Year 1910-11 under the authority of section 63 of The Treasury Department Act. (Sessional Paper No. 16.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

All correspondence between this Government and the Government of Canada in regard to the natural resources of Saskatchewan.

(Sessional Paper No. 17.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Annual Report of the Department of Education of the Province of Saskatchewan 1910. (Sessional Paper No. 18.)

Moved by Mr. Ens, seconded by Mr. Finlayson,

Whereas at the Land Exhibition at the City of New York, United States of America, in November, 1911, a prize of one thousand dollars in gold was offered by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy for the best exhibit comprising 100 pounds of milling wheat grown on the American Continent in the years 1910-11;

And whereas the said prize was won by Mr. Seager Wheeler, of Rosthern, Sask., and the second and third prizes by farmers resident in Alberta and Manitoba respectively;

And whereas the wheat exhibited by the said Mr. Wheeler was of a variety known as Marquis, originated on the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, by Dr. Charles Saunders, the Dominion Cerealist;

And whereas the facts recited in the foregoing reflect great credit upon and have resulted in much valuable advertising for Saskatchewan and Canada;

Therefore be it resolved that this House extends its congratulations to Mr. Seager Wheeler, of Rosthern, Sask., upon his achievement and

the honour that he has won for this Province, and also to Dr. Charles Saunders, of Ottawa, upon having originated so valuable a variety of wheat as Marquis gives every promise of becoming.

And the question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Resolved, That copies of the Resolution of this House passed this day extending the congratulations of this House to Mr. Seager Wheeler and to Dr. Charles Saunders in connection with the winning of the Sir Thomas Shaughnessy prize for the best exhibit of millers' wheat at New York in November, 1911, be forwarded by the Clerk of the Assembly to the aforesaid Mr. Seager Wheeler and Dr. Charles Saunders.

Ordered, That Mr. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Hail Insurance.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 5) to amend The School Grants Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 5) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The School Grants Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 17) to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 10) ratifying Certain Agreements made between His Majesty and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 11) to Protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 15) respecting Motor Vehicles.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 4) to enable Municipalities to borrow money for Seed Grain Distribution.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 4) to enable Municipalities to borrow money for Seed Grain Distribution, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Sheppard,—Of Emile Gravel and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company praying for An Act to amend An Act incorporating the Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company, being Chapter 43 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of Frank H. Phippen and four others praying for An Act to incorporate Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company with certain powers, and find that the provisions of Rules 51 and 53 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Tate, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. Total cost to date of Legislative and Departmental Buildings.

2. Total amount paid for extras.

3. Amount paid to property owners by reason of damages caused by flooding land in consequence of damming Wascana Creek at Albert Street. 4. Amount paid architects in salary or commissions in connection

with construction of said buildings.

5. Estimated amount required to complete said buildings, showing proportion required for extras.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 25) respecting The Young Mens' Christian Association of Saskatoon.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 26) to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 20) to amend Chapter 37 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1891-92 being An Ordinance to incorporate The Assiniboia Club.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 9) to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

All correspondence relating to the claim of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Extension of Boundaries to Hudson Bay.

(Sessional Paper No. 19.)

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 4) to enable Municipalities to Borrow Money for Seed Grain Distribution, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again today.

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a proposed Resolution to provide for Guaranteeing the repayment of moneys borrowed by Municipalities for the purpose of providing seed grain.

Mr. Turgeon, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the

consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read the first time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

Resolved, That it is expedient to provide that the Lieutenant Governor in Council may upon the application of any Municipality and upon such terms and conditions as he may deem advisable guarantee the repayment of all moneys which it may have borrowed or be about to borrow for the purchase and distribution of seed grain pursuant to and under the authority of any Act and of a Bylaw duly passed thereunder together with all interest accrued thereon.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 4) to enable Municipalities to Borrow Money for Seed Grain Distribution, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 4) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 11) to Protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Sheppard,—Of Joseph Henri A. Gravel praying for An Act to enable him to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

By Mr. Sheppard,—Of Arsene Godin praying for An Act to enable him to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons

of the Province of Saskatchewan.

By Mr. Wellington,—Of the City of Moose Jaw praying for An Act to ratify certain agreements of the City of Moose Jaw.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 4) to enable Municipalities to Borrow Money for Seed Grain Distribution.

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That the Bill be not now read a third time, but that the Bill be referred back to the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of making certain amendments.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 4) to enable Municipalities to Borrow Money for Seed Grain Distribution, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time. The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow Money for Seed Grain Distribution."

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of George W. Brown and two others praying for An Act to incorporate the Inter-Ocean Trust Company.

3.30 о'сьоск р.м.

His Honour George William Brown, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan, being seated on the Throne,

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the title of the Bill

to be assented to as follows:

An Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow Money for Seed Grain Distribution.

The assent to this Bill was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"In His Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor

doth assent to this Bill."

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Village Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting fees to be paid in connection with applications for enrolment of stallions.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution

Ordered, That the Report be now received. Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

Resolved, That it is expedient to provide that the following tariff of fees be authorised in connection with licenses and their transfer under the Bill intituled "An Act to Protect Horse Breeders," namely:

#### TARIFF OF FEES.

On application for enrolment of a pure bred stallion	\$2.00
On application for enrolment of a grade stallion	3.00
On application for enrolment of a cross bred stallion	4.00
On application for enrolment of a scrub stallion	5.00
On every entry of transfer of ownership of an enrolled	
stallion	1.00
On every duplicate certificate issued of an enrolled stallion	1.00
For every certified abstract from the enrolment registers	.50
For annual re-enrolment of a stallion previously enrolled	.50
For examination for license	5.00

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 11) to Protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

On motion of Mr. Gillis, seconded by Mr. Elliott,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

The amount of land assessable and the amount of taxes collected under The Supplementary Revenue Act during each of the years of its operation.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, seconded by Mr. McDonald, Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The total cost up to date of furnishing the Legislative and

Departmental Buildings.

2. The estimated amount required to complete the same.

Moved by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mr. Donaldson,

That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. A copy of all instructions sent to registrars appointed in and for the electoral divisions (other than city divisions) in the province in the year 1911.

2. A copy of all rules and forms of procedure framed by the board

of registration in the year 1911.

- 3. A copy of all provisions made by the board of registration under section 322 of The Election Act.
- 4. The date upon which the registrar for the Maple Creek electoral division transmitted or delivered to the revising officer the lists, books, papers and other documents relating to the registration in the said electoral division, and copies of all letters referring to such transmission.
- 5. The completed lists of voters, and all lists, books, papers and documents transmitted by the revising officer for the electoral division of Maple Creek in 1911.
- 6. The name of the officer or person by whom the said lists of voters and other papers and documents were transmitted to the Clerk of the Executive Council at Regina, and copies of any letters referring to such transmission.
- 7. A copy of the completed voters' list for the said electoral division.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting fees to be paid by Hawkers and Pedlers.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House. Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received. Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time. Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

Resolved, That it is expedient to provide that for every hawker's or pedler's license there shall be paid to the Provincial Secretary the sum of \$25.

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 12) respecting Hawkers and Pedlers, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 16) to amend The Local Improvements Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 17) to amend The Rural Municipality Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. MacNeill,—Of N. Baker Wilkes and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company.

By Mr. Simpson,—Of W. H. Church and two others praying for the completion of the Kerrobert-Lacombe Extension of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of Joseph Henri A. Gravel praying for An Act to enable him to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Of Arsene Godin praying for An Act to enable him to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Of Emile Gravel and four others praying for An Act to incorporate

The Western Canada Investment Company.

Of the City of Moose Jaw praying for An Act to ratify certain agreements of the City of Moose Jaw.

Of Charles I. Alexander and two others praying for An Act to

incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company.

Of George W. Brown and two others praying for An Act to incorporate the Inter-Ocean Trust Company.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of H. M. E. Evans and four others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company and for other powers, and find that the provisions of Rules 51 and 53 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways begs to

report as follows:

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 25) respecting The Young Men's Christian Association

of Saskatoon.

Your Committee have also had under consideration the following

Bill and have agreed to report the same:

Bill (No. 20) to amend chapter 37 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1891-92, being An Ordinance to incorporate The Assiniboia Club.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Tate asked the Government the following questions:

- (a) Was any of the ground to the south of the Legislative Buildings under crop in 1911?
  - (b) If so, what was the nature and extent of the crop?(c) Under what department was the work carried on?
- (d) Was the crop disposed of? If so, when, how, to whom and upon what terms?
  - (e) If the crop was sold, when was the purchase price paid?
  - Mr. McNab answered as follows:
- 2. 100 to 120 acres in hay and small acreage in vegetables and nursery.

3. Public Works Department.

- 4. Hay was sold in July to Regina Cartage Company upon public tender for \$600. Vegetables were sold to D. Statt to value of \$125.
  - 5. Purchase price not yet paid.

Mr. Gillis asked the Government the following questions:

1. What amounts have been paid by the Government to the Saskatchewan Stationers, Limited, for work done or services rendered during the years 1910, 1911 and 1912?

2. Are there any contracts between the Government and the said

company still outstanding for supplies or work?

3. If so, what, and what is the estimated amount payable under the same ?

Mr. McNab answered as follows:

- 1. \$1,143.50.
- 2. No.
- 3. Nothing.

Mr. McDonald asked the Government the following questions:

1. What is the total amount still due and unpaid to the Government for seed grain?

2. What is the total amount still due and unpaid by the Government of Saskatchewan to the Government of Canada in connection with seed grain distribution?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. The total amount of the advance for seed grain made by the Dominion Government on behalf of the Province was originally......\$566,005.91

Of this amount there has been repaid by the province 

Balance unpaid.....\$162,002.91

2. The amount still due and payable to the Dominion Government on account of the cost of distributing seed grain has not yet been agreed upon by the two governments.

On motion of Mr. Whitmore, seconded by Mr. Gillis,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

1. The amounts paid for work and materials to The Leader Publishing Company, Limited, The Leader Times Company, Limited, and The Saskatchewan Courier, respectively during each of the fiscal periods from September 1, 1905 to February 28, 1911, and during the current fiscal year up to February 1, 1912.

2. The amounts due and unpaid to each of the said companies and

The Saskatchewan Courier for work done or materials supplied.

On motion of Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Wylie,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

1. The date of the receipt by the Clerk of the Executive Council from the revising officer of the voters' list for each of the electoral divisions in the province, other than city divisions.

2. The date upon which a certified copy of each of the said lists was transmitted by the Clerk of the Executive Council to the Government Printer.

3. The name of each electoral division the voters' list for which

(a) has been printed, (b) has not been printed.

4. The date upon which any list which has not been printed was ordered to be printed by the Government Printer.

5. A copy of any instructions to the Government Printer relating

to the printing of the said lists.

6. A statement of the reasons why any of the said lists have not been printed and a copy of any instructions relating to the same.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 28) to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 29) to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate The Colonial Club of the City of Moose Jaw, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 21) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 15) respecting Motor Vehicles, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 2) to amend The Judicature Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Fire Insurance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

Ordered, That the Order of the House allowing the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 15) respecting Motor Vehicles to sit again tomorrow be discharged and that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of Messieurs Bole, Stewart, Garry, Tate, Bradshaw, Wylie and the mover and seconder.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 2) to amend The Judicature Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 2) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.20 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. McNab,—Of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of public parks in the City of Saskatoon.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of Joseph Henri A. Gravel praying for An Act to enable him to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of Arsene Godin praying for An Act to enable him to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of Emile Gravel and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the City of Moose Jaw praying for An Act to ratify certain agreements of the City of Moose Jaw, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Mitchell from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways begs to

report as follows:

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same:

Bill (No. 28) to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique

Romaine de Regina.

Your Committee have also had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same.

Bill (No. 29) to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and

Missions in the Diocese of Regina.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting fees to be paid by Auctioneers.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that there shall be paid to the Provincial Secretary for licenses issued to auctioneers.

For a license authorising the holder to conduct sales in any part of the Province except within the limits of a town or city municipality ..... \$10.00

On motion of Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

'Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 13) respecting Auctioneers, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

On motion of Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Mitchell,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

- 1. The total amount of the Supplementary Revenue fund distributed to the Educational Institutions of the Province during each of the years 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911.
  - 2. The amount paid during each of the said years to

(a) The Agricultural College.

- (b) The University.(c) High Schools.
- (d) Rural Schools.
- 3. The total amount distributed during the said four years and the total amounts paid respectively to the Agricultural College, the University, High Schools and Rural Schools.
  - 4. The percentage of the whole fund distributed in the four years to
    - (a) The Agricultural College.
    - (b) The University.
    - (c) High Schools.
    - (d) Rural Schools.
- 5. The basis upon which the fund was distributed to rural schools in each of the said years.
- 6. The number of rural schools that participated in the fund during each of said years.

On motion of Mr. Atkinson, seconded by Mr. Nolin,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The number of creameries operated in Saskatchewan during

each of the years 1910 and 1911.

2. The number of creameries operated in Saskatchewan by the Government during each of the said years.

- 3. The aggregate number of patrons of government operated creameries, the aggregate make of butter at such creameries, and the average of butter per government operated creamery in the summer season of each of the years 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911.
- 4. The same information as in number 3 in respect to the winter seasons of 1908-9, 1909-10, 1910-11, 1911-12 to date respectively.
- 5. The names of all creamery companies having a government loan outstanding, the principal amount of each such loan, and the aggregate amount of all such loans.
- 6. The number of loans, if any, any portion of which is overdue, the name of the creamery company so in default, and the extent to which each is in default.

On motion of Mr. Totzke, seconded by Mr. Stevenson,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The receipts from the Provincial Telephone System during each fiscal year since the Government undertook operation of this public utility.

2. The expenditures on Capital Account during each of the said years in purchasing, extending and improving the provincial telephone system.

3. The cost of maintaining and operating the system for each of

these years.

Ordered, That Mr. Sheppard have leave to introduce a Bill to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Sheppard have leave to introduce a Bill to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Sheppard have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 2) to amend The Judicature Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 2) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Judicature Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 27) respecting Hail Insurance by Municipalities.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The Clerk informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker.

Whereupon Mr. Sheppard (Moose Jaw County), Deputy Speaker, took the Chair, pursuant to the Statute in that case made and provided.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of W. H. Church and two others praying for the completion of the Kerrobert-Lacombe extension of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of public parks in the City of Saskatoon.

Mr. Smith from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following Report:

Your Committee recommends that the date of the reception of petitions for Private Bills as defined in Rule No. 49 be extended until and including Wednesday, February 21, 1912.

And that the date for the presentation of Private Bills to the House as defined by Rule No. 49 be similarly extended until and including Monday, February 26, 1912.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, Ordered, That the Report be concurred in.

Mr. Totzke asked the Government the following questions:

- 1. What number of agricultural societies earned legislative grants during the last complete calendar year in which The Agricultural Societies Ordinance of 1903 was in operation?
- 2. What was the aggregate amount of the legislative grants paid to societies in such year?
- 3. What was the average grant paid to each such society in such year?
- 4. What was the aggregate amount raised by the societies themselves for the purpose of their work in such year?
- 5. What number of agricultural societies earned legislative grants under The Agricultural Societies Act of 1909 during the last year for which complete returns are available?
- 6. What was the aggregate amount of the legislative grants paid to societies in such year?
- 7. What was the average grant paid to each such society in such year?
- 8. What was the aggregate amount raised by the societies themselves for the purpose of their work in such year?
  - Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:
  - 1. 26 societies (the year in question is 1905).
  - 2. \$10,822.84.
  - 3. \$416.26.
  - 4. The information is not available.
  - 5. 75 societies (the year in question is 1910).
  - 6. \$45,749.19.

- 7. \$609.99.
- 8. \$210,755.42.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:

- 1. Remuneration including travelling expenses and subsistence paid to Registrars and Revising Officers in compiling Voter's List 1911 in each Electoral Division.
  - 2. Total cost of Voters' Lists including printing for the Province.
    (Sessional Paper No. 20.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:

Amounts paid The Leader Publishing Company, The Leader Times Company and The Saskatchewan Courier for printing and advertising during 1910 and 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 21.)

Mr. Motherwell, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 16, 1912, showing:

- 1. The number of creameries operated in Saskatchewan during each of the years 1910 and 1911.
- 2. The number of creameries operated in Saskatchewan by the Government during each of the said years.
- 3. The aggregate number of patrons of government operated creameries, the aggregate make of butter at such creameries, and the average of butter per government operated creamery in the summer season of each of the years 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911.
- 4. The same information as in number 3 in respect to the winter seasons of 1908-9, 1909-10, 1910-11, 1911-12 to date respectively.
- 5. The names of all creamery companies having a government loan outstanding, the principal amount of each such loan, and the aggregate amount of all such loans.
- 6. The number of loans, if any, any portion of which is overdue, the name of the creamery company so in default, and the extent to which each is in default. (Sessional Paper No. 22.)

Ordered, That Mr. Smith have leave to introduce a Bill to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Wellington have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The City of Moose Jaw.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

On motion of Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Gillis,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The amount of each outstanding loan, temporary or otherwise,

for which the province is liable.

2. The nature of the security given for each loan.

The dates when each loan was made and the date of its maturity.
 The rate and annual amount of interest which each loan bears.

5. The provision being made to prepare for the redemption at

its maturity.

6. The amount that has been set aside out of general revenue to

date, in each case for such provision.

(Where any amounts asked for are in sterling their equivalents in Canadian currency to be furnished instead.)

Moved by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Finlayson,

That whereas the early construction of branch railways throughout Saskatchewan is a matter of prime importance to thousands of settlers now residing at considerable distance from existing railways;

And whereas this legislature during the past three years has made provision for aiding in the construction of some 1,650 miles of branch lines and it is proposed to make provision for a further considerable mileage at the present session of this House;

And whereas the construction of many of these lines so urgently required has been delayed owing to the inability of the two steel rail

mills in Canada to furnish the necessary rails;

And whereas there is every possibility that during the year 1912 and succeeding years track laying on the branches referred to and on new lines projected will be further greatly retarded by reason of the fact that the said mills cannot supply the steel required;

And whereas the existing high duty on steel rails entering Canada makes it prohibitive on the part of railway companies to import their

rail supplies;

And whereas it is desirable that such duty should be removed (at least temporarily) so that the construction of the said branch railways

may be proceeded with as speedily as possible;

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House action should be taken by the Government of Canada at the present session of Parliament to provide for the removal of the duty on steel rails which duty should not be re-imposed until such time as the rail mills of Canada are capable of supplying the steel required for the construction of Canadian railways.

And the Question being proposed.

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Finlayson,

Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that he will cause a copy of the foregoing Resolution to be transmitted to the Secretary of State for Canada for submission to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council, that copies be also sent to the representatives in the Senate and House of Commons for the Province of Saskatchewan, to the Presidents of the three railway companies operating in Saskatchewan and to the Presidents of the two steel rail mills concerned.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 27) respecting Hail Insurance by Municipalities, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1912.

3 o'clock p.m.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Pierce,—Of the Village of Wadena praying for An Act to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality.

The following petition was read and received:

Of Norman Baker Wilkes and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of the City of Saskatoon praying for An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of public parks in the City of Saskatoon, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 26) to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited.

Bill (No. 9) to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, being Chapter 46 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1910-11.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Moved by Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That whereas the Board of Railway Commissioners created by the Parliament of Canada has control of all freight rates to be charged

by Dominion railways;

And whereas the said board is the only authority that has full power to control and fix the rates to be charged on all the main lines and branches of the three railway corporations operating in Western Canada:

And whereas the said board has announced its intention to proceed with an inquiry for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the rates now charged by the said corporations on their entire railway system west of Port Arthur are fair and reasonable;

Therefore be it resolved that this House doth approve the steps proposed to be taken by the Government of Saskatchewan to have the people of the province represented by competent counsel at the investigation to be held.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate The Colonial Club of the City of Moose Jaw.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 21) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Colonial Club of the City of Moose Jaw."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 33) to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time; and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole Whole Bill (No. 28) to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 28) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 29) to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 29) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 25) respecting The Young Men's Christian Association of Saskatoon, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 25) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 17) to amend The Rural Municipality Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker certain messages from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by His Honour.

And the messages were read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered) and are as followeth:

# G. W. Brown,

Lieutenant Governor.

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 29, 1912, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly. (Sessional Paper No. 23.)

## G. W. Brown,

Lieutenant Governor.

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 28, 1913, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

(Sessional Paper No. 24.)

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell, Ordered, That the Messages of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying the same be referred to the Committee of Supply.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was read and received:

Of the Village of Wadena praying for An Act to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Mr. Chamberlin and four others the petitioners for a Bill to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company have not complied with the provisions of Rule 53 concerning the filing of a plan and book of reference of the proposed works, and as Rule 57 provides that no suspension of the rules upon any petition for a private bill shall be entertained unless the same has been reported on by the Committee on Standing Orders.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the petition be

received.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of George W. Brown and two others praying for An Act to incorporate the Inter-Ocean Trust Company, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of N. Baker Wilkes and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company, and find that Rules 51 and 53 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the follow-

ing Bill and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 33) to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Gillis asked the Government the following questions:

- 1. What contracts have been entered into between the Government and any person or corporation for work or material to be supplied or done in connection with the traffic bridge over the South Saskatchewan river at or near Outlook?
- 2. What is the amount of each such contract, with whom was it made, and what is the nature of the work or material to be supplied or done in each case?
- 3. What is the total expenditure in connection with the said bridge to date?
  - 4. What is the estimated amount required to complete said bridge?

5. When will the said bridge be available for traffic?

Mr. McNab answered as follows:

- 1. No contracts have been entered into.
- 2. No contract has been made.
- 3. No expenditure to date.
- 4. and 5. It is not intended at present to undertake construction.

The following petition was read and received:

Of Edson J. Chamberlin and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company with certain powers.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 16, 1912,

showing:

- 1. The receipts from the provincial telephone system during each fiscal year since the Government undertook operation of this public utility.
- 2. The expenditures on capital account during each of the said years in purchasing, extending and improving the provincial telephone system.
- 3. The cost of maintaining and operating the system for each of these years. (Sessional Paper No. 25.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Correspondence re Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Exemption from Taxation. (Sessional Paper No. 26.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Correspondence re 1910-11 School Lands resolution.

(Sessional Paper No. 27.)

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That this House do immediately resolve into Committee of the Whole to consider a proposed Resolution relating to the guaranteeing of the principal and interest of a loan to be made to the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company not exceeding in the whole the sum of \$100,000.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the con-

sideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time. Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time, and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that the repayment of the amount of a line of credit to the extent of \$500,000 with interest thereon given to the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company by The Canadian Bank of Commerce during the season commencing on the first day of September, 1911, and ending on the thirty-first day of August, 1912, be guaranteed to an amount not exceeding in the whole the sum of \$100,000.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 10) to ratify certain Agreements between His Majesty the King and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 28) to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 28) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 29) to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 29) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 25) respecting The Young Men's Christian Association of Saskatoon.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 25) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting The Young Men's Christian Association of Saskatoon."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 35) respecting The City of Moose Jaw.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 31) to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 32) to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 26) to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 26) be read a third time on Friday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 9) to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, being Chapter 46 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1910-11, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 9) be read a third time on Friday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 20) to amend Chapter 37 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1891-92, being An Ordinance to incorporate The Assiniboia Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 20) be read a third time on Friday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 17) to amend The Rural Municipality Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

Of the Town of Watrous praying for An Act authorising the said Town to grant a franchise for a Street Railway and to guarantee its bonds thereof and other powers.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of Edson J. Chamberlin and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company with certain powers, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with, but the provisions of Rule 63 concerning the filing of a plan and book of reference of the proposed works have not been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith. Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of the Village of Wadena praying for An Act to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of Charles I. Alexander and two others praying for An Act to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company, and find that the provisions of Rules 51 and 53 have been complied with.

Your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the

Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:

1. The number of Rural Telephone Companies organised in the Province during each of the years 1908-11 included.

2. The total number of stockholders in these Companies and the total capitalisation of the companies.

3. The total number of pole miles built by these Companies during each of the years mentioned.

4. The number of telephone subscribers served by the said Companies during each of said years.

(Sessional Paper No. 28.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:

- 1. The mileage of each line of railway the bonds of which have been guaranteed by the Government.
- 2. The number of miles of grading on each such line and the number of miles of steel laid during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911.
  - 3. The total miles of grading on these lines now ready for steel.
- 4. The total mileage of these lines upon which no grading has as yet been done.
- 5. The number of miles of railway completed by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in Saskatchewan during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 29.)

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Johnston (Kinistino),

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

Copies of all correspondence, petitions and other documents passing between the Government of Saskatchewan and any other person or persons relating to the construction of a traffic bridge across the South Saskatchewan river at or near the town of Outlook, Saskatchewan.

Moved by Mr. Lisle, seconded by Mr. Smith,

That whereas on the third day of February, 1911, the following:

resolution was unanimously passed by this House, namely,-

"Resolved, That this House is of the opinion that the time has "arrived when the lands set apart by the Parliament of Canada "as an endowment for school purposes together with all moneys "which have accrued from the sale of such lands should be under "the control and administration of the provincial authorities and

"that the Government of Saskatchewan should continue its "negotiations with the Government of Canada for the purpose of "having the said endowment transferred to the province."

And whereas the attention of the Government of Canada has been

-directed to the said resolution;

And whereas no action has been taken by the Government of Canada to transfer the control and administration of the said school endowment

to the provincial authorities;

Therefore be it resolved that the Government of Saskatchewan should continue to urge upon the federal authorities the desirability of having transferred to the province at an early date the control and administration of the said endowment.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Ens, seconded by Mr. Langley,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

All correspondence between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Canadian Northern Railway Company regarding the completion of the Dalmeny-Carlton branch line.

Moved by Mr. Garry, seconded by Mr. Pierce,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House it is the duty of the Parliament of Canada to place the Province of Saskatchewan on the same basis of equality as the other provinces of Canada with regard to the taxation of railways and that for this purpose early action should be taken by the Federal Government to provide for the removal of the unjust and unfair exemption from taxation which was granted to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company by its charter and which ever since has imposed upon our people a special burden.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1912.

3 o'clock p.m.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 8, 1912, showing: Copies of all correspondence and other documents passing between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway or any allied company or corporation, relating to the construction of a railway and traffic bridge across the south branch of the Saskatchewan River at or near McKenzie's Crossing south of Prince Albert City.

(Sessional Paper No. 30.)

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Town Act, being Chapter 85 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The City Act, being Chapter 84 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill for the Protection of Persons Employed in the Construction of Buildings.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Lisle, seconded by Mr. Simpson,

Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that a Resolution respecting the School Lands and School Funds in and belonging to the Province of Saskatchewan passed by this House on the 22nd day of February be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott (Arm River) have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Pierce have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

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The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 26) to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 26) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 34) to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 37) to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Fire Insurance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again today.

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting fees to be paid by Fire

Insurance Companies.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time, and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that each company shall pay to the

superintendent the following fees:

- (a) For recording and filing in the office of the superintendent the documents required by this Act prior to the issuance of the license the sum of \$5.
  - (b) For initial license to do business or renewal thereof:
    - (1) in the case of a provincial company \$100.

(2) in the case of any other company \$200.

(c) For an annual license under subsection (3) of section 42 the sum of \$10 for the purpose of inspection.

(d) For a license for each adjuster for each loss under subsection (3) of section 42 the sum of \$10.

(e) For a license under subsection (5) of section 7 such sum as

the minister may direct.

(f) For filing any other document hereunder \$1. On motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Fire Insurance, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Fire Insurance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 16) to amend The Local Improvements Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 27) respecting Hail Insurance by Municipalities, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

## REGINA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

Mr. Bole, from the Select Committee on Bill (No. 15) to regulate Motor Vehicles presented the following Report:

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same with amendments and recommend that the same be reprinted:

Bill (No. 15) to regulate Motor Vehicles. On notion of Mr. Bole, seconded by Mr. Wylie, Ordered, That the Report be now received. Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed resolution respecting the salaries to be paid to Surrogate Court Judges.

Mr. Turgeon, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that there shall be paid to each of the Judges of The Surrogate Courts out of the General Revenue Fund of the Province a salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

On motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House upon the Bill to amend The Surrogate Courts Act, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill for the Prevention and Suppression of Fires.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to Prevent the Employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. MacNeill have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 30) to amend The Village Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 9) to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, being Chapter 46 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1910-11.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 9) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, being Chapter 46 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1910-11."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 20) to amend Chapter 37 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1891-92, being An Ordinance to incorporate The Assiniboia Club.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 20) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 37 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1891-92, being An Ordinance to incorporate The Assiniboia Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 38) to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Fire Insurance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 7) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That an Order of the House for Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 11) to protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan to sit again be discharged and that the Bill be referred to the Select Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 12) respecting Hawkers and Pedlers, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 12) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 13) respecting Auctioneers, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Shep-

pard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 16) to amend The Local Improvements Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 16) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 17) to amend The Rural Municipality Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 17) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Gillis have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Supplementary Revenue Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) ratifying certain agreements made between His Majesty and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Inter-Ocean Trust Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

### REGINA, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The House adjourned at 3.05 o'clock p.m.

#### REGINA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Whitmore,—Of A. E. Rodger and seven others praying for An Act whereby James Arthur McEwen may be declared to be a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 23) to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon regarding the Street Railway.

Bill (No. 37) to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company.

Bill (No. 22) to amend a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon concerning the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Bill (No. 38) to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon.

Bill (No. 24) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the City of Saskatoon.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Wylie asked the Government the following questions:

1. What portion of the expenditure in connection with ferries, since September 1, 1905, has been charged to capital account?

2. What portion of the expenditure in connection with bridges, since September 1, 1905, has been charged to capital account?

- 3. What amount chargeable to revenue has been expended on ferries since September 1, 1905?
- 4. What amount chargeable to revenue has been expended on bridges since September 1, 1905?

Mr. McNab answered as follows:

- 1. \$29,024.84 expended in 1911-12 in providing ferry accommodation at Outlook.
- 2. \$1,089,458.37 has been expended on three bridges across the Saskatchewan River and on other steel bridges on concrete foundations.
  - 3. \$223,269.46.
- 4. \$1,028,074.41 has been expended on the construction, reconstruction and repair of wooden bridges.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 16, 1912,

showing:

- 1. The total amount of the Supplementary Revenue fund distributed to the Educational Institutions of the Province during each of the years 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911.
  - 2. The amount paid during each of the said years to

(a) The Agricultural College.

- (b) The University.(c) High Schools.(d) Rural Schools.
- 3. The total amount distributed during the said four years and the total amounts paid respectively to the Agricultural College, the University, High Schools and Rural Schools.

4. The percentage of the whole fund distributed in the four years to

(a) The Agricultural College.

(b) The University.(c) High Schools.(d) Rural Schools.

5. The basis upon which the fund was distributed to rural schools in each of the said years.

6. The number of rural schools that participated in the fund during each of said years. (Sessional Paper No. 31.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 19, 1912,

showing:

1. The amount of each outstanding loan, temporary or otherwise, for which the province is liable.

2. The nature of the security given for each loan.

- 3. The dates when each loan was made and the date of its maturity.
- 4. The rate and annual amount of interest which each loan bears.
- 5. The provision being made to prepare for the redemption at its maturity.

6. The amount that has been set aside out of general revenue to

date, in each case for such provision.

(Where any amounts asked for are in sterling their equivalents in Canadian currency to be furnished instead.)

(Sessional Paper No. 32.)

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 7) relating to Fire Insurance.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 7) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act relating to Fire Insurance."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 12) respecting Hawkers and Pedlers.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 12) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Hawkers and Pedlers."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 16) to amend The Local Improvements Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 16) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Local Improvements Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 17) to amend The Rural Municipality Act.
Ordered, That the Bill (No. 17) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 56) to incorporate The Inter-Ocean Trust Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 55) to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 42) to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company. The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 36) to incorporate The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 15) respecting Motor Vehicles, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 27) respecting Hail Insurance by Municipalities, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 30) to amend The Village Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell, Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

#### In the Committee.

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-nine thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven dollars and twenty-three cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-six thousand two hundred and five dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Legislation.

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912,

for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

- No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).
- No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Administration of The Liquor License Act).
- No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).
- No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings).
- No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Works Chargeabie to Income (Miscellaneous Services).
- No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).
- No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).
- No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Telephones, Chargeable to Income (Telephones, Maintenance and Operation).

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

# REGINA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

Mr. Sheppard from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders

presented the following Report:

A. E. Rodger and seven others the petitioners for a Bill to declare James Arthur McEwen a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, did not present their petition for a Private Bill before February 21, 1912, the last day ordered by Resolution of the House for the presentation of petitions for Private Bills, and as Rule 57 provides that no suspension of the rules upon any petition for a Private Bill shall be entertained unless the same has been reported on by the Committee on Standing Orders.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the petition be received.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith,

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Scott (Arm River) from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law begs

to report as follows:

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 11) to protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan.

On motion of Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Elliott asked the Government the following questions:

1. What is the total number of grain elevators operated in the province during the present season?

2. What number has been operated by the Saskatchewan Co-opera-

tive Elevator Company?

3. How many loading platforms are in the province?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

1. 1,015.

2. 45.

3. The information is not available.

The following petition was read and received:

Of A. E. Rodger and seven others praying for An Act whereby James Arthur McEwen may be declared to be a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committe on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the follow-

ing Bills and have agreed to report the same:

Bill (No. 31) to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Bill (No. 32) to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 54) to amend The Supplementary Revenue Act.

And the Question being proposed, that the Bill be now read a second

time.

Mr. Bell moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. MacNeill,

That the word "now" be left out and the words "this day six months" be added at the end of the Question.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed.

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

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## Messieurs

Calder	Sheppard	McNab
Motherwell	$\mathrm{Ens}$	Lisle
Bell	Smith	Stewart
Nolin	Mitchell	Simpson
Garry	Johnston (Pelly)	${ m MacNeill}$
Atkinson	Scott (Arm River)	Robertson
Pierce	Finlayson	$\operatorname{Totzke}$
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### Messieurs

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Donaldson	Wellington	m McDonald
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Whitmore	Willway	$\operatorname{Riddell}$
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 44) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 45) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 46) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 47) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 48) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 49) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution respecting fees payable for motor vehicle licenses and their renewal.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time. Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in. March 1 79

That it is expedient that the following fees shall be payable in respect of licenses granted under the provisions of any Act relating to motor vehicles, namely:

Motor license	\$10	00
Annual renewal of motor license	3	00
Motor cycle license	5	00
Annual renewal of motor cycle license		00
Dealer's annual license	25	00
Chauffeurs' license	-	00
Annual renewal of chauffeur's license	$\overline{2}$	00

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 15) relating to Motor Vehicles, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders,

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of A. E. Rodger and seven others praying for An Act whereby James Arthur McEwen may be declared to be a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 concerning the advertisement has not been complied with, but your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 34) to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company.

Bill (No. 14) to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company.

Bill (No. 56) to incorporate The Inter-Ocean Trust Company.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell,

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That Mr. Anderson have leave to introduce a Bill to enable James Arthur McEwen to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 50) to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 51) for the Prevention and Suppression of Fires.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 52) to Prevent the Employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 41) for the Protection of Persons Employed in the Construction of Buildings.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

On motion of Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Wylie,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all correspondence and other documents relating in any way to the proposed guarantee of railway bonds now before the House.

On motion of Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Wylie, Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing: March 1 81

Copies of all correspondence and other documents in any way relating to the extension of time for the construction of the lines of railway mentioned in chapters 3 and 4 of the Statutes of 1908-9 and chapters 4 and 5 of the Statutes of 1909.

On motion of Mr. Wellington, seconded by Mr. Donaldson, Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. The mileage of and amount of the bond guarantee on each of the lines of railway mentioned in the schedule to chapters 3 and 4 of the Statutes of 1908-9.
- 2. The amount of the guarantee paid over on or before the twenty-fifth day of February, 1912, by the Government to the respective companies in connection with each of the said lines.
- 3. The amount in the hands of the Government on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1912, to meet any further payments on each of the said lines.
- 4. The number of miles of each of the said lines completed on or before the thirty-first day of December, 1909, and the number of miles completed on or before the twenty-fifth day of February, 1912.
- 5. The number of miles of each of the said lines partially completed on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1912, and the extent to which each said line was then completed.
- 6. The number of miles of each of the said lines upon which construction work had not been commenced on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1912.
- 7. The totals of the above mileages, bond guarantees, payments, and moneys in hand.
- 8. The steps taken by the Government to ensure the fulfilment of the companies' respective obligations with respect to the construction and completion of the said lines within the time prescribed by the Acts, and copies of all correspondence, reports and other documents relating to the same.
- 9. A statement showing the weight and quality of the rails used, or to be used on the said lines, and copies of any correspondence, reports, and other documents relating to the same, and general standard of construction of the said lines.
- 10. A similar return for each of the lines of railway referred to in the schedules to chapters 4 and 5 of the Statutes of 1909, substituting in paragraph 4 1910 for 1909.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 15) respecting Motor Vehicles, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 15) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 30) to amend The Village Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 30) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 13) respecting Auctioneers, and aftersome time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 13) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 50) to amend The Surrogate Courts Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 50) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 52) to prevent the Employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 52) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 51) for the Prevention and Suppression of Fires, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 51) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 41) for the Protection of Persons Employed in the Construction of Buildings, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

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The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) ratifying certain agreements made between His Majesty and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again today.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That when this House adjourns today it do stand adjourned to Saturday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon; and that on and after March 5th next during the Session this House shall meet at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of each day including Saturday and if the business of the day be not concluded at one o'clock, Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair till three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That on and after Monday during the Session Government Business shall have precedence on all days after the Order of Questions put by Members.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) ratifying certain agreements made between His Majesty and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 27) respecting Hail Insurance by Municipalities, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 1) to amend The Secondary Education Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 1) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 6) to amend The School Act, and after

some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 44) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 45) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 46) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 47) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No 48) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 49) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 14, 1912,

showing:

1. The total cost up to date of furnishing the Legislative and Departmental Buildings.

2. The estimated amount required to complete the same.

(Sessional Paper No. 33.)

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Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 13, 1912, showing:

1. Total cost to date of Legislative and Departmental Buildings.

2. Total amount paid for extras.

- 3. Amount paid to property owners by reason of damages caused by flooding land in consequence of damming Wascana Creek at Albert
- 4. Amount paid architects in salary or commissions in connection with construction of said buildings.
- 5. Estimated amount required to complete said buildings, showing proportion required for extras. (Sessional Paper No. 34.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 14, 1912,

The amount of land assessable and the amount of taxes collected under The Supplementary Revenue Act during each of the years of its operation. (Sessional Paper No. 35.)

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 22, 1912,

showing:

Copies of all correspondence, petitions and other documents passing between the Government of Saskatchewan and any other person or persons relating to the construction of a traffic bridge across the South Saskatchewan river at or near the town of Outlook, Saskatchewan.

(Sessional Paper No. 36.)

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 31) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 32) to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 32) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 23) to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon regarding the Street Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 23) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. McNab,

Ordered, That when this House adjourns today it stand adjourned until three o'clock in the afternoon of Monday next.

And then the House adjourned at 11.45 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1912.

3 o'clock P.M.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the follow-

ing Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 36) to incorporate The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Bill (No. 55) to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Bill (No. 42) to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Com-

pany.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Anderson asked the Government the following questions:

- 1. Is it the intention of the Government to establish an additional Judicial district or districts wholly or in part within the present Judicial District of Saskatoon?
- 2. If so, has the Government decided upon the Judicial head-quarters for the same?

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

- 1. The Government has had under consideration the advisability of establishing one or more Judicial Districts within the area described, but no decision has yet been arrived at.
  - No.

Mr. Smith asked the Government the following questions:

- 1. Has the Government made any representations to the Federal Authorities with reference to the Resolution passed by this House on December 18, 1909, regarding a land endowment for the University of Saskatchewan?
- 2. If so, by whom, and when were such representations made, and what were their nature?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

- 1. Yes.
- 2. (a) The resolution passed by this House on the eighteenth day of December, 1909, was transmitted to the Secretary of State at Ottawa for transmission to the Governor in Council on January 21, 1910.
- (b) At conferences held in Ottawa with the Premier of Canada and the Finance Minister in the years 1910 and 1911 the Government of Saskatchewan represented by the Premier and Minister of Education strongly urged upon the federal authorities the desirability of creating the said endowment.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Statute Law.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting St. Paul's Separate School District No. 20 of Saskatchewan.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 1) to amend The Secondary Education Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 1) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 15) to regulate the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 15) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to regulate the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 30) to amend The Village Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 30) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Village Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 13) respecting Auctioneers.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 13) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Auctioneers."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 50) to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 50) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 52) to Prevent the Employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 52) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Prevent the Employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 51) for the Prevention and Suppression of Fires.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 51) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act for the Prevention and Suppression of Fires."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 34) to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 34) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 8) respecting Offensive Weapons, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 8) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 41) for the Protection of Persons Employed in the Construction of Buildings, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 41) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 14) to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 56) to incorporate The Inter-Ocean Trust Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 56) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate The Wascana Country Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 19) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 37) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 22) to amend a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon concerning The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 22) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 38) to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 57) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

On motion of Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Turgeon, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 15, 1912,

showing:

1. The date of the receipt by the Clerk of the Executive Council from the revising officer of the voters' list for each of the electoral divisions in the province, other than city divisions.

2. The date upon which a certified copy of each of the said lists was transmitted by the Clerk of the Executive Council to the Govern-

ment Printer.

3. The name of each electoral division the voters' list for which

(a) has been printed, (b) has not been printed.

4. The date upon which any list which has not been printed was ordered to be printed by the Government Printer.

5. A copy of any instructions to the Government Printer relating to the printing of the said lists.

6. A statement of the reasons why any of the said lists have not been printed and a copy of any instructions relating to the same.

(Sessional Paper No. 37.)

And then the House adjourned at 11.30 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 1912.

11 o'clock A.M.

The following petition was presented

By Mr. MacNeill,—Of the ratepayers of the Town of Watrous praying for An Act authorising the said town to grant a franchise for a Street Railway and to guarantee its bonds thereof and other powers.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders,

presented the following Report:

The Town of Watrous praying for An Act authorising the said town to grant a franchise for a Street Railway and to guarantee its bonds thereof and other powers, did not present their petition for a Private Bill before February 21, 1912, the last day ordered by Resolution of the House for the presentation of petitions for Private Bills, and as Rule 57 provides that no suspension of the rules upon any petition for a Private Bill shall be entertained unless the same has been reported on by the Committee on Standing Orders.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the petition be received.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith,

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders,

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of the Town of Watrous praying for An Act authorising the said town to grant a franchise for a Street Railway and to guarantee its bonds thereof and other powers, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 concerning the advertisement has not been complied with, there being no advertisement in The Saskatchewan Gazette and none in the local papers, but a petition very largely signed by resident ratepayers having been presented to this House, your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution relating to the guarantee of certain securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and aftersome time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time. Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised on such terms and conditions not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act of the present session of the Legislature to authorise the guarantee of certain securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company (hereinafter called "the company") as may be agreed upon with the company to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of additional bonds, debentures, debenture stock or other securities (hereinafter called "the additional securities") of the company to the extent and upon the terms hereinafter set forth.

That the additional securities shall form part of the issue secured by the mortgage dated the eighteenth day of May, 1909, and made between The Canadian Northern Railway Company, National Trust Company, Limited, and The British Empire Trust Company, Limited, as trustees, and his Majesty the King representing the Province of Saskatchewan, being the deed of trust by way of mortgage securing the guaranteed securities authorised to be issued and guaranteed by chapter 3 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan passed in the session of 1908-9; and that the additional securities shall be limited to the amount represented by \$13,000 per mile of the additional lines of railway mentioned in the schedule to the Act of the present session hereinbefore referred to.

That before the additional securities are issued and guaranteed supplementary mortgages or deeds of trust covering the lines mentioned in the schedule to the said chapter 3 of the Statutes of 1908-9 and the additional lines of railway in the form approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall as provided in section 10 of the said chapter 3 of the Statutes of 1908-9 be taken to the trustee of the mortgage dated the eighteenth day of May, 1909, hereinbefore referred to.

That the certificate of the minister of railways, telegraphs and telephones (hereinafter called "the minister") as to the mileage of the said respective additional lines of railway shall for the purposes of the Act of the present session hereinbefore referred to and of the guaranteed securities be conclusive but the minister may issue interim certificates from time to time based upon the estimated mileage of the said lines or any of them or may fix temporarily the mileage with regard thereto; that final certificates shall be ultimately issued by the minister with regard to each of the said lines to accord with the miles and fractions of miles of the said lines actually constructed between the points authorised.

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That all the provisions of the said chapter 3 of the Statutes of 1908-9 not inconsistent with the provisions of the said Act of the present session shall apply to the additional lines of railway and to the additional securities authorised to be issued and guaranteed hereby and in pursuance hereof.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 49) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution relating to the guarantee of certain securities of the Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised on such terms and conditions not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act of the present session of the Legislature to authorise the guarantee of certain securities of The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company (hereinafter call "the company") as may be agreed upon with the company to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds, debentures, debenture stock or other securities (hereinafter called "securities") of the company to the extent and upon the terms hereinafter set forth.

That the amount of the securities to be so guaranteed shall not exceed the sum represented by \$13,000 per mile of the respective lines of railway mentioned in the schedule to the said Act; that the certificate of the minister of railways, telegraphs and telephones of the Province of Saskatchewan (hereinafter called "the minister") as to the mileage of the said respective lines of railway shall for the purposes of the said Act and of the guaranteed securities be conclusive but the minister may issue interim certificates from time to time based upon the estimated mileage of the said lines or any of them or may fix temporarily the mileages with regard thereto; that final certificates shall be ultimately issued by the minister with regard to each of the said lines to accord with the

miles and fractions of miles of the said lines actually constructed between the points authorised; that the said securities may be made payable in whole or in part in lawful money of Canada or in its equivalent in sterling or other money; that interest thereon shall be payable at the rate of four per centum per annum half yearly; that the principal shall

be payable in thirty years from the passing of the said Act.

That the said securities shall be secured by one or more deeds of trust by way of mortgage or charge to a trustee or trustees approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and such deed or deeds of trust shall grant a first mortgage or charge upon the line or lines of railway included therein and with respect to the mileage of which the securities secured thereby are issued, and the rolling stock and equipment, present and future, acquired for the purposes of the said line or lines so included in such deed or deeds of trust respectively, and the tolls, revenues and income arising and to arise therefrom, and the rights, privileges, franchises and powers of the company now or hereafter held or enjoyed in respect of the said line or lines and the operation and maintenance thereof.

That the kind of securities to be guaranteed and the form and terms thereof and the form and terms of the deed or deeds of trust by way of mortgage securing them and the times and manner of the issue of the securities and the disposition of the moneys to be raised thereon by sale, pledge or otherwise, pending the expenditure of such moneys for the purposes of the said lines of railway respectively and the form and manner of the guarantee or guarantees from time to time or at any time given in respect thereof shall be such as the Lieutenant Governor in

Council may approve.

That the said guarantee or guarantees shall be signed by the provincial treasurer or such other officer as may be designated by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and upon being so signed the Province of Saskatchewan shall become liable for the payment of the principle and interest of the securities guaranteed according to the tenor thereof; and that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised to make arrangements for supplying the money necessary to fulfil the requirements of the said guarantee or guarantees and to advance the amount necessary for that purpose out of the general revenues of the province; and that in the hands of any purchaser, pledgee or other person acquiring any of such securities the said guarantee or guarantees so signed shall be conclusive evidence that the requirements of the said Act with respect to the guaranteed securities and the deed of trust and all matters relating thereto have been complied with.

That subject to the proviso in this clause contained the deed or deeds of trust (hereinafter called "the original instruments") securing the securities guaranteed may provide for the issue from time to time and ranking pari passu with the said securities and without preference or priority one over the other of additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect not exceeding \$2,000 per mile in respect of the mileage of any of the lines mentioned in the schedule to the said Act; and also additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect also ranking pari passu and without preference or priority as aforesaid in respect of

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additional lines of railway in the Province of Saskatchewan to be here-inafter constructed by the company but not exceeding \$15,000 per mile of such additional lines;

Provided always that before any such additional securities are issued the guarantee by the province of the payment of the principal and interest thereof shall first have been authorised and the amounts to be issued per mile in respect of such lines shall first have been fixed by the Legislative Assembly and that such guarantee shall first have

been given pursuant thereto.

That a supplementary deed or deeds of trust (herein called "supplementary instruments") covering the said lines mentioned in the said schedule in respect of which additional secureties are issued or such additional lines as aforementioned, as the case may be, in the form approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall from time to time be taken to the trustees of the original instrument; and that such additional securities shall be issued under the terms of the original instruments and supplementary instruments which together with the mortgaged premises covered by the original and supplementary instruments shall form the security for all securities issued thereunder in the same manner and with the same effect as if the original instrument and supplementary instruments formed together but one instrument and as if all the securities issued or to be issued under the original or supplementary instruments were issued under one instrument.

That should the constructed mileage of any line or lines specified in the schedule to the said Act or the aggregate mileage of some or all of such lines be less than the mileage estimated in the said schedule by reason whereof there remains:

(a) A surplus of authorised mileage in respect of which no securities at the rate specified with regard thereto were actually

issued or guaranteed; or

(b) A surplus of proceeds of the moneys realised by sale, pledge or otherwise of guaranteed securities issued in respect thereof; the Lieutenant Governor in Council may guarantee additional securities in respect of such surplus of mileage or authorise the application of such surplus of proceeds whichever may be the case in or in respect of the further construction by the company of extensions of the lines mentioned in the said schedule or of branches therefrom or of other lines of railway in Saskatchewan approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

That a supplementary deed or deeds of trust covering the mileage further constructed by the company as provided for in the next preceding clause shall be taken to the trustees of the original instruments before mentioned and that the provisions hereinbefore set forth with respect to supplementary instruments shall where not inconsistent with this and the next preceding clause apply to the supplementary deeds executed under this clause and to the securities which may be issued and guaranteed in pursuance thereof.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell.

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 47) to authorise the guarantee of certain

securities of the Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell:

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution relating to the guarantee of certain securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the

consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time. Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised on such terms and conditions not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act of the present session of the Legislature to authorise the guarantee of certain securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company (hereinafter called "the company") as may be agreed upon with the company to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of additional bonds, debentures, debenture stock or other securities (hereinafter called "the additional securities") of the company to the extent and upon the terms hereinafter set forth.

That the additional securities shall form part of the issue secured by the mortgage dated the twenty-fourth day of June, 1909, and made between The Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company, The Royal Trust Company and his Majesty the King representing the Province of Saskatchewan (being the deed of trust by way of mortgage securing the guaranteed securities authorised to be issued and guaranteed by chapter 4 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan passed in the session of 1908-9); and that the additional securities shall be limited to the amount represented by \$13,000 per mile of the additional lines of railway mentioned in the schedule to the Act of the present session hereinbefore referred to.

That before the additional securities are issued and guaranteed supplementary mortgages or deeds of trust covering the lines mentioned in the schedule to the said chapter 4 of the Statutes of 1908-9 and the additional lines of railway in the form approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall as provided in section 10 of the said chapter 4 of the Statutes of 1908-9 be taken to the trustees of the mortgage dated the twenty-fourth day of June, 1909, hereinbefore referred to.

That the certificate of the minister of railways, telegraphs and telephones (herinafter called "the minister") as to the mileage of the

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said respective additional lines of railway shall for the purposes of the Act of the present session hereinbefore referred to and of the guaranteed securities be conclusive but the minister may issue interim certificates from time to time based upon the estimated mileage of the said lines or any of them or may fix temporarily the mileage with regard thereto; that final certificates shall be ultimately issued by the minister with regard to each of the said lines to accord with the miles and fractions of miles of the said lines actually constructed between the points authorised.

That all the provisions of the said chapter 4 of the Statutes of 1908-9 not inconsistent with the provisions of the said Act of the present session shall apply to the additional lines of railway and to the additional securities authorised to be issued and guaranteed hereby and

in pursuance hereof.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 48) to authorise the guarantee of certain securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution relating to the guarantee of certain securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the

consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised on such terms and conditions not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act of the present session of the Legislature to authorise the guarantee of certain securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company (hereinafter called "the company") as may be agreed upon with the company to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds, debentures, debenture stock or other securities (hereinafter called "securities") of the company to the extent and upon the terms hereinafter set forth.

That the amount of securities to be so guaranteed shall not exceed the sum represented by \$13,000 per mile of the respective lines of railway mentioned in the schedule to the said Act; that the certificate of the

minister of railways, telegraphs and telephones of the province of Saskatchewan (hereinafter called "the minister") as to the mileage of the said respective lines of railway shall for the purposes of the said Act and of the guaranteed securities be conclusive but the minister may issue interim certificates from time to time based upon the estimated mileage of the said lines or any of them or may fix temporarily the mileages with regard thereto; that final certificates shall be ultimately issued by the minister with regard to each of the said lines to accord with the miles and fractions of miles of the said lines actually constructed between the points authorised; that the said securities may be made payable in whole or in part in lawful money of Canada or in its equivalent in sterling or other money; that interest thereon shall be payable at the rate of four per centum per annum half yearly; that the principal shall be payable in thirty years from the passing of the said Act.

That the said securities shall be secured by one or more deeds of trust by way of mortgage or charge to a trustee or trustees approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and such deed or deeds of trust shall grant a first mortgage or charge upon the line or lines of railway included therein and with respect to the mileage of which the securities secured thereby are issued, and the rolling stock and equipment, present and future, acquired for the purposes of the said line or lines so included in such deed or deeds of trust respectively, and the tolls, revenues and income arising and to arise therefrom, and the rights, privileges, franchises and powers of the company now or hereafter held or enjoyed in respect of the said line or lines and the operation and maintenance thereof.

That the kind of securities to be guaranteed and the form and terms thereof and the form and terms of the deed or deeds of trust by way of mortgage securing them and the times and manner of the issue of the securities and the disposition of the moneys to be raised thereon by sale, pledge or otherwise, pending the expenditure of such moneys for the purposes of the said lines of railway respectively and the form and manner of the guarantee or guarantees from time to time or at any time given in respect thereof shall be such as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may approve.

That the said guarantee or guarantees shall be signed by the provincial treasurer or such other officer as may be designated by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and upon being so signed the province of Saskatchewan shall become liable for the payment of the principle and interest of the securities guaranteed according to the tenor thereof; and that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised to make arrangements for supplying the money necessary to fulfil the requirements of the said guarantee or guarantees and to advance the amount necessary for that purpose out of the general revenues of the province; and that in the hands of any purchaser, pledgee or other person acquiring any of such securities the said guarantee or guarantees so signed shall be conclusive evidence that the requirements of the said Act with respect to the guaranteed securities and the deed of trust and all matters relating thereto have been complied with.

That subject to the proviso in this clause contained the deed or deeds of trust (hereinafter called "the original instruments") securing March 5 99

the securities guaranteed may provide for the issue from time to time and ranking pari passu with the said securities and without preference or priority one over the other of additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect not exceeding \$2,000 per mile in respect of the mileage of any of the lines mentioned in the schedule to the said Act; and also additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect also ranking pari passu and without preference or priority as aforesaid in respect of additional lines of railway in the Province of Saskatchewan to be hereinafter constructed by the company but not exceeding \$15,000 per mile of such additional lines;

Provided always that before any such additional securities are issued the guarantee by the province of the payment of the principal and interest thereof shall first have been authorised and the amounts to be issued per mile in respect of such lines shall first have been fixed by the Legislative Assembly and that such guarantee shall first have been given pursuant thereto.

That a supplementary deed or deeds of trust (herein called "supplementary instruments") covering the said lines mentioned in the said schedule in respect of which additional secureties are issued or such additional lines as aforementioned, as the case may be, in the form approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall from time to time be taken to the trustees of the original instrument; and that such additional securities shall be issued under the terms of the original instruments and supplementary instruments which together with the mortgaged premises covered by the original and supplementary instruments shall form the security for all securities issued thereunder in the same manner and with the same effect as if the original instrument and supplementary instruments formed together but one instrument and as if all the securities issued or to be issued under the original or supplementary instruments were issued under one instrument.

That should the constructed mileage of any line or lines specified in the schedule to the said Act or the aggregate mileage of some or all of such lines be less than the mileage estimated in the said schedule by reason whereof there remains:

- (a) A surplus of authorised mileage in respect of which no securities at the rate specified with regard thereto were actually issued or guaranteed; or
- (b) A surplus of proceeds of the moneys realised by sale, pledge or otherwise of guaranteed securities issued in respect thereof; the Lieutenant Governor in Council may guarantee additional securities in respect of such surplus of mileage or authorise the application of such surplus of proceeds whichever may be the case in or in respect of the further construction by the company of extensions of the lines mentioned in the said schedule or of branches therefrom or of other lines of railway in Saskatchewan approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

That a supplementary deed or deeds of trust covering the mileage further constructed by the company as provided for in the next preceding clause shall be taken to the trustees of the original instruments before mentioned and that the provisions hereinbefore set forth with respect to supplementary instruments shall where not inconsistent with this and the next preceding clause apply to the supplementary deeds executed under this clause and to the securities which may be issued and guaranteed in pursuance thereof.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 46) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 11) to protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. MacNeill have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Town of Watrous.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 6) to amend The School Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 42) to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 42) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for resuming the adjourned debate on the second reading of the Bill (No. 57) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being proposed,

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated February 1, 1912, showing:

1. The aggregate amount expended in each of the Electoral Districts of the Province for Public Works during the year 1911 exclusive of grants given to Municipalities.

2. The number of grading and bridge gangs employed in the same (Sessional Paper No. 38.)

year.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon.

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

# In the Committee.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand one hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Lieutenant Governor's Office).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February

28, 1913, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-one thousand seven hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Attorney General's Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eight thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Provincial Secre-

tary's Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand four hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-eight thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Public Works Department).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-six thousand four hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

And then the House adjourned at 11.40 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 1912.

11 o'clock A.M.

Mr. Gillis asked the Government the following questions:

- 1. Has the commission of Wilfrid Wilde of Broadview as Justice of the Peace been cancelled?
  - 2. If so, when, and for what reason?

Mr. Turgeen answered as follows:

- 1. Yes. On November 13, 1911.
- 2. Unsatisfactory performance of duty.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to regulate the Employment of Children and for the Protection thereof.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Public Improvements Loan Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 41) for the Protection of Persons Employed in the Construction of Buildings.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 41) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act for the Protection of Persons Employed in the Construction of Buildings."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 8) respecting Offensive Weapons.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 8) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Offensive Weapons."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 42) to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 42) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company."

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The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 34) to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 34) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 56) to incorporate The Inter-Ocean Trust Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 56) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Inter-Ocean Trust Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate The Wascana Country Club.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 19) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Wascana Country Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 37) to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 37) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 22) to amend a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon concerning The Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 22) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon concerning The Canadian Pacific Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 31) to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That the Order of the House for the third reading of the Bill (No. 31) to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan be discharged and that the Bill be referred back to the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of making certain amendments thereto.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 31) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 32) to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr.

Simpson,

That the Order of the House for the third reading of the Bill (No. 32) to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan be discharged and that the Bill be referred back to the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of making certain amendments thereto.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 32) to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 32) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bradshaw,—Of Alfred John Manville and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Prince Albert Club.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 23) to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon regarding the Street Railway.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 23) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon regarding the Street Railway."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 58) to enable James Arthur McEwen to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 53) to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 60) to amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Elliott,

That in the opinion of the House the time has arrived when the educational system of the Province of Saskatchewan should be further extended so as to include the teaching of a larger measure of what is known as technical and industrial education.

And a debate arising,

And the Question being proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mr. Tate,

That in the opinion of this House it is expedient that the Government should inquire into the question of obtaining money for making loans at a low rate of interest to farmers for the purpose of encouraging agriculture in all its branches, and further that the Federal Government should be urged by the Provincial authorities to inquire into this important subject in the interest of the Dominion at large.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Bell,

That all the words after "farmers" in the resolution be struck out and the following words "in the Province" be substituted therefor.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Ens, seconded by Mr. Lisle,

Whereas the annual production of farm products in Saskatchewan having increased very rapidly and the grain centres of Western Canada

being in consequence now situated somewhere about 800 miles west of Canadian Lake ports, additional outlets for the products of Saskatchewan at reasonable freight rates are imperatively needed;

And whereas for more than twenty years past the desirability and feasibility of an outlet via Hudson Bay and Hudson Strait to the

British market has been recognised by the people generally:

Therefore be it resolved that this House give expression to the earnest desire of the people of Saskatchewan that the Government of Canada complete without delay the necessary line of railway to a port on the Hudson Bay and also that all necessary arrangements be made to provide a line of suitable steamers to be operated from the said port on Hudson Bay to Great Britain.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Willway, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That the following words be added at the end of the Question:

"And be it further resolved that in the opinion of this House, the said railway should be owned and controlled and operated through an independent Commission as a Government Railway."

And the Question on the amendment being proposed,

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment to the amendment by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Nolin,

That the words proposed to be added by the said amendment at the end of the question be left out and the following words be added

to the main question in lieu thereof:

"And be it further resolved that this House is of the opinion that the Government of Canada should in the interests of the people hold and own the Hudson's Bay Railway and that such arrangement should be made for its operation directly by the Government, by an independent Commission, or otherwise as will secure to the people of Western Canada for all time to come absolute control by the Government over all rates, tolls and other tariffs to be charged, thus insuring that this new outlet for our farmers' produce to the world's markets shall constitute a competing line of railway the operation of which can be carried on successfully at the lowest cost consistent with public requirements."

And the Question being put on the amendment to the amendment. The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

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### Messieurs ·

Langley Nolin Garry	Sheppard Motherwell Bell Mitchell Scott (Arm River) Finlayson	Ens Smith Stewart Simpson MacNeill Totzke—18
Stevenson	Finlayson	Totzke—18

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#### Messieurs

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So it was resolved in the affirmative. And the main Question as amended being proposed, It was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Haultain, That this House do now adjourn, And a debate arising thereupon, And the debate continuing, The said motion was by leave withdrawn.

And then the House having continued to sit until five minutes after one o'clock Thursday morning adjourned.

# REGINA, THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1912.

11 o'clock a.m.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders,

presented the following Report:

Alfred John Manville and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Prince Albert Club did not present their petition for a Private Bill before February 21, 1912, the last day ordered by Resolution of the House for the presentation of petitions for Private Bills, and as Rule 57 provides that no suspension of the rules upon any petition for a Private Bill shall be entertained unless the same has been reported on by the Committee on Standing Orders.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the petition be received. On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Tate asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government during the present Session to introduce any amendments to The Liquor License Act with a view to make the provisions of the local option sections effective.

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

It is not the intention of the Government to introduce further legislation this Session respecting the local option provisions of The Liquor License Act.

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution with respect to the taxation of Fire Insurance Companies. Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that for the purpose of assisting in maintaining the Office of the Fire Commissioners under the provisions of any Act relating to fire protection passed in the present Session of the Legislature and of paying the expenses incident thereto, every fire insurance company which transacts business in Saskatchewan shall in addition to any other tax payable by it under the provisions of The Corporations Taxation Act pay into the general revenue fund for the province one-third of one per centum calculated on the gross premiums received by such company in respect of the business transacted in Saskatchewan during the preceding year.

On motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House upon the Bill (No. 60) to amend The Corporations Taxation Act, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The following petition was read and received:

Of Alfred John Manville and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Prince Albert Club.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 62) respecting St. Paul's Separate School District No. 20 of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 63) respecting the Town of Watrous.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 60) to amend The Corporations Taxation Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 60) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 57) to amend An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 57) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 44) to amend An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 44) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 45) to amend An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 46) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 46) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 47) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 47) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 48) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 48) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 49) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, and after some spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 49) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No.31) to enable Arsene Godin to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 31) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise Arsene Godin to Practise Medicine in the Province of Saskatchewan."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 32) to enable Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 32) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Practise Medicine in the Province of Saskatchewan.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) ratifying certain Agreements made between His Majesty and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 10) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, Whereas the question of higher education is of vital importance to the future welfare and prosperity of this province; And whereas the maintenance of a properly equipped university is a very expensive undertaking;

And whereas the University of Saskatchewan has neither a cash

nor land endowment;

And whereas on the eighteenth day of December, 1909, this House did unanimously pass a resolution expressing its belief that "it is desirable that the Parliament of Canada should create out of the public domain within the province a suitable land endowment for the University of Saskatchewan;"

And whereas no further steps than the formal transmission of the said resolution to the Dominion Government have been taken by the Government of Saskatchewan to impress the unanimously expressed

opinion of this House upon the Dominion authorities:

Therefore be it resolved that this House doth regret the inaction of the Government and doth hereby reiterate the opinion and request contained in the said resolution.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

That all the words in the last two paragraphs be struck out and

the following words substituted in lieu thereof:

"And whereas notwithstanding the representations made by the Government of Saskatchewan to the Federal authorities no action has been taken by the Government of Canada to provide for the said endowment;

And whereas the Government of Canada has recently declared its intention to transfer the public domain to the three prairie provinces:

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the question of the creation of a University Endowment should rest in abeyance until such time as the public domain is transferred to the province."

And the Question being put on the amendment.

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the main question as amended being proposed,

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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Land Titles Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Saturday next.

Mr. Sheppard, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders,

presented the following Report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of Alfred John Manville and four others praying for An Act to incorporate The Prince Albert Club, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 concerning the advertisement has not been complied with, there being no advertisement in The Saskatchewan Gazette and none in the local papers, but your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, seconded by Mr. Smith, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. Bradshaw have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Prince Albert Club.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Saturday next.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No 13) to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town somic also with it be frequency to be Municipality.

Bill (No. 35) respecting the City of Moose Jaw.

Your Committee have also had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same:

Bill (No. 53) to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway

Company.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 36) to incorporate The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 36) be read a third time on Saturday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 55) to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No 55) be read a third time on Saturday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 24) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the City of Saskatoon, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 24) be read a third time on Saturday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 14) to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 14) be read a third time on Saturday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 11) to protect Horse Breeders in Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 11) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 27) respecting Hail Insurance by Municipalities, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 27) be read a third time on Saturday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 38) to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 38) be read a third time on Saturday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 33) to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 33) be read a third time on Saturday next.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Tate,

That in the opinion of this House the Government should take steps to obtain the fullest possible information in regard to the feasibility of establishing a system of internal storage elevators in the province.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Langley,

That all the words after "that" to the end of the question be left

out and the following words be substituted in lieu thereof:

Whereas the existing railway outlets for the rapidly increasing grain products of Saskatchewan are not sufficient to handle the grain traffic offered;

And whereas our farmers are debarred from disposing of their products in the United States market thereby further increasing the congestion of grain traffic within Saskatchewan;

And whereas the capacity of the terminal elevators at the head of the lakes is not sufficient to take care of the grain required to be stored at that point after navigation closes; And whereas it has been suggested as a partial remedy for existing conditions that a system of large interior terminal elevators should be erected at suitable points within Saskatchewan;

And whereas any plan of interior storage with terminal facilities would obviously necessitate the introduction of official grading and weighing which are matters of Federal control entirely;

And whereas the providing of sufficient and satisfactory terminal storage facilities is within the jurisdiction and acknowledged policy of the Government of Canada:

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the Government of Canada should institute an inquiry to determine if any system of interior storage is commercially feasible and such as will tend to prevent the recurrence of the present unfortunate condition of affairs in the Province due to the lack of outlets and such additional markets as would tend to keep pace with our exportable surplus including off-grade grain.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

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And the main Question as amended being proposed, The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that a Resolution concerning internal storage elevators be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council.

And then the House adjourned at 11.42 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1912.

11 o'clock a.m.

Mr. Gillis asked the Government the following questions:

- 1. What contracts have been entered into between the Government and any person or Corporation for work or material to be supplied or done in connection with the Crib roadway from the east bank across the sandbar to the Western Current on the Saskatchewan river at or near Outlook?
- 2. What is the amount of each such contract, with whom was it made, and what is the nature of the work or material to be supplied or done in each case?
- 3. What is the total expenditure in connection with the said Crib roadway to date?

Mr. McNab answered as follows:

1. Contractor	$\operatorname{Address}$	Material
J. B. Rice,	Outlook	For supply rock and brush
M. Robson,	Regina	For supply piling
Thompson & Anderson,	Creston, B.C.	For supply piling
Cuddy & Nelson,	Calgary	For supply timber
T. B. Patton,	Regina	For supply timber
Lumber Mfrs. Yards	Regina	For supply timber
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Cuddy & Nelson		timber 740 15
T. B. Patton		timber 1,530 34
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Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

A telegram from the Right Honourable R. L. Borden concerning

the extension of the Boundaries of Saskatchewan.

(Sessional Paper No. 39.)

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 60) to amend The Corporations Taxation Act. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 60) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Corporations Taxation Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 57) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 57) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 44) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 44) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 45) to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 46) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 46) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 47) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 47) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 48) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr.

Elliott:

1. That the order for the third reading of the said Bill be discharged and that the Bill be referred back to the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of making the following amendments:

1. To insert a clause providing that in consideration of the extension of time granted by the Act passed at the present Session for the construction of the lines mentioned in the said Act and of the further guarantees provided for in the Bill the following provisions shall apply to the lines mentioned in the said Act and the Bill:

(1) If at any time it is considered in the judgment of the Lieutenant Governor in Council necessary or proper in the public interests that such railways or any of them should be acquired by the Government the Lieutenant Governor in Council may acquire the same and for that purpose sections 225 to 230 both inclusive

of The Railway Act shall apply.

(2) The location of the line of each of the railways for the construction of which the said guarantees are made, shall be subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, having regard to the feasibility of the route and engineering difficulties of construction.

(3) Each of the said Companies shall furnish such information as to the location and plans of passenger and freight stations on the line of its railway as may from time to time be required by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and in every case the granting of the said guarantee shall be subject to compliance with such directions as may be given by the Lieutenant Governor in Council from time to time for the erection of stations, the number of the same and the intervals at which the stoppages shall be made at such stations for the accommodation of the public.

(4) The rates for passengers and freight which may be charged by each of the said companies on the said railways shall be such as may be approved of by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and each of the said Companies shall comply with any conditions now or hereafter imposed by any Act respecting the

granting of aid to railways.

(5) Provided that the terms, directions and requirements of the Lieutenant Governor in Council and the powers hereby granted shall not be inconsistent with any order or regulation from time to time issued or made by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada or other competent authority under the provisions of any Act of the Parliament of Canada applicable to any of the said lines. And the Question being put on the amendment,

On motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 49) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 49) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 10) ratifying certain agreements made between His Majesty and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 10) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to ratify certain Agreements made between His Majesty the King and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 11) to protect Horse Breeders.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 11) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to protect Horse Breeders."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 39) to amend The Town Act, being chapter 85 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 40) to amend The City Act, being chapter 84 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 18) respecting the Support of Illegitimate Children.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 35) respecting The City of Moose Jaw, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments. Ordered, That the Report be now received. If he was a second

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 35) be read a third time at the next of the control of the control of the sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendla anidoment aid

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 43) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 53) to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 39) to amend The Town Act, being chapter 85 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 62) respecting St. Paul's Separate School District No. 20 of Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 62) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 18) respecting the Support of Illegitimate Children, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 18) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 58) to enable James Arthur McEwen to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Bill (No. 63) respecting the Town of Watrous. On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

Ordered, That the Order of the House allowing the Committee of Supply to sit again to-morrow be discharged and that leave be granted to the said Committee to sit again today.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell, Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

### In the Committee.

No. 30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Agricultural Interests Generally).

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

Moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

That whereas this Assembly did on the sixteenth day of March, 1911, unanimously adopt a resolution asking that the Government of

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Saskatchewan proceed with negotiations with the federal authorities for the purpose of having transferred to the Province the natural resources within the Province, as set out in the said resolution;

And whereas notwithstanding the representations made by the Government of Saskatchewan to the Government of Canada in accordance with the said resolution, no action has as yet been taken by the

Government of Canada in the premises:

Therefore be it resolved that this House regrets that the Dominion Government has not yet dealt with the matter of the said resolution and is of the opinion that the Government of Saskatchewan should continue to urge upon the Dominion Government the expediency of satisfying the claims of this Province without further delay.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 59) to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 11.30 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 1912.

11 o'clock a.m.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 27) to authorise Hail Insurance by Municipalities.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 27) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise Hail Insurance by Municipalities."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 18) respecting the Support of Illegitimate Children.

Ordered, That the Bill No. (18) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Support of Illegitimate Children." And the support of Illegitimate Children.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 62) respecting St. Paul's Separate School District No. 20 of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 62) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting St. Paul's Separate School District No. 20 of Saskatchewan."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 36) to incorporate The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 36) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 55) to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 55) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 24) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the City of Saskatoon.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 24) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the City of Saskatoon."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 14) to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 14) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 38) to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 38) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 33) to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 33) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate The Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 43) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 35) respecting The City of Moose Jaw.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 35) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting The City of Moose Jaw."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 53) to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 53) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 67) to incorporate The Prince Albert Club.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 63) respecting the Town of Watrous, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 63) respecting the Town of Watrous.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Town of Watrous."

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 6) to amend The School Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 6) be read a third time today. The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 6) to amend The School Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 6) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The School Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Willway, seconded by Mr. Anderson,

That all the words after "that" to the end of the question be struck

out and the following substituted therefor:

"This House regrets that no provision has been made in the Estimates for aid to Local Improvement Districts to be granted on the same basis as that provided for Rural Municipalities."

And a debate arising,

And the Question being put on the amendment,

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

### YEAS.

### Messieurs

Elliott	Gillis	Wylie
Donaldson	Wellington	${ m McDonald}$
Bradshaw	Whitmore	Willway
Riddell	Anderson—11	·

## NAYS.

### Messieurs

Sheppard	McNab	Turgeon
${f Motherwell}$	Ens	$\operatorname{Bell}$
Smith	Langley	Bole
Stewart	Nolin	Mitchell
Simpson	Garry	${ m MacNeill}$
Atkinson	Scott (Arm River)	$\operatorname{Robertson}$
Pierce	Finlayson	Totzke-21

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That all the words after "that" to the end of the question be struck

out and the following substituted therefor:

"The policy of charging tolls upon ferries should be discontinued and all Government ferries should be free so as to place settlers in districts served by ferries in the same position as settlers in districts served by bridges."

And a debate arising, The said amendment was by leave withdrawn. And the main Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

# In the Committee.

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eighteen thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Live Stock Industry).

No. 32. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and eighteen thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture

and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).

No. 33. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-nine thou-No. 36. sand two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bureau of

Labour).

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand six No. 37. hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 39. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding nineteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February

28, 1913, for Neglected and Dependent Children.

No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred and eighty-five thousand one hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Education.

No. 41. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Telephones Chargeable to Income (Telephones, Maintenance and Operation).

No. 42. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Telephones Chargeable to Capital (Tele-

phone Construction).

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

Mr. Mitchell, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee have had under consideration the following Bill and have agreed to report the same:

Bill (No. 67) to incorporate The Prince Albert Club. On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Bell, Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill for raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Construction and Improvement of Public Highways.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council laid on the Table the following:

A copy of Telegram sent to the Right Honourable R. L. Borden on March 9, 1912, concerning Saskatchewan's claim for partition of Hudson Bay Territory. (Sessional Paper No. 40.)

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the amendment moved by Mr. Haultain seconded by Mr. Elliott to the third reading of the Bill (No. 48) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

And the debate continuing.

On motion of Mr. Gillis, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, MONDAY MARCH 11, 1912.

11 o'clock A.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the amendment moved by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott to the third reading of the Bill (No. 48) to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being put on the amendment,

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

#### YEAS.

### Messieurs

Haultain	. Riddell	Wellington
Wylie	Elliott	Bradshaw
${f McDonald}$	${f Donaldson}$	Willway
Tate	Whitmore	$\operatorname{Gillis}$
Anderson—13	the second of the second of the second	

### NAYS.

### Messieurs

Calder		Sheppard	McNab
Turgeon		Bell	Ens
Lisle		Bole Transport	Smith
Langley	July grange to		Stewart
$\mathbf{N}$ olin		Johnston (Pelly)	MacNeill
Garry		Scott (Arm River)	Robertson
Atkinson	. Artina	Finlayson	Totzke—21

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 48) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 66) to amend The Land Titles Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 65) to amend The Local Improvements Loan Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 61) to amend The Statute Law.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

Moved by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Langley,

Whereas the provisions of The Manitoba Grain Act regulating the distribution of cars are regarded by Western farmers as their greatest protection against the elevator monopoly;

And whereas in clause (e) of Section 207 of a certain Bill numbered 32 now before the Parliament of Canada provision is con-

tained conferring upon the Board of Grain Commissioners the power to alter, practically at will, the method of car distribution set out in the said Act;

And whereas the said proposed change in the Act must necessarily tend to weaken to a considerable extent and possibly to destroy entirely the protective character of the said provisions of the Act:

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the Parliament of Canada should not enact the aforesaid provisions contained in the Bill above referred to.

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

It passed unanimously.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 59) to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

It was moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 59) to amend The Legislative Assembly Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the

Resolution moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Sheppard.

That whereas this Assembly did on the sixteenth day of March, 1911, unanimously adopt a resolution asking that the Government of Saskatchewan proceed with negotiations with the federal authorities for the purpose of having transferred to the Province the natural resources within the Province, as set out in the said resolution;

And whereas notwithstanding the representations made by the Government of Saskatchewan to the Government of Canada in accordance with the said resolution, no action has as yet been taken by the

Government of Canada in the premises:

Therefore be it resolved that this House regrets that the Dominion Government has not yet dealt with the matter of the said resolution and is of the opinion that the Government of Saskatchewan should continue to urge upon the Dominion Government the expediency of satisfying the claims of this Province without further delay.

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Gillis, seconded by Mr. Elliott, That all the words after "that" to the end of the question be struck out and the following substituted therefor:

In the opinion of this House the resolution adopted by this House on the 10th March, 1911, does not adequately set forth the just claims of Saskatchewan with regard to the lands, minerals and timber of the Province.

This House is further of the opinion that:

- (a) In the establishment of the Province the important principle of absolute equality among the Provinces of the Dominion, which is the only sure guarantee of the permanency of the Confederation structure was not adhered to in regard to the lands, minerals, timber and waters of the Province.
- (b) The people of this Province held and hold the view that when the Province was established it was only fair, just and proper that the land, timber, minerals and waters therein should be handed over to the people dwelling there to be managed and owned by them in the same way as in most of the other Provinces in the Dominion.

(c) The people of the Province further ask for and expect that compensation for the lands, minerals, timber and waters of the Province, alienated for Federal purposes should be made to the Province

by the Dominion.

- (d) The lands and other public resources of the Province can be managed more efficiently, economically and satisfactorily by the Province than by Canada, and there was and is no good reason for a departure from the principle of The Confederation Act in the case of the Province of Saskatchewan.
- 2. This House dissents from the principle of a money grant in lieu of lands contained in The Saskatchewan Act and claims that the compensation granted by that Act is manifestly unfair and inadequate.
- 3. This House is of the opinion that a policy of administering the agricultural land of the Province in the interest of settlement and colonisation by a homestead and pre-emption system should be followed out by the Province in the event of its acquiring control of its lands and that therefore negotiations should at once be commenced by the Government of Saskatchewan with a view to obtaining from the Dominion:

(1) The beneficial interest in and control of all Crown Lands,

minerals, timber and waters in the Province.

(2) Compensation for all lands alienated by the Dominion for purely Federal purposes including purchased homesteads and preemptions.

(3) The extension of the northern boundaries of the Province

in the same manner as the other Provinces are dealt with.

(4) A right of way to Ports Nelson and Churchill on Hudson's Bay similar to that proposed to be granted to Ontario.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

On motion of Mr. Tate, seconded by Mr. Wellington

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by His Honour.

And the Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered) and is as followeth:

G. W. Brown.

Lieutenant Governor.

The Lieutenant Governor transmits supplementary estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 28, 1913, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly. (Sessional Paper No. 41.)

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the Message of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor together with the Supplementary Estimates accompanying the same be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Athabaska Election Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

And then the House adjourned at 11.50 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1912.

11 o'clock a.m.

The Clerk informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker and the Deputy Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

Ordered, That Mr. Mitchell, member for Weyburn, be appointed Speaker for this day.

Mr. Scott (Arm River) from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways presented the following Report:

From the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways I

beg to present the following report:

Your Committee recommends that the fees paid for the following Private Bills:

Bill (No. ) An Act to incorporate the Village of Sutherland as a Town Municipality,

Bill (No. 25) An Act respecting The Young Men's Christian

Association of Saskatoon,

Bill (No. 28) An Act to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina.

Bill (No. 29) An Act to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina, be remitted less the cost of printing.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Arm River) seconded by Mr. Simpson, Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 68) for Raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution respecting the raising of money upon the General Revenue of Saskatchewan for the construction of public highways and permanent improvements.

Mr. Calder, a Member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the House, that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion recommends it to the

consideration of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution. Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered. That the Resolution be now read a first time. The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time. Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and concurred in.

That it is expedient to provide that:

It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor in Council to authorise the Provincial Treasurer to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the province such sum or sums of money not to exceed in the whole five million dollars for the purpose of providing for the construction of public highways and permanent public improvements as may be approved by the Legislature; and for that purpose to issue bonds, debentures, inscribed stock or other securities of the province from time to time as the exigencies of the public service may require, and to dispose thereof upon the conditions which he may deem most favourable;

That the aforesaid sums of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years at a rate not exceeding four per centum per annum and shall be raised upon the credit of the general revenue fund of Saskatchewan and shall be chargeable thereon;

That all bonds, debentures, inscribed stock or other securities issued under the authority of this Act shall be free from all provincial taxes,

succession duty, charges and impositions whatsoever;

That the sums of money hereby authorised to be raised by way of loan shall be raised as provided by The Saskatchewan Loans Act and the sums raised under the authority of this Act shall form part of the general revenue fund of Saskatchewan;

That the Provincial Treasurer shall make and submit to the Lieutenant Governor in Council an annual report to be laid before the Legislative Assembly with the public accounts, which report shall

include,—

(a) A statement of the facts in connection with every loan made as aforesaid;

(b) A statement showing the standing of the moneys borrowed

hereunder and expended;

(c) A detailed summary of the highways or improvements constructed or provided out of the funds arising from any loan made hereunder.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill relating to the raising of Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 68) for Raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 68) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 65) to amend The Public Improvements Loan Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 65) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 40) to amend The City Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 39) to amend The Town Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 39) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 67) to incorporate The Prince Albert Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 67) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 58) to enable James Arthur McEwen to Qualify as a Member of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Saskatchewan, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 58) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That all the words after "that" to the end of the Question be struck

out and the following substituted therefor:

"In the opinion of this House the following policy of charging tolls upon ferries is not in the interests of settlers residing in communities served by ferries and is an unfair discrimination against them."

And a debate arising,

And the Question being put on the amendment,

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

### YEAS.

### Messieurs

Haultain	Elliott	Gillis
Wylie	Donaldson	Wellington
McDonald	Johnston (Kinistino)	Bradshaw
Tate	Whitmore	Willway
Riddell	Anderson—14	

#### NAYS.

### Messieurs

Calder	Sheppard		McNab
Turgeon	Motherwell	• • •	$\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{n}\mathbf{s}}$
Lisle	$\operatorname{Bell}$		Smith
Langley	 Bole		Simpson
Nolin	Mitchell		MacNeill
Garry	Scott (Arm River)		Robertson
Atkinson	Finlayson		Totzke
Stevenson—22			

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

# In the Committee.

No. 34. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bacteriological Laboratory).

No. 35. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Control

and Game Protection).

No. 38. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year

ending February 28, 1913, for Bureau of Public Health.

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eighty-four thousand four hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Police Magistrates'

Courts).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-two thousand one hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and forty-five thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty-eight thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-seven thousand three hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Administration of Liquor License Act).

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913,

for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott reported that the

Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 59) to amend The Legislative Assembly Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That after today until the end of the Session when this House adjourns it do stand adjourned to 10.30 o'clock a.m. of the following day and if the business of the day be not concluded at one o'clock Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair until three o'clock p.m.

And then the House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, WEDNESDAY MARCH 13, 1912.

10.30 o'clock A.M.

The Clerk informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker.

Whereupon Mr. Sheppard (Moose Jaw County), Deputy Speaker, took the Chair, pursuant to the Statute in that case made and provided.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 68) for Raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 68) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 65) to amend The Public Improvements Loan Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 65) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Public Improvements Loan Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 39) to amend The Town Act.
Ordered, That the Bill (No. 39) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Town Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 67) to incorporate The Prince Albert Club.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 67) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Prince Albert Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 58) to authorise James Arthur McEwen to practise Medicine in the Province of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 58) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise James Arthur McEwen to Practise Medicine in the Province of Saskatchewan."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 69) respecting the Construction and Improvement of Public Highways.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 59) to amend The Legislative Assembly Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 69) respecting the Construction and Improvement of Public Highways, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the amendment moved by Mr. Gillis, seconded by Mr. Elliott, to the Resolution moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment to the amendment by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Mitchell,

That all the words after "therefor" in the said amendment be left

out and the following words inserted instead thereof:

"Whereas at the last session of this Assembly a resolution was unanimously passed to the effect that the Government of Saskatchewan should proceed with negotiations with the Federal authorities for the purpose of having transferred to the Province the natural resources within the Province as set out in the said resolution;

And whereas such negotiations were proceeded with, but as yet no action has been taken by the Federal authorities to have the said

transfer made;

And whereas it is the declared policy of the present Government of Canada which has taken office since the passing of the said resolution to restore to the prairie provinces of Western Canada the public domain within their limits;

And whereas this House is of the opinion that negotiations for the transfer of the public domain to Saskatchewan should properly have been taken up by the Dominion Government at the same time as the negotiations that were recently carried on by the said Government with the Provinces of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec concerning the extension of the boundaries of the said Provinces and the readjustment of the grants and subsidies payable to Manitoba;

And whereas a request was preferred by the Government of Saskatchewan to the Federal authorities for a conference prior to the time that a settlement was reached regarding the question involved in an extension of the boundaries of the Provinces referred to but such request

was not granted:

Therefore be it resolved that this House regrets that the present Federal Government did not prior to its settlement with Manitoba and the other provinces mentioned accede to the wishes of the Government of Saskatchewan to have an opportunity in conference with the Federal Government to set forth the claim of Saskatchewan with respect to its public domain;

And be it further resolved that in the opinion of this House the Government of Saskatchewan should urge upon the Dominion Govern-

ment the expediency of arranging without delay,-

(a) For a transfer to Saskatchewan of the public domain within its borders now held by the Dominion of Canada.

(b) For full compensation for such portions of the public domain

as have been alienated for Dominion purposes.

(c) For the securing of access to Ports Nelson and Churchill on Hudson's Bay."

And the Question being put on the amendment to the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

#### YEAS.

### Messieurs

Calder	Sheppard	Ens
Turgeon	Bell	$\operatorname{Smith}$
Langley	Mitchell	Stewart
Nolin	Scott (Arm River)	Simpson
Garry	Finlayson	${ m MacNeill}$
Atkinson	McNab	Robertson
Stevenson	Johnston (Pelly)—20	

#### NAYS.

# Messieurs

Haultain	Elliott	Gillis
McDonald	Donaldson	Wellington
Tate	Whitmore	Bradshaw
Riddell	Anderson	Willway—12

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The Question on the amendment as amended being proposed, It was moved in amendment to the amendment by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott,

That all the words after "that" to the end of the amendment be struck out and the following substituted therefor:

Whereas it is the declared policy of the Government of Canada to restore the public lands to the Western Provinces:

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House negotiations should at once be commenced by the Government of Saskatchewan with a view to obtaining from the Dominion,—

- (1) The beneficial interest in and control of all Crown lands, minerals, timber and waters in the Province,
- (2) Compensation for all lands alienated by the Dominion for purely Federal purposes including purchased homesteads and preemptions,
- (3) A right of way to Ports Nelson and Churchill on Hudson's Bay similar to that proposed to be granted to Ontario.

And the Question being put on the amendment to the amendment, On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 40) to amend The City Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 40) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 61) to amend The Statute Law, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

# In the Committee.

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Telephones Chargeable to Capital (Telephone Construction).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912,

for Miscellaneous.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) re-

ported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

And then the House adjourned at 11.55 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, THURSDAY MARCH 14, 1912.

10.30 o'clock A.M.

The Clerk informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker.

Whereupon Mr. Sheppard (Moose Jaw County), Deputy Speaker, took the Chair, pursuant to the Statute in that case made and provided.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 40) to amend The City Act.
Ordered, That the Bill (No. 40) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The City Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 70) to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Cooperative Elevator Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 70) to amend An Act to incorporate the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee

have leave to sit again today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 69) respecting the Construction and Improvement of Public Highways, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 69) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 69) respecting the Construction and Improvement of Public Highways.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 69) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Construction and Improvement of Public Highways."

Moved by Mr. Ens, seconded by Mr. Langley,

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return

showing:

All correspondence between the Government of the Province and the Government of Canada concerning the entry into Canada and the deportation of immigrants suffering from trachoma.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Ens,

That in the opinion of this House the present system of imposing tolls for the use of ferries in this Province is an undesirable one and should be abolished.

And the Question being proposed,

A Point of Order being raised that the motion was out of Order, Mr. Speaker ruled that the Point of Order was well taken.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

### In the Committee.

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four hundred and sixty-three thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fixed way and in February 98, 1012, for Public Debt

the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Debt.

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-nine thousand one hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand two hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Railway and Tele-

phone Department).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-seven thousand and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand one hundred and ninety dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Government Printer's Office).

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-seven thousand five hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty for the

fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Legislation.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received today and the House will

today resolve itself into said Committee.

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the amendment moved by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott, to the amendment moved by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, to the Resolution moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Sheppard.

And the debate continuing,

A Point of Order being raised that the amendment to the amendment moved by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott, was out of order.

, Mr. Speaker decided that the Point of Order was well taken.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned and the order be placed at the foot of the Order paper for today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 59) to amend The Legislative Assembly Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 59) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 59) to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr.

Wellington,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time but that the Order for the third reading of the same be discharged and the said Bill referred back to the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of making provision therein for giving to the Cities of Prince Albert, Saskatoon, Regina, and Moose Jaw further representation more nearly based on the principle of representation by population.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows

### YEAS.

### Messieurs

Haultain	Elliott	$\operatorname{Gillis}$
McDonald	$\mathbf{Donaldson}$	Wellington
$\operatorname{Tate}$	Whitmore	Bradshaw
$\operatorname{Riddell}$	${f Anderson}$	Willway—12

#### NAYS.

#### Messieurs

Calder	Bole	$\operatorname{Smith}$
Turgeon	${f Mitchell}$	Stewart
Nolin	Johnston (Pelly)	Simpson
Garry	Scott (Arm River)	${ m MacNeill}$
Atkinson	Finlayson	Robertson
Stevenson	McNab	$\operatorname{Totzke}$
Bell	Ens-20	

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 59) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 71) to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 71) to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 71) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 71) to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 71) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the amendment moved by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott, to the amendment moved by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, to the Resolution moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Sheppard.

It was moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

That the Order of the Day for the adjourned debate on the amendment moved by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott, to the amendment moved by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, to the Resolution moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Sheppard, be discharged.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising, And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That in the opinion of this House the Government of Saskatchewan should proceed with negotiations with the Government of Canada as speedily as possible for the purpose of bringing about a settlement of all matters pertaining or relating to the question of the ownership and control of the public domain within Saskatchewan and more particularly for the purpose of obtaining from the Federal authorities:

1. A transfer to the Province of the public domain within its limits

now held by the Dominion of Canada.

2. Compensation to the Province for all lands and other natural

resources disposed of by the Dominion for Federal purposes.

3. Access for the Province for railway purposes to Ports Nelson and Churchill on Hudson's Bay.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 72) to amend The Athabaska Election Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 72) to amend The Athabaska Election Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 72) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 72) to amend The Athabaska Election Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 72) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Athabaska Election Act."

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 70) to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 70) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 70) to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Cooperative Elevator Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 70) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intitule! "An Act to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 66) to amend The Land Titles Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 64) to regulate the Employment of Children and for the Protection thereof.

On motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Calder,

Ordered, That the Order for the second reading of the Bill (No. 64) to regulate the Employment of Children and for the Protection thereof, be discharged.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 61) to amend The Statute Law, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

'The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

# In the Committee.

No. 22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and three thousand one hundred and fifty-one dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings—Salaries and Maintenance and Repairs).

No. 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income

(Public Improvements, Surveys, etc.).

No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-five thousand two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to

Capital (Public Buildings—Construction).

No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).

No. 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Miscellaneous

Services).

No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Elevators).

No. 40. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending

February 28, 1913, for Miscellaneous.

No. 43. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings).

No. 44. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).

No. 45. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913,

for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous).

Resolutions to be Reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

And then the House adjourned at 11.55 o'clock p.m.

# REGINA, FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1912.

10.30 o'clock A.M.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. McNab,

Ordered, That the Resolutions from the Committee of Supply for the Financial Year ending February 29, 1912, be now read the first time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. McNab,

Ordered, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-nine thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven dollars and twenty-three cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-six thousand two hundred and five dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Legislation.

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912,

for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Administration of The Liquor License Act).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Telephones, Chargeable to Income (Telephones, Maintenance and Operation).

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Telephones Chargeable to Capital (Telephone Construction).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, for Miscellaneous.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the Resolutions from the Committee of Supply for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1913, be now read a first time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a first time. On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four hundred and sixty-three thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand one hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Lieutenant Governor's Office).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-one thousand seven hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Attorney

General's Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eight thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand four hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Treasury Depart-

ment).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-eight thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Public Works Department).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-six thousand four hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-nine thousand one hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Education

Department).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand two hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Railway and Telephone Department).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-seven thousand and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand one hundred and ninety dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Government Printer's Office).

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-seven thousand five hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty for the

fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Legislation.

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eighty-four thousand four hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Police Magistrates'

Courts).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-two thousand one hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and No. 18. forty-five thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice

(Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty-eight thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-seven thousand three hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice

(Administration of Liquor License Act).

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).

- Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and three thousand one hundred and fifty-one dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings—Salaries and Maintenance and Repairs).
- No. 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Improvements, Surveys, etc.).
- No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-five thousand two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Miscellaneous Services).
- No. 25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings—Construction).
- No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).
- No. 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Miscellaneous Services).
- No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Elevators).
- No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred and eighty-five thousand one hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Education.

- No. 30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Agricultural Interests Generally).
- No. 31. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eighteen thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Live Stock Industry).
- No. 32. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and eighteen thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).
- No. 33. Resolved, That sum not exceeding twenty-three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).
- No. 34. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bacteriological Laboratory).
- No. 35. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Control and Game Protection).
- No. 36. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-nine thousand two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bureau of Labour).
- No. 37. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).
- No. 38. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Bureau of Public Health.
- No. 39. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding nineteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Neglected and Dependent Children.
- No. 40. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Miscellaneous.
- No. 41. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Telephones Chargeable to Income (Telephones, Maintenance and Operation).
- No. 42. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Telephones Chargeable to Capital (Telephone Construction).

No. 43. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings).

No. 44. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).

No. 45. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous).

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Ways and Means.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. McNab, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Willway, seconded by Mr. Anderson,

That all the words after "that" to the end of the Question be

left out and that the following be substituted:

"In the opinion of this House the policy of the Government in the matter of the expenditure of public money on roads, culverts and small bridges by road and bridge gangs is not in the best interest of the Province, and that expenditure of that nature should be intrusted to the Councils of the Rural Municipalities and Local Improvement Districts."

And the Question being put on the amendment,

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

### YEAS.

#### Messieurs

Haultain	Elliott	Gillis
Wylie	Donaldson	Wellington
McDonald	Bradshaw	Tate
Whitmore	Willway	Anderson—12

#### NAYS.

#### Messieurs

Sheppard	McNab
Ens	Bell
Langley	Bole
Nolin	Mitchell
Garry	Johnston (Pelly)
Atkinson	Scott (Arm River)
Finlayson	Stevenson—21
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So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Ways and Means.

### In the Committee.

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, the sum of eight million nine hundred and forty-one thousand five hundred and ninety-three dollars and fifty cents be granted out of the General Revenue of the Province.

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, the sum of one million eighty-one thousand two hundred and thirty-two dollars and twenty-three cents be granted out of the General Revenue of the Province.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the Resolutions from the Committee of Ways and Means be now read a first time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a first time. On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Ordered, That the Resolutions be now read a second time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Years ending respectively the Twenty-ninth day of February, 1912, and the Twenty-eighth day of February, 1913.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received

and read the first time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time. The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be read a third time today.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Years ending respectively the Twenty-ninth day of February 1912, and the Twenty-eighth day of February 1913."

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That an humble Address be adopted by this House for presentation to His Royal Highness the Governor General of Canada as follows:

To Field Marshal, His Royal Highness Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert, Duke of Connaught and of Strathearn, etc., etc., Governor General of the Dominion of Canada.

### MAY IT PLEASE YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESS:

We, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewau in Session assembled, humbly approach Your Royal Highness for the purpose of representing: That one of the fundamental principles of the Canadian Confederation is that all the Provinces which form part of the said Confederation should be in a position of absolute equality in respect of legislative jurisdiction and financial and other assistance, grants and concessions received from the Federal Government; and that it has been found necessary in the past to make such changes and readjustments as were required from time to time to be made to bring about, preserve or restore such equality;

That a necessary condition for the maintenance and strengthening of the said Confederation is that the people inhabiting each of the several provinces should possess such facilities for the proper and profitable carrying on of their various industries, pursuits and occupations as they may enjoy without detriment to the interests of Canada as a whole or of the Empire, and it the duty of the Federal authorities to endeavour to secure such facilities for the people of each of the said several provinces when it is within the scope of federal jurisdiction to secure them;

That in the opinion of your memorialists the Province of Saskatchewan is not in a position of equality with most of the other provinces of the Dominion in regard to the exercise of the important power of taxation, in view of the fact that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company enjoys, by virtue of a Federal Act, exemption from taxation in this Province;

That by reason of an extension of territory now being granted to the Provinces of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec, furnishing these Provinces with access to Hudson Bay, accompanied by a complete readjustment of the financial terms of the said Province of Manitoba, the principle of equality of treatment is not being observed in so far as the Province of Saskatchewan is concerned;

That by reason of the said extension of territory granted to the aforesaid provinces and the readjustment of the financial terms of Manitoba, it is more than ever imperative in order to do justice to the claims of Saskatchewan, that immediate steps should be taken to grant to Saskatchewan the ownership and control of her public domain;

That the production of grain is the most important industry of the people of Saskatchewan and it is of imperative necessity in view of the rapidly increasing quantity of the said production that new markets be secured for the grain producers of Saskatchewan at as early a date as possible; that the market of the United States is recognised as one of the best and most available markets for the Saskatchewan producer and that the federal authorities should endeavour by means of a reciprocal pact or otherwise to bring about a removal of the tariff barrier that now excludes Saskatchewan products from the United States market;

That another urgent necessity for the profitable carrying on the grain growing industry in Saskatchewan is the securing of additional outlets for our grain products; that the calamitous experiences of the past season have demonstrated the insufficiency of the present outlets, and that more particularly the Hudson Bay Railway, operating in conjunction with a line of steamers between a port on Hudson Bay and Great Britain, should be pushed on to a speedy completion;

That we do therefore most humbly pray that Your Royal Highness will cause such action to be taken as will bring about the following measures of relief for the people of the Province of Saskatchewan:

(a) The removal of the exemption from taxation now enjoyed

by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company;

(b) Access for Saskatchewan to a port on Hudson Bay;

(c) The granting to the Province of the public domain within its limits;

(d) Free access to the market of the United States for the grain

products of Saskatchewan;

(e) New outlets for our farm products and more particularly a speedy completion of the Hudson Bay Railway with a line of steamers from the Bay to Great Britain.

All which we humbly pray Your Royal Highness to take into

your most favourable consideration.

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

Legislative Assembly Chambers,

Regina, Sask., March , 1912.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

A Point of Order was raised that the motion is out of Order.

Mr. Speaker ruled that the motion is in order.

Mr. Haultain then appealed from the ruling of the Chair.

Mr. Speaker said: Shall the decision of the Chair be sustained by the House?

And the Question being put, the ruling of the Speaker was sus-

tained on the following division:

# YEAS. Messieurs

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Calder	McNab	Turgeon
Ens	$\operatorname{Bell}$	Smith
Langley	Bole	Stewart
Nolin	Mitchell	Simpson
Garry	Johnston (Pelly)	${ m MacNeill}$
Atkinson	Scott (Arm River)	Robertson
Finlayson	Stevenson—20	
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#### Messieurs

Haultain	Elliott	Gillis
Wylie	Donaldson	Bradshaw
McDonald	Johnston (Kinistino)	Wellington
Tate	Whitmore	Willway
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And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott,

That the said Address be amended by striking out the sixth paragraph thereof and by adding after the word "limits" in subclause (c) thereof the following words:

"and compensation to the Province for all lands and natural

resources disposed of by the Dominion for federal purposes."

And the Question being put on the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed, It passed on division in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed,

The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

# YEAS. The American Committee and the little

# Messieurs

Calder	Sheppard	McNab
Turgeon	Ens	$\operatorname{Bell}$
Smith	Langley	Bole
Stewart	Nolin	Simpson
Garry	MacNeill	Atkinson
Scott (Arm River)	Robertson	Finlayson
Stevenson	Johnston (Kinistino)	Tate-21

#### NAYS.

#### Messieurs

Haultain	$\mathbf{Elliott}$	$\mathbf{Gillis}$
Wylie	Donaldson	Wellington
McDonald	Bradshaw	Whitmore
Willway	Anderson-11	

So it passed in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Tate, seconded by Mr. Whitmore, Resolved, That this House heartily approves of the action of the Government of Canada in refusing to renew the bounties on steel.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 66) to amend The Land Titles Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered That the Bill (No. 66) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 66) to amend The Land Titles  $\Lambda$ et.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 66) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Land Titles Act."

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 61) to amend The Statute Law, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to. Ordered, That the Bill (No. 61) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 61) to amend The Statute Law.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 61) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Statute Law."

6 o'clock P.M.

His Honour George William Brown, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan, being seated on the Throne.

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the titles of the Bills to be assented to as follows:

An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

An Act respecting the Demise of the Crown.

An Act to amend The School Grants Act.

An Act relating to Fire Insurance.

An Act to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, being chapter 46 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan 1910-11.

An Act respecting Hawkers and Pedlers.

An Act to amend The Local Improvements Act.

An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

An Act to amend chapter 37 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1891-92 being An Ordinance to incorporate The Assiniboia Club.

An Act to incorporate The Colonial Club of the City of Moose Jaw.

An Act respecting the Young Men's Christian Association of Saskatoon.

An Act to incorporate The Battleford Security Corporation, Limited.

An Act to incorporate La Corporation Episcopale Catholique Romaine de Regina.

An Act to incorporate the Roman Catholic Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Regina.

An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act.

An Act respecting Auctioneers.

An Act to regulate the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways.

An Act to amend The Village Act.

An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

An Act for the Prevention and Suppression of Fires.

An Act for the Protection of Persons Employed in the Construction of Buildings.

An Act respecting Offensive Weapons.

An Act to incorporate The Watrous Radial Railway Company. An Act to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Investment and Trust Company.

An Act to incorporate The Inter-Ocean Trust Company.

An Act to incorporate The Wascana Country Club.

An Act to incorporate The Saskatoon Electric Railway and Power Company.

An Act to amend a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon

concerning the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon

regarding the Street Railway.

An Act to authorise Arsene Godin to Practise Medicine in the Province of Saskatchewan.

An Act to authorise Joseph Henri A. Gravel to Practise Medicine in the Province of Saskatchewan.

An Act to amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

An Act to amend An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company.

An Act to amend An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

An Act to amend An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway Company.

An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

An Act to ratify Certain Agreements between His Majesty the King and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

An Act to protect Horse Breeders.

An Act to authorise Hail Insurance by Municipalities. An Act respecting the Support of Illegitimate Children.

An Act respecting St. Paul's Separate School District No. 20 of Saskatchewan.

An Act to incorporate The Canadian Northern Saskatchewan Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate The Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

An Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the City of Saskatoon.

An Act to incorporate Executors and Administrators Trust Company.

An Act to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Public Parks in the City of Saskatoon.

An Act to incorporate The Western Canada Investment Company.

An Act to incorporate the Village of Wadena as a Town Municipality.

An Act respecting the City of Moose Jaw.

An Act to incorporate The Saskatoon Transfer Railway Company.

An Act respecting the Town of Watrous.

An Act to amend The School Act.

An Act to prevent the Employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities.

An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the

Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

An Act for raising money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

An Act to amend The Public Improvements Loan Act.

An Act to amend The Town Act.

An Act to incorporate The Prince Albert Club.

An Act to authorise James Arthur McEwen to Practise Medicine in the Province of Saskatchewan.

An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

An Act to amend The City Act.

An Act respecting the Construction and Improvement of Public Highways.

An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.

An Act to amend The Athabaska Election Act.

An Act to amend chapter 39 of The Statutes of 1910-11 intituled An Act to incorporate the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

An Act to amend The Statute Law.

The assent to these Bills was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"In His Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth

assent to these Bills."

Mr. Speaker then said:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan in session assembled, approach Your Honour at the close of their labours with sentiments of unfeigned loyalty and humbly beg to present for Your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Years ending respectively the twenty-ninth day of February, 1912, and the twenty-eighth day of February, 1913," thus placing at the disposal of His Majesty the means by which the Government can be made efficient for the service and welfare of the Province.

The assent to this Bill was announced by the Clerk of the Legis-

lative Assembly in the following words:

"In His Majesty's name His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth thank the Legislative Assembly, accepts their benevolence and assents to this Bill."

His Honour then delivered the following speech:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

I am pleased to relieve you from your attendance upon the present Session of the Legislative Assembly, which has been fruitful of a large amount of useful and beneficial legislation. The unanimous action you have taken in relation to the public domain within this Province we may all trust will meet with early recognition and approval at the hands of the Federal authorities.

The redistribution of the representation of the Province in this House has been accomplished with general appreciation, the principles of the representation of both population and area having been given full consideration.

You have done much to advance the settlement of the general transportation question, both by your legislation and generous grants towards the construction and improvement of permanent highways throughout the Province as well as by the valuable assistance you have given towards the construction of railway facilities by the guarantee of bonds to raise money for such purposes.

The prospects of the season just commencing are bright, and we

may join in the hope that they may be fully realised by all.

I have to thank you for the liberal provision you have made for the public service, and I now take leave of you in the full belief that the Divine blessing will rest upon you and your labours here.

The Hon. Mr. Turgeon then said:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

It is His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's will and pleasure that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued until it pleases His Honour to summon the same for the despatch of business, and the Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

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# ARRANGED NUMERICALLY.

- 1.—Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ended February 28, 1911.
  - 2.—Statement of Special Warrants issued during the year 1910-11.
- 3.—Sixth Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture of the Province of Saskatchewan 1910.
- 4.—Annual Report of the Provincial Secretary including the Report of the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies of the Province of Saskatchewan 1910-11.
- 5.—The Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1911.
- 6.—Correspondence and Papers respecting and issue of Treasury Bills authorised by the Lieutenant Governor in Council on November 20, 1911.
- 7.—Statement of Remission of penalties and forfeitures as required by Chapter 29 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.
- 8.—Annual Report of Regina Jail for Fiscal Year ending February 28, 1911.

Annual Report of Prince Albert Jail for Fiscal Year ending

February 28, 1911.

Annual Report of Moosomin Jail for Fiscal Year ending February 28, 1911.

- 9.—The Annual Report of the Department of Public Works of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year 1910-11.
- 10.—The Annual Report of the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ended February 28, 1911.

11.—Annual Report under the provisions of Section 60 of The Liquor License Act by the Attorney General, November, 1910-January, 1912.

Convictions under Liquor License Act from November, 1910, until January, 1912.

Bartenders' Licenses issued for the year ending June 30, 1912.

- 12.—A Report of the organisation and general work of The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company up to December 31, 1911.
- 13.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 1, 1912, showing:
  - 1. The number of Rural Municipalities organised in Saskatchewan, showing the year of their organisation.
  - 2. The number of existing Local Improvement Districts.
  - 3. The total number of townships included in small Local Improvement Districts in 1905.
  - 4. The total number of townships included in Rural Municipalities or Local Improvement Districts on December 31, 1911.
- 14.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 1, 1912, showing:
  - 1. A list of the elevators purchased or erected to date by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.
  - 2. The location and cost of each such elevator.
  - 3. The amount advanced by the Government to the Company for the purchase or erection of the said elevators.
- 15.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 1, 1912, showing:
  - 1. The number of purebred animals purchased by or for the use of the College of Agriculture.
  - 2. The number purchased in each province in Canada and the number purchased elsewhere.
  - 3. The name and registered number of each animal in each class, the person from whom purchased and the price paid.
- 16.—Statement of Remissions made by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor during the Fiscal Year 1910-11 under the authority of section 63 of The Treasury Department Act.
- 17.—All correspondence between this Government and the Government of Canada in regard to the natural resources of Saskatchewan.
- 18.—Annual Report of the Department of Education of the Province of Saskatchewan 1910.
- 19.—All correspondence relating to the claim of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Extension of Boundaries to Hudson Bay.

20.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:

- 1. Remuneration including travelling expenses and subsistence paid to Registrars and Revising Officers in compiling Voters' List 1911 in each Electoral Division.
- 2. Total cost of Voters' Lists including printing for the Province.

21.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:

Amounts paid The Leader Publishing Company, The Leader Times Company and The Saskatchewan Courier for printing and advertising during 1910 and 1911.

- 22.—Return to An Order of the House dated February 16, 1912, showing:
  - 1. The number of creameries operated in Saskatchewan during each of the years 1910 and 1911.
  - 2. The number of creameries operated in Saskatchewan by the Government during each of the said years.
  - 3 The aggregate number of patrons of government operated creameries, the aggregate make of butter at such creameries, and the average of butter per government operated creamery in the summer season of each of the years 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911.
  - 4. The same information as in number 3 in respect to the winter seasons of 1908-9, 1909-10, 1910-11, 1911-12 to date respectively.
  - 5. The names of all creamery companies having a government loan outstanding, the principal amount of each such loan, and the aggregate amount of all such loans.
  - 6. The number of loans, if any, any portion of which is overdue, the name of the creamery company so in default, and the extent to which each is in default.
- 23.—The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 29, 1912, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.
- 24.—The Lieutenaut Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 28, 1913, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.
- 25.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 16, 1912, showing:
  - 1. The receipts from the provincial telephone system during each fiscal year since the Government undertook operation of this public utility.

- 2. The expenditures on capital account during each of the said years in purchasing, extending and improving the provincial telephone system.
  - 3. The cost of maintaining and operating the system for each of these years.
- 26.—Correspondence re Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Exemption from Taxation.
  - 27.—Correspondence re 1910-11 School Lands resolution.
- 28.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:
  - 1. The number of Rural Telephone Companies organised in the Province during each of the years 1908-11 included.
  - 2. The total number of stockholders in these Companies and the total capitalisation of the companies.
  - 3. The total number of pole miles built by these Companies during each of the years mentioned.
  - 4. The number of telephone subscribers served by the said Companies during each of the said years.
- 29.—Return to an Order of the House dated February 2, 1912, showing:
  - 1. The mileage of each line of railway the bonds of which have been guaranteed by the Government.
  - 2. The number of miles of grading on each such line and the number of miles of steel laid during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911.
  - 3. The total miles of grading on these lines now ready for steel.
  - 4. The total mileage of these lines upon which no grading has as yet been done.
  - 5 The number of miles of railway completed by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in Saskatchewan during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911.
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