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Lieutenant Governor.

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CANADA:
PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN.

PROCLAMATION

EDWARD THE SEVENTH, 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:

FRANK FORD, }
Deputy Attorney General } **W**HEREAS, it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Saskatchewan, We do WILL that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on THURSDAY, the EIGHTEENTH day of the month of NOVEMBER 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 AMEDEE EMMANUEL FORGET, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of Saskatchewan.

At Our Government House in Our City of Regina in Our said Province the FIFTEENTH day of OCTOBER in the year of Our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and nine and in the Ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
EDW. J. WRIGHT,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

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SECOND SESSION--SECOND LEGISLATURE

REGINA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

This being the first day of the Second Session of the Second Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, for the Despatch of Business, pursuant to a Proclamation of His Honour Amedee Emmanuel Forget, Lieutenant Governor of the said Province, dated the fifteenth day of October, 1909, 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 my privilege and pleasure to welcome you to the Second Session of the Second Legislature of the Province.

The encouraging prospects of Saskatchewan to which I was able to refer at the time of your last session have been realised during the intervening period to a degree exceeding the most sanguine expectations. The industry of our people in the season now ending has been very abundantly blessed. The estimated aggregate yield of grains shows an increase over former years so remarkable as to attract in a notable manner the attention of the people of other Provinces and countries, and places Saskatchewan in an unrivalled and unchallenged position as the foremost grain producing Province in Canada. An increase from 9,000,000 bushels and 37,000,000 bushels ten years ago and five years ago respectively, to no less than 200,000,000 bushels in the present year, may be truly described as a remarkable record. Our 80,000,000 bushels wheat crop of 1909 exceeds the highest records of any of the States of the American Union excepting only Kansas and Minnesota. Its signifi-

cance has been strikingly illustrated by His Excellency the Governor General who points to the fact that less than one-tenth of Saskatchewan's wheat lands has this season produced a wheat crop rather more than equalling one-tenth of the largest wheat yield of the whole of the United States in any single season. A gratifying feature of recent development is the demonstration that has been made of the suitability for cereal production of a large area of land in the south-western part of the Province, the fitness of which for agricultural purposes had been a matter of some doubt.

The bountiful harvest yields of unusually high grade grain, together with the excellent price which the producers are receiving for it, and the welcome absence this year of the acute traffic congestion which caused serious losses in preceding years, combine to make our staple industry a highly profitable one. An immediate effect in all probability will be seen in the continuance or even an enlargement of the stream of desirable new settlers into the Province whose coming may be expected to enable Saskatchewan to maintain the rapidity of growth to which I have alluded. We have every reason to give humble and heartfelt thanks to Providence for the abundant blessings showered upon our Province.

Good progress is being made by the contractors upon the construction of the Legislative and Executive building, the corner stone of which was laid with impressive and dignified ceremony on October 4 last by His Excellency Earl Grey, Governor General of Canada. I am sure that the people of our Province were delighted that His Excellency, who has won a warm and abiding place in all our hearts, graciously acceded to my invitation to visit us once again and perform this task. It is hoped that one year hence the permanent home of the Legislative Assembly will be ready for occupation. As the work upon the building and its surroundings proceeds, more and more is it recognised that my Government in selecting its location made a wise and happy choice.

Announcement has been made of the completion of the exploratory survey for the proposed railway to Hudson's Bay by the Dominion Government. In view of the urgency which exists for the construction of the road I am sure you will join with me in expressing the hope that actual building operations will be commenced at an early date.

The question of branch railway extension remains the most pressing problem in this Province, and has claimed the almost incessant attention of my Government during the year. An encouraging amount of work has been accomplished by the several railway companies on the programme adopted by you during your last session. Further measures on the subject will be submitted for your consideration.

Amongst other Bills which will be submitted to you is a Bill relating to Public Health, Bills respecting Drainage and Water Courses, a Bill providing for inspection of Factories, a Bill concerning the law of Libel, and a Bill to enable the granting of Petitions of Right.

Negotiations have been satisfactorily concluded for the acquisition by the Province of the systems of the Bell Telephone Company and the Saskatchewan Telephone Company. In accordance with the policy adopted by you long distance telephones within the Province are now exclusively owned and operated by the Government. Particulars of the contracts will be laid before you.

It is gratifying to note that the scheme of rural municipal government instituted by you at your last session has already been adopted by a large portion of our people, seventy-two rural municipalities having been formed during the first year of the operation of the Act.

Pursuant to an Address adopted by you on January 11, 1909, I issued my Commission to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands to inquire into and investigate all matters and things pertaining to a certain contract made by my Government through the Commissioner of Education, with the Morang Educational Company, Limited, of Toronto. The inquiry has been held. You will be pleased, I am sure, to know that the findings of the Commissioners have completely vindicated and exonerated the Commissioner of Education and the contracting Company in the matter of accusations which led to the inquiry. A report of the evidence taken and the conclusions of the Commissioners will be presented to you.

During the year the Board of Governors of the University of Saskatchewan decided upon the location of that important institution and preparations are now under way for the erection of such buildings as are urgently required. As a result of the policy adopted by my Government and approved by the First Legislature it is confidently expected that within a comparatively short time the Provincial University will be fully equipped to give instruction in all the higher branches of learning. Provision has already been made for a full Arts course and within the year it is the intention of the University authorities to organise an Agricultural College upon an approved modern plan. I feel confident that you will join with me in wishing this most important state institution every success in its undertaking.

At a conference held between the Premiers of Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan and the Joint Grain Growers' Executive the establishment of a system of Government elevators for the three Provinces was fully discussed and the proposition was later carefully considered by the three Governments concerned. It was admitted at the conference both by the Premiers and by the members of the Grain Growers' Executive who were present that the scheme could not be carried on advantageously unless a Government monopoly were established. Inasmuch as a very grave doubt exists as to the power of the Provinces to create such a monopoly it was deemed unwise to proceed further with the matter under present conditions and the suggestion was offered that certain amendments to The British North America Act should be secured conferring upon the Provinces the powers which they do not seem to possess. Up to the present the Grain Growers' Executive have not intimated their willingness to join or approve an effort to obtain such amendments.

The accounts for the financial year will be laid before you, and estimates for next year will be submitted to you.

I now invite your best attention to the business of the session and invoke the Divine blessing on your deliberations.

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott 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, and

Ordered, To be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

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

Ordered, That the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor be taken into consideration on Monday next.

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

Ordered, That the Votes and Proceedings of this House be printed 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.

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

Ordered, 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 examine and inquire into 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.

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

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

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.

And then the House adjourned at 3.30 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of the City of Regina praying for an Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina.

By Mr. Bole,—Of William Thomas Mollard and five others praying for the incorporation of the Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

Mr. Scott 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 Wellington, Bradshaw, Whitmore, Riddell, Atkinson, Stevenson, Smith, Simpson, Bell, Sheppard, Stewart, Nolin, Calder, and that five shall be a quorum.

PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS.—Messieurs Scott (Arm River), Gillis, Wylie, McDonald, Anderson, Johnston (Kinistino), Willway, Tate, Bole, Turgeon, Lisle, Mitchell, Ens, Garry, Johnston (Pelly), MacNeill, Totzke, Finlayson, Robertson, McNab, and that seven shall be a quorum.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RAILWAYS.—Messieurs Scott (Swift Current), Haultain, Elliott, Wellington, Bradshaw, Whitmore, Johnston (Kinistino), Donaldson, Scott (Arm River), Turgeon, Pierce, Smith, Mitchell, Ens, Simpson, Garry, Langley, Bell, Sheppard, Stewart, and that seven shall be a quorum.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND PRINTING.—Messieurs Bole, Elliott, Gillis, Haultain, Donaldson, Tate, Johnston (Kinistino), McDonald, Atkinson, Stevenson, Mitchell, Johnston (Pelly), MacNeill, Bell, Totzke, Finlayson, Robertson, Nolin, Calder, McNab, and that seven shall be a quorum.

AGRICULTURAL AND MUNICIPAL LAW.—Messieurs Riddell, Anderson, Donaldson, Wylie, Willway, Tate, Elliott, Gillis, Bole, Scott (Arm River), Stevenson, Lisle, Smith, Ens, Simpson, Garry, Langley, Sheppard, Stewart, Finlayson, Nolin, Motherwell, McNab, and that eight shall be a quorum.

LAW AMENDMENTS.—Messieurs Turgeon, Haultain, Wylie, Whitmore, Willway, Pierce, Lisle, Johnston (Pelly), Scott (Swift Current), MacNeill, Robertson, and that five shall be a quorum.

EDUCATION.—Messieurs Bole, Haultain, Bradshaw, Tate, Wellington, McDonald, Anderson, Riddell, Atkinson, Pierce, Lisle, Smith, Ens, Garry, Totzke, Sheppard, Stewart, Nolin, Calder, Motherwell, and that seven shall be a quorum.

LIBRARY.—Mr. Speaker and Messieurs Elliott, Bradshaw, Whitmore, Bell, Langley, Simpson, Mitchell, Motherwell, and that four shall be a quorum.

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

Resolved, That this House doth concur in the Report of the Special Committee appointed to prepare and report lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of the House.

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, 1909. (Sessional Paper No. 1.)

Statement of Special Warrants issued during the year 1908-9. (Sessional Paper No. 2.)

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

Ordered, That the Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1909, and the

Statement of Special Warrants during the year 1908-9 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:

Annual Report of the Provincial Secretary including the Report of the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies of the Province of Saskatchewan, 1908-9. (Sessional Paper No. 3.)

Fourth Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture of the Province of Saskatchewan, 1908. (Sessional Paper No. 4.)

And then the house adjourned at 3.15 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK, P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bradshaw,—Of Mere St. Sylvestre and two others praying for the incorporation of Les Filles de la Providence.

By Mr. Ens,—Of G. C. Dick and eight others praying for the incorporation of The German-English Academy.

By Mr. Garry,—Of C. W. R. Pearson and seven others praying for the incorporation of The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Association, Limited.

By Mr. Bole,—Of Thomas B. Coombes and Henry M. Napp praying for an Act vesting in the Governing Council of the Salvation Army in Canada all the property now held by or vested in trust in any person or persons by the Salvation Army and other things.

By Mr. Bole,—Of W. M. Martin and five others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Midland Railway Company.

By Mr. Bole,—Of N. F. Hagel and six others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Southern Railway Company.

By Mr. Bole,—Of J. H. Parsons and five others praying for the incorporation of The Regina Southern Railway Company.

By Mr. Ens,—Of B. J. Friesen and four others praying for the incorporation of The Alexandra Hospital.

By Mr. Ens,—Of David Dyck and eight others praying for the incorporation of The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Drainage.

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. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Construction and Maintenance of Small Ditches by the Owners of Lands to be benefited.

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 Actions for Libel and Slander.

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 Suits against the Crown by Petition of Right.

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 The School Assessment Ordinance.

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 Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying His Honour that he will be pleased to cause to be laid on the Table of the House a Return showing:

All letters, telegrams or other communications between the Government of Canada and the Government of this Province, or any Member or Members thereof respectively, relating to the question of the acquisition by the Government of Canada of terminal elevators.

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. Lisle, seconded by Mr. Mitchell,

That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour Amedee Emmanuel Forget, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan as follows:

To His Honour Amédée Emmanuel Forget, 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. Scott, seconded by Mr. Calder,
 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.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,
 Ordered, That this House will on Wednesday next resolve itself
 into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to His
 Majesty.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,
 Ordered, 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 11 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were read and received:
 Of the City of Regina praying for an Act to ratify and confirm
 Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina.
 Of William Thomas Mollard and five others praying for the incor-
 poration of The Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

And then the House adjourned at 3.15 p.m.

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were read and received:
 Of Mere St. Sylvestre and two others praying for the incorporation
 of Les Filles de la Providence.
 Of G. C. Dick and eight others praying for the incorporation of
 The German-English Academy.
 Of C. W. R. Pearson and seven others praying for the incorpora-
 tion of The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Association, Limited.
 Of Thomas B. Coombes and Henry M. Napp praying for an Act
 vesting in the Governing Council of the Salvation Army in Canada all
 the property now held by or vested in trust in any person or persons
 by the Salvation Army and other things.
 Of B. J. Friesen and four others praying for the incorporation of
 The Alexandra Hospital at Rosthern.

Of David Dyck and eight others praying for the incorporation of The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan.

Of J. H. Parsons and five others praying for the incorporation of The Regina Southern 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 Regina praying for an Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina, and find that all 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 William Thomas Mollard and five others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, and find that all 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.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories.

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 Ordinance.

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 respecting the Raising of Loans authorised by the Legislature.

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.

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

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

1. The amount of taxes collected by the Government under Forfeiture Proceedings from December 15, 1908, to April 8, 1909.

2. The amount of costs charged in connection therewith and the number of quarter sections involved.

3. The amount of taxes collected since April 8, 1909, to November 1, 1909. The amount of costs in connection therewith. The number of sections affected thereby and the total amount of land now forfeited to the Government.

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

The total liability incurred by the Public Works Department in each Constituency for each of the months of June to November inclusive in the years 1908 to 1909.

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

1. The number of days Mr. A. L. Smith then of the Attorney General's office was away from Regina during May and June, 1909.
2. In what capacity?

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

The names, residence and post office address of the different parties, if any, to whom the Government paid money on account of loss caused by prairie fire during the year 1909, showing:

The amount paid to each.

Total number of applications for assistance received by the Government from parties who suffered loss by prairie fire.

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

All papers in any way relating to the appointment of Hyam Bolocan of Lipton to the Commission of the Peace.

On motion of Mr. Riddell, seconded by Mr. Donaldson,
 Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that His Honour will cause to be laid before this House a Return showing:

All petitions, letters, telegrams, commissions, evidence, reports, orders in council, and any other documents of any kind in any way relating to the appointment or reappointment of Thomas Gregson of Oxbow to the Commission of the Peace.

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

Commissioners' Report and Evidence submitted in relation to The Morang School Book inquiry. (Sessional Paper No. 5.)

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

Annual Report of the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones for the year ending February 28, 1909.

(Sessional Paper No. 6.)

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

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City 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 Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 1) respecting Drainage.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 4) respecting Suits against the Crown by Petition of Right.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 5) to amend The School Assessment Ordinance.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 1) respecting Drainage 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, NOVEMBER 25, 1909.

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 Mere St. Sylvestre and two others praying for the incorporation of Les Filles de la Providence, and find that all 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 G. C. Dick and eight others praying for the incorporation of The German-English Academy, and find that all 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 Thomas B. Coombes and Henry M. Napp praying for an Act vesting in the Governing Council of the Salvation Army in Canada all the property now held by or vested in trust in any person or persons by the Salvation Army and other things, and find that all 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 David Dyck and eight others praying for the incorporation of The Mennonite Brethren 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 B. J. Friesen and four others praying for the incorporation of The Alexandra Hospital of Rosthern, and find that all 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 J. H. Parsons and five others praying for the incorporation of The Regina Southern Railway Company, and find that all 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. Gillis asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to make a revision of the voters' lists during the year 1910.

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

The matter is receiving consideration. In view of local option elections it will probably be necessary to make amendments to the law.

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

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing the number of miles of railway constructed in the Province:

1. From September 1, 1905, to December 31, 1908.
2. From January 1, 1909, to date.

Ordered, That Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Medical Profession 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 Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Public Health.

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. Ens have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital.

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. Ens have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The German-English Academy.

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. Ens have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren 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. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Salvation Army.

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. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Regina Southern 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 Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bradshaw have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate Les Filles de la Providence.

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. 3) respecting Actions for Libel and Slander.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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) respecting Suits against the Crown by Petition of Right 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. 5) to amend The School Assessment Ordinance 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, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McDonald asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to form a new Judicial District in the southern portion of the Province with Weyburn as its centre. If so, when?

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

The Government has had under consideration a proposition to establish a Judicial District in the southern part of the Province with Weyburn as its centre but no decision in the matter has yet been arrived at.

Mr. Tate asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to introduce any amendment to The Liquor License Act during this Session.

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

The Government intends to introduce legislation amending The Liquor License Act, and especially that part of the Act relating to Local Option bylaws.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The City 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 Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Town 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 Tuesday next.

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 Tuesday 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 Tuesday next.

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 Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Land Surveyors.

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.

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

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

All correspondence relating to the appointment of J. J. Kitson of Weyburn, as a Justice of the Peace.

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

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

1. The date of the receipt of the Clerk of the Executive Council from the Revising Officer of the Voters' List for each of the Electoral Divisions in the Province.

2. The date on 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 (1) has been ordered to be printed (2) has been printed.

4. The date upon which each such printed list was received by the Government Printer.

5. The number of each such printed lists sent by the Clerk of the Executive Council to the persons named in subsection (2) of section 81 of The Saskatchewan Election Act, indicating the electoral division and the name of each person to whom lists were sent.

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

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

The amounts paid to the Leader and The Leader-Times Company for printing and advertising during the years 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908 and 1909, to date

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 2) respecting the Construction and Maintenance of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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) for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories.
The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 7) to amend The School Ordinance.
The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 the Raising of Loans authorised by the Legislature.
The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 9) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina.
The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 10) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts
Corporation.
The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 1) respecting Drainage 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 p.m.

REGINA, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bole.—Of The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation pray-
ing for an Act to amend Chapter 22, 1908-9.

By Mr. Sheppard,—Of Gardner Boggs and three others praying for the incorporation of The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company.

By Mr. Bradshaw,—Of Hon. T. H. McGuire and five others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Loan and Securities Company.

By Mr. Langley,—Of the Town of Arcola praying for an Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola.

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

Your Committee have examined the petition of C. W. R. Pearson and seven others praying for the incorporation of The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, Limited, and find that all 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. Anderson asked the Government the following question:

Has the Government received a petition signed by John Howat and 172 others praying the Government to use its influence to secure the extension of a certain line of railway from Theodore to Lockwood?

If so, what steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to comply with the request of the petitioners?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. Yes.
2. The Government both by correspondence and personal interview has urged upon the management of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company the desirability of constructing at an early date the branch of railway referred to.

Mr. McDonald asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to form a new judicial district north of the Qu'Appelle river, which will include any portion of the constituency of North Qu'Appelle.

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

The Government has not considered the establishment of a new judicial district north of the Qu'Appelle river including any portion of the constituency of North Qu'Appelle.

Mr. McDonald asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention to complete the road between MacDonald Hills and Dysart? If so, when?

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

During the season of 1907 the Department expended on road running north from Dysart \$400.75 and in the year 1908, \$2,520.88 making a total during the years 1907 and 1908 of \$2,921.63.

This road on which the above amount was expended was selected early in the year 1907 as the main road leading to Dysart from the

north. It is understood that about 3 miles of this road are still in an unfinished condition, and it is estimated that \$2,000 will be required to put it in good condition for travel.

The Department is not familiar with the present accommodation provided at Dysart, and it will therefore be a matter of future consideration as to whether an additional expenditure on this road will be warranted, either by the Department direct, or by assistance of municipal organisations, or if it should be completed by tax money collected by the Local Council.

Ordered, That Mr. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Herd Ordinance.

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. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Steam Boilers 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.

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

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

All correspondence, reports, plans, petitions, and other documents in any way relating to the survey of a road or trail through the farm of Charles E. Sturgill on River lots 29 and 30, township 46, range 25, west of the second meridian.

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

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

1. The amount paid by rural school districts into the Supplementary Revenue Fund since its inception to date.

2. The amount received by the rural school districts from the Supplementary Revenue Fund to date.

3. The amount of arrears, if any, still to be divided among the rural school districts.

4. The total number of rural school districts in existence. The number organised since March 1, 1907 and their area.

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

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

The aggregate amount expended in each electoral district of the province for public works during the financial year ended February 28, 1909.

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

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

A detailed statement of the account of Bunnell & Lindsay for \$12,610.55 for "tools and implements" supplied during the year ended February 28, 1909.

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

Annual report of the Department of Public Works of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year 1908-9 ending February 28, 1909.
(Sessional Paper No. 7.)

Ordered, That Mr. Garry have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, 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 Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 18) respecting Public Health.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 14) respecting the Salvation Army.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 15) to incorporate The Regina Southern Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 16) to incorporate Les Filles de la Providence.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 1) respecting Drainage 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. 2) respecting the Construction and

Maintenance of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited 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. 5) to amend The School Assessment Ordinance 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, NOVEMBER 30, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of The Great West Permanent Loan Company praying for an Act transferring the assets and business of The Great West Permanent Loan and Savings Company in them.

Mr. Smith, 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. 9) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Donaldson,

That a Provincial Commission be appointed with full power and authority to investigate and report on the public health of the Province having particular reference to the subject of typhoid fever.

The said motion was by leave of the House withdrawn.

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

Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that His Honour will cause to be laid before this House a return showing:

All correspondence in any way relating to the change in the original location of the Maryfield extension of the C.N.R. between Maryfield and Bienfait.

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 Thursday next.

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 from April 1, 1908, to October 31, 1909.

(Sessional Paper No. 8.)

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

All correspondence, etc., in connection with the purchase of the lines of The Bell Telephone Company.

All correspondence in connection with the purchase of the lines of The Saskatchewan Telephone Company.

(Sessional Paper No. 9.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 11) to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 12) to incorporate The German-English Academy.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 13) to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 2) respecting the Construction and Maintenance of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited 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. 3) respecting Actions for Libel and

Slander 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, DECEMBER 1, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation praying for an Act to amend Chapter 22, 1908-9.

Of Gardner Boggs and three others praying for the incorporation of The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company.

Of Hon. T. H. McGuire and five others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Loan and Securities Company.

Of the Town of Arcola praying for an Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola.

Of The Great West Permanent Loan Company praying for an Act transferring the assets and business of The Great West Permanent Loan and Savings Company in them.

Of W. M. Martin and five others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Midland Railway Company.

Of N. F. Hagel and six others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Southern Railway Company.

Mr. Smith, 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. 15) to incorporate The Regina Southern Railway Company.

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

Bill (No. 16) to incorporate Les Filles de la Providence.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Saskatchewan Association of Architects.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 24, 1909, showing:

The names, residence and post office addresses of the different parties, if any, to whom the Government paid money on account of loss caused by prairie fire during the year 1909, showing:

The amount paid to each.

Total number of applications for assistance received by the Government from parties who suffered loss by prairie fire.

(Sessional Paper No. 10.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 27) to incorporate The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, Limited.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 2) respecting the Construction and Maintenance of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited 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. 3) respecting Actions for Libel and Slander 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. 18) respecting Public Health 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 10 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1909.

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 Gardner Boggs and three others praying for the incorporation of The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company, and find that all 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 W. M. Martin and six others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Midland 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.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of N. F. Hagel and six others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Southern Railway Company, and find that the provisions of Rule 53 have been complied with, and that all the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with, except that there has only been one advertisement in The Saskatchewan Gazette.

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. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Game Ordinance.

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. Haultain, seconded by Mr. Elliott,

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 of the list of voters from the Registrars, under section 54 of The Saskatchewan Election Act showing the date for each Electoral Division in the Province.

2. The dates upon which the said lists were printed under provisions of section 55 of the said Act.

3. The dates upon which copies of the printed lists for each Electoral Division were sent to the Revising Officers by the Clerk of the Executive Council.

4. The name of the Revising Officer or Officers for each Electoral Division and the dates upon which a last sittings of a Court of Revision was held in each Electoral Division.

5. A copy of all voters' lists printed under the authority of section 55 of the above mentioned Act.

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

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

Copies of all notices calling for tenders for supply of coal for public buildings within the province during 1908 and 1909. Copies of

all tenders received and copies of all correspondence, invoices, and other documents or papers relating thereto between the Government and L. V. Kerr, the Kerr Land Company and the Kerr-Patton Coal Company of Regina.

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

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

All correspondence between the Government and any person or persons whatsoever in regard to the organisation of an Agricultural Society at Glenavon.

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

Ordered, That the Petition of the Grain Growers' in the hands of the Government be laid on the Table of this House.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Saskatchewan Midland 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 Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Saskatchewan and Southern 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 Monday next.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1909, for a Return showing:

All letters, telegrams or other communications between the Government of Canada and the Government of this Province, or any Member or Members thereof respectively, relating to the question of the acquisition by the Government of Canada of terminal elevators.

(Sessional Paper No. 11.)

Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1909, for a Return showing:

The amounts paid to the Leader and The Leader-Times Company for printing and advertising during the years 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908 and 1909, to date.

(Sessional Paper No. 12.)

Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1909, for a Return showing:

1. The date of the receipt of the Clerk of the Executive Council from the Revising Officer of the Voters' List for each of the Electoral Divisions in the Province.

2. The date on 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 (1) has been ordered to be printed (2) has been printed.

4. The date upon which each such printed list was received by the Government Printer.

5. The number of each such printed lists sent by the Clerk of the Executive Council to the persons named in subsection (2) of section 81 of The Saskatchewan Election Act, indicating the Electoral Division and the name of each person to whom lists were sent.

(Sessional Paper No. 13.)

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

Statement of the facts in connection with a temporary loan chargeable to the General Revenue Fund made by the sale of Treasury Bills for the sum of \$200,000 during the fiscal year 1909-10 under the provisions of section 10 of The Treasury Department Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 14.)

Statement of the facts in connection with a loan made during the fiscal year 1909-10 under chapter 2 of the Statutes of 1908-9 intituled The Public Improvements Loan Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 15.)

Ordered, That Mr. Sheppard have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Gardner Boggs 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 Monday next.

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

Returns of Remission of Fines as required by Chapter 9 of the Ordinances of 1900.

(Sessional Paper No. 16.)

Annual Report of Regina Jail for Fiscal Year beginning March 1, 1908, ending February 28, 1909.

Annual Report of Prince Albert Jail for Fiscal Year beginning March 1, 1908, ending February 28, 1909.

(Sessional Paper No. 17.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 26) to amend The Steam Boilers Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 19) to amend The City Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 18) respecting Public Health 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, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1909.

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 the Hon. T. H. McGuire and five others praying for the incorporation of The Saskatchewan Loan and Securities Company, and find that all 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 Great West Permanent Loan Company praying for an Act transferring the assets and business of The Great West Permanent Loan and Savings Company to them, and find that all 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. Smith, 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. 27) to incorporate The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, Limited.

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

Moved by Mr. Willway, seconded by Mr. Johnston,

That this House most respectfully urges upon the Government of Canada the necessity and importance of the immediate construction of a railway to Hudson's Bay and for that purpose would request the Government to make provision at the present Session of Parliament for its immediate construction.

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. McNab,

That the motion be amended by adding thereto the following words:

“And that a Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that he will cause the same to be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Excellency the Governor General in Council.”

And the Question being put on the amendment,
It was resolved in the affirmative.

And the Question as amended being proposed,
It was unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered. That Mr. Bradshaw have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Saskatchewan Loan and Securities 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.

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

Return to an Order of the House date November 25, 1909, for a Return showing the number of miles of railway constructed in the Province:

1. From September 1, 1905, to December 31, 1908.
2. From January 1, 1909, to date.

(Sessional Paper No. 18.)

Return to an Order of the House dated November 30, 1909, for a Return showing::

All correspondence in any way relating to the change in the original location of the Maryfield extension of the C.N.R. between Maryfield and Bienfait.

(Sessional Paper No. 19.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 24, 1909, for a Return showing:

All papers in any way relating to the appointment of Hyam Bolecan of Lipton to the Commission of the Peace.

(Sessional Paper No. 20.)

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to transfer the assets and business of The Great West Permanent Loan and Savings Company to The Great West Permanent Loan Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the first time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 25) to amend The Herd Ordinance.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 21) to amend The Village Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 22) to amend The Rural Municipality Act.
The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 Bill (No. 9) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the
City 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. 9) 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) to incorporate The Regina Southern
Railway Company and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker
resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported the Bill with amend-
ments.

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 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 incorporate Les Filles de la Provi-
dence 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. 7) to amend The School Ordinance 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 Bill (No. 8) respecting the Raising of Loans authorised
by the Legislature 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 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:

A. E. FORGET,

Lieutenant Governor.

The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 28, 1910, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly. (Sessional Paper No. 21.)

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

Ordered, That the Message of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor with the Estimates accompanying the same be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 4) respecting Suits against the Crown by Petition of Right 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 again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 3) respecting Actions for Libel and Slander 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 Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Children's Protection 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 Tuesday next.

And then the House adjourned at 11.30 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1909.

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.

Mr. Elliott asked the Government the following questions:

What amount of money has been expended by the Department of Public Works in improving and grading the road and providing culverts and bridges east of section 28 township 14 range 11 west of the second meridian, since January 1, 1906.

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

In 1908 the Department expended \$2,826.13 on the improvement of road east of section 28 and during the same year \$1,315.77 in connection with the construction of a 40 foot bridge and the approaches to same, and in 1909 the sum of \$215.40 on the completion of improvements to road begun during the year 1908, making a total of \$4,357.30.

On motion of Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Wellington,

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

All correspondence between the Government and any person or persons whatsoever in regard to the organisation of an agricultural society at Balcarres.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Grants to be paid to School Districts.

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. 9) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 9) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 15) to incorporate The Regina Southern Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 15) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Regina Southern Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 16) to incorporate Les Filles de la Providence.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 16) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate Les Filles de la Providence."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 4) respecting Suits against the Crown by Petition of Right.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 4) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting suits against the Crown by Petition of Right."

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of the Bill (No. 31) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Midland Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 33) to incorporate The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 The Town Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and to be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 23) to amend The Local Improvements Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and to be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 24) respecting Land Surveyors.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and to 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. 19) to amend The City Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 21) to amend The Village Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 18) respecting Public Health 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. 6) for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories 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. Scott,

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 nineteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twelve thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand four hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings—salaries and maintenance).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industries).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six thousand six hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty-two cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Inspection, Game Preservation and Destruction of Noxious Animals).

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 11.30 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Ens,—Of T. H. McGuire and two others praying for the incorporation of The Provincial Loan Company.

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

Your Committee have examined the petition of The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation and find that all the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with, except that there has only been one advertisement in The Saskatchewan Gazette.

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

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the Town of Arcola praying for an Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola, and find that all the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with, except that there has been no advertisement in The Saskatchewan Gazette, and only one advertisement in a newspaper.

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. Smith, 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 under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments.

Bill (No. 12) to incorporate The German-English Academy.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Langley asked the Government the following question:

Whether they are in possession of any information from either the Dominion authorities or the Canadian Northern Railway Company relating to the further construction of the Railway from Prince Albert to Battleford.

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

The Government is not in possession of any information from the Federal authorities respecting the construction of the Prince Albert-Battleford branch of the C.N.R. but at a recent conference between the Commissioner of Railways and the officials of the C.N.R. Company it was announced to be the intention of the company to proceed next year with the construction of an additional 40 or 50 miles of this branch.

Mr. Sheppard asked the Government the following question:

Is the Government aware that considerable dissatisfaction exists in the City of Moose Jaw regarding the telephone service supplied by the local exchange at that point. If so is it the intention of the Government to take any steps to remove the existing dissatisfaction, and if so, when.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

Yes. It is the intention of the Government to take steps to remove the existing dissatisfaction at as early a date as possible

Mr. Johnston (Pelly) asked the Government the following question:

If in the matter of local improvement and municipal representatives it is the intention of the Government in the case of lands likely on account of economic and other disadvantages, to remain permanently more or less unoccupied to make the unit of representation in such local improvement districts or municipalities a unit of equal population rather than a unit of equal territory as at present. In other words, if it is their intention where the present territorial unit is likely to remain far from being even an approximation to representation by population, will there be any attempt made to give such representation by population involving where necessary alteration of present territorial units.

Mr. McNab answered as follows:

It is not the intention of the Government to introduce any legislation at the present Session of the Assembly that will have the effect of changing the unit of representation in local improvement districts or rural municipalities.

Mr. Calder moved, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution with respect to Grants to be paid to School Districts.

Mr. Scott, 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.

And the Question being proposed, That the Speaker do now leave the Chair.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Gillis.

That all the words in the Question after "that" be struck out and the following substituted:

"This House does not approve of any reduction being made in the amount of the Legislative Grants to Schools in the Province."

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	Donaldson	Whitmore
Elliott	Wellington	Tate
Gillis	McDonald	Riddell
Wylie	Johnston (Kinistino)	Willway
	Bradshaw	Anderson—14.

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Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Mitchell	Lisle
Sheppard	McNab	Garry
Motherwell	Ens	Scott (Arm River)
Turgeon	Langley	Bole
Calder	Stewart	Atkinson
Stevenson	Pierce	Bell
Totzke	MacNeill	Smith
Nolin	Johnston (Pelly)	Finlayson
		Robertson—25.

So it passed in the negative.

And the main question being again proposed,

It passed on division.

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 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. Stewart have leave to introduce a Bill to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 29, 1909, for a Return showing:

A detailed statement of the account of Bunnell and Lindsay for \$12,610.55 for tools and implements supplied during the year ended February 28, 1909. (Sessional Paper No. 22.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 28, 1909, for a Return showing:

All correspondence relating to the appointment of J. J. Kitson of Weyburn as a Justice of the Peace. (Sessional Paper No. 23.)

Return to an Order of the House dated November 24, 1909, for a Return showing:

All petitions, letters, telegrams, commissions, evidence, reports, orders in council, and any other documents of any kind in any way relating to the appointment or re-appointment of Thomas Gregson of Oxbow to the Commission of the Peace.

(Sessional Paper No. 24.)

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The Saskatchewan Mortgage 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.

Moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Stewart,

That this House do now adjourn.

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the debate continuing,

The said motion was by leave withdrawn.

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

Reports of the President and Board of The University of Saskatchewan in accordance with section 71 of The University Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 25.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 37) to amend The Children's Protection Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 26) to amend The Steam Boilers Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 25) to amend The Herd Ordinance and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 6) for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 24) respecting Land Surveyors and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 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:

A. E. FORGET,

Lieutenant Governor.

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 28, 1911, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly. (Sessional Paper No. 26.)

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

Ordered, That the Message 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 11.30 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK, P.M.

Mr. Whitmore asked the Government the following questions:

1. What was done with the lumber that was placed between sections 33 and 34 in township 10 range 18 west of the second meridian in the early part of August, 1908, for the purpose of building a bridge there?

2. Why was the bridge not built?

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

1. Timber was utilised and charged to a bridge constructed on the south-west quarter of section 4 township 11 range 18 west of the second meridian.

2. Owing to the costly approaches and grades required in connection with the bridge it was considered advisable to defer construction.

Mr. Simpson asked the Government the following question:

What steps, if any, have been taken to secure the construction of the Battleford-Biggar Branch of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway during the coming season?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The Government has entered into an agreement with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company for the construction and operation of the branch referred to. The bonds required for this purpose were guaranteed and sold and the proceeds of the bonds are standing to the credit of the Provincial Treasurer in the Bank of Montreal. The Government has been pressing for the early construction of this line and it has been informed that the surveys have been completed and that the actual work will commence next season.

Mr. Simpson asked the Government the following question:

Is the Government in a position to give any assurance that the Cutknife Settlement, south-west from Battleford, will be provided with railway facilities within the near future and if so may construction be expected to commence during 1910.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The Government is not in a position to state definitely that the Cut Knife Settlement will be provided with railway facilities in the near future. At the present time the three railway companies operating in Saskatchewan have under consideration plans for extension of their respective systems, the object of which in each case is to

reach the settlement in question. It is therefore probable that one of the companies concerned will commence the construction of the line required within a reasonable time.

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

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. 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 Thursday, December 9, 1909.

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 Monday, December 13, 1909.

On motion of Mr. Smith seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 6, 1909, for a Return showing:

All correspondence between the Government and any person or persons whatsoever in regard to the organisation of an agricultural society at Balcarres. (Sessional Paper No. 27.)

Return to an Order of the House dated December 2, 1909, for a Return showing:

All correspondence between the Government and any person or persons whatsoever in regard to the organisation of an agricultural society at Glenavon. (Sessional Paper No. 28.)

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 24.) respecting Land Surveyors and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 2) respecting the Construction and Maintenance of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited 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) respecting Drainage and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 26) to amend The Steam Boilers Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 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 the raising of Loans authorised by the Legislature and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 8) 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. 27) to incorporate The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, Limited, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 12) to incorporate The German-English Academy and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 20) to amend The Town Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair

and Mr. Bole 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, DECEMBER 9, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Atkinson,—Of F. N. Darke and others praying for an Act granting to the married women of Saskatchewan, who own property, the same municipal franchise as has been given to the women of Manitoba.

The following petition was read and received:

Of T. H. McGuire and two others praying for the incorporation of the Provincial Loan Company.

Mr. Smith, 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 Bills and have agreed to report the same with amendments:

Bill (No. 31) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Midland Railway Company.

Bill (No. 10) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Company.

Bill (No. 33) to incorporate The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company.

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

Bill (No. 11) to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital.

Bill (No. 13) to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Anderson asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to extend a telephone line to Strassburg or any other point west of Cupar on the Kirkella Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway during the coming year.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The Government has under consideration the advisability of constructing a long distance telephone line along the Pheasant Hills Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway. While it is likely that a

portion of this line will be built next year no decision has as yet been reached respecting the mileage to be constructed or when work will be begun.

Mr. Wellington asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to erect a Land Titles Building at Moose Jaw during the coming year.

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

Yes.

Mr. Riddell asked the Government the following question:

1. Is it the intention of the Government to connect the Government telephone line from Estevan to Gainsboro' with the Manitoba system.

2. When will the long distance telephone line between Alameda and Carlyle be completed.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. Yes.

2. The line has been completed and in operation since November 25 last.

Mr. Wylie asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to organise another judicial district in the south western part of the Province with Maple Creek as a judicial centre.

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

The Government has not had under consideration the organisation of a new judicial district in the south-western part of the Province with Maple Creek as its centre.

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

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

1. The total amount paid by the Government for licenses under The Irrigation Act.

2. The location and character of the work in each case for which licenses were obtained.

Moved by Mr. Donaldson, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That in the opinion of this House a Select Committee should be appointed to inquire into and report from time to time on the value and extent of the resources of that portion of the Province lying north of township 50.

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the debate continuing,

The said motion was by leave withdrawn.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Public Works.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Stewart,
 Ordered, That the several petitions from the Grain Growers' of Saskatchewan relating to Government operation of a system of elevators which have been presented to the Government and produced and laid on the Table of the House be referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law for consideration and report.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 1) respecting Drainage.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 1) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Drainage."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 26) to amend The Steam Boilers Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 26) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 8) respecting the Raising of Loans authorised by the Legislature.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 8) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the raising of Loans authorised by the Legislature."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 27) to incorporate The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, Limited.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 27) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, Limited."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 12) to incorporate The German-English Academy.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 12) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The German-English Academy of Rosthern."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 39) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 provide for the Payment of Grants in support of Elementary Education.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 34) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Loan and Securities Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 35) to incorporate The Great West Permanent Loan Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 incorporate the Saskatchewan and Southern Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 Saskatchewan Association of Architects.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 17) to amend The Medical Profession Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 38) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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) to amend The School Ordinance and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 5) to amend The School Assessment Ordinance and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 5) 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. 3) respecting Actions for Libel and Slander and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 24) respecting Land Surveyors and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting Grants to be paid to School Districts and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to provide that out of any moneys appropriated by the Legislative Assembly for the purpose there shall be payable in aid of elementary education the following grants:—

1. To every rural school district—

- (a) The sum of 75 cents for every teaching day its school is in operation during the year;
- (b) An additional sum of 25 cents for every teaching day its school is in operation during the year over and above 160; provided the total number of days for which such additional grant shall be payable shall not exceed 50;
- (c) An additional sum of 10 cents for every teaching day its school is in charge of a teacher holding a valid first class professional or interim certificate issued by the Department;

- (d) An additional sum of 40 cents for every day its school is open during the first year of its operation; 30 cents during the second year; 20 cents during the third year; and 10 cents during the fourth year;
 - (e) An additional sum of 20 cents for every teaching day its school is open provided such district comprises an area 7,000 acres or less; 15 cents for every such day if the area of such district is over 7,000 acres and not more than 8,000; 10 cents for every such day if the area is over 8,000 and not more than 9,000; 5 cents for every such day if the area is over 9,000 acres and not more than 10,000; provided however that such additional sums shall be payable only for the years 1910 and 1911 and thereafter every such district that comprises an area of 8,000 acres or less shall be paid an additional sum of 10 cents for every teaching day its school is open.
2. To every town district—
- (a) The sum of 75 cents for every teaching day its school is in operation during the year;
 - (b) An additional sum of 30 cents for every teaching day its school is open during the first year of its operation and 15 cents during the second year;
 - (c) An additional sum of 10 cents for every teaching day its school is in charge of a teacher holding a valid first class professional or interim certificate issued by the Department;
 - (d) An additional sum of 25 cents for every teaching day there is maintained during the year a school or room exclusively for pupils above grade seven provided the daily average attendance of pupils in such room is at least twelve and provided further that all such pupils are permitted to attend the school without payment of tuition or other fees.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) to amend The Children's Protection Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair and Mr. Bole 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 the Rural Municipality Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. Scott,
 Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.
 The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

In the Committee.

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-eight thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Telephones (Chargeable to Income).

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred and twenty-two thousand two hundred and eight dollars and ten cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Telephones (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Miscellaneous.

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirty-one thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand four hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Lieutenant Governor's office).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-five thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand eight hundred and forty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Attorney General's Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand and sixty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

And then the House adjourned at 12 o'clock midnight.

REGINA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1909.

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 T. H. McGuire and two others praying for the incorporation of The Provincial Loan Company, and find that all the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with, except that there has only been one advertisement in **The Saskatchewan Gazette**.

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

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

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

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

Bill (No. 14) respecting the Salvation Army.

Bill (No. 34) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Loan and Securities Company.

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

Bill (No. 32) to incorporate The Saskatchewan and Southern Railway Company.

Bill (No. 39) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Stewart,
Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to ratify certain Voters' Lists.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second Reading of the Bill (No. 49) to ratify certain Voters' Lists.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 49) to ratify certain Voters' Lists and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 49) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to ratify certain Voters' Lists."

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee to consider a resolution respecting grants to Agricultural Societies.

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

And the Question being proposed.
That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair,
And a debate arising thereupon,
And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Gillis,

That all the words in the question after "That" be struck out and the following substituted therefor:

"This House does not approve of any reduction being made in the amount of the Legislative grants to Agricultural Societies."

And the Question being put on the amendment,

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

NAYS

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Scott (Arm River)	Johnston (Pelly)
Motherwell	Bole	Simpson
McNab	Atkinson	Finlayson
Ens	Bell	Nolin
Langley	Stevenson	Lisle
Pierce	MacNeill	Robertson
Garry	Smith	Mitchell
Totzke—22.		

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Messieurs

Haultain	Donaldson	Whitmore
Elliott	Wellington	Riddell
Gillis	Johnston (Kinistino)	Willway
Wylie	Bradshaw	Anderson—12.

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed.

It passed on division.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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.

4 O'CLOCK P.M.

His Honour Amédée Emmanuel Forget, 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 ratify certain Voters' Lists.

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."

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Resolution respecting Grants to Agricultural Societies and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole reported that the Committee had made some progress and moved 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. Scott have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Executive Council 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 at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The University 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 at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder 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 at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Liquor License 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 at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Security by Guarantee Companies.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Resolution respecting Grants to be paid to School Districts.

The said Resolution was accordingly read the second time and agreed to.

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

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 36) to provide for the Payment of Grants in support of Elementary Education with power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

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 at the next sitting of the House.

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 at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Ens have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Provincial Loan 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. 7) to amend The School Ordinance.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 7) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

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

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

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time,

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 3) respecting Actions for Libel and Slander.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time,

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Actions for Libel and Slander."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 24) respecting Land Surveyors.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 24) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time,

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Land Surveyors."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 37) to amend The Children's Protection Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 37) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time,

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Children's Protection Act."

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 2) respecting the Construction and Maintenance of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Company and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. Scott,

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

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

In the Committee.

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-seven thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Public Works Department).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-three thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-one thousand eight hundred and thirty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Railways, Telegraphs and Telephone Department).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-nine thousand four hundred and forty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-five thousand four hundred and eighty-five dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Legislation.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 29, 1909, for a Return showing:

All correspondence, reports, plans, petitions, and other documents in any way relating to the survey of a road or trail through the farm of Charles E. Sturgill on river lots 29 and 30 township 46 range 25 west of the second meridian. (Sessional Paper No. 29.)

Return to an Order of the House dated December 2, 1909, for a Return showing:

1. The date of the receipt by the Clerk of the Executive Council of the list of voters from the Registrars, under section 54 of The Saskatchewan Election Act showing the date for each Electoral Division in the Province.

2. The dates upon which the said lists were printed under provisions of section 55 of the said Act.

3. The dates upon which copies of the printed lists for each electoral division were sent to the Revising Officers by the Clerk of the Executive Council.

4. The name of the Revising Officer or Officers for each electoral division and the dates upon which a last sittings of a Court of Revision was held in each electoral division.

5. A copy of all voters' lists printed under the authority of section 55 of the above mentioned Act. (Sessional Paper No. 30.)

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

REGINA, MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK, P.M.

Mr. Bell 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. 38) to amend the Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation.

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

Bill (No. 35) respecting The Great West Permanent Loan Company.

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

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 at the next sitting of the House.

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 at the next sitting of the House.

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

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

Copies of all correspondence between the Department and any person or persons in any way relating to a change in the boundaries of The Faulkner School District No. 53.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 24, 1909, for a Return showing:

1. The number of days Mr. A. L. Smith, then of the Attorney General's office was away from Regina during May and June, 1909.

2. In what capacity. (Sessional Paper No. 31.)

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 2) respecting the Construction of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Construction of Small Ditches by the Owners of Land to be benefited."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 28) to amend The Land Titles Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 40) respecting Public Works.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

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

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 6) for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 18) respecting Public Health and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 18) 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. 33) to incorporate The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 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 ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 11) to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 13) to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 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 incorporate The Saskatchewan and Southern Railway Company 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. 32) 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. 23) to amend The Local Improvements Act and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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. 14) respecting The Salvation Army and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Company and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 34) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Loan and Securities Company and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 36) to provide for the payment of Grants in Support of Elementary Education and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting Grants to Agricultural Societies and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to provide that out of any moneys appropriated by the Legislative Assembly for the purpose there shall be payable in aid of agricultural societies the following grants subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth. The amount of such grants shall be calculated as follows:

1. To each society whose membership for the preceding year is shown to have included at least one hundred and fifty members who have paid their fees up to the date of the annual meeting the sum of fifty cents for each paid up member up to two hundred;
2. To each society which has during the preceding year held one or more meetings as provided in The Agricultural Societies Act the sum of \$10 for each such meeting but not exceeding two;
3. To each society which during the year 1909 undertook co-operation demonstrations in the growing of crops under the direction of the department the sum of \$5 for each such demonstration begun in that year and satisfactorily carried out but not exceeding ten;
4. To each society which has during the preceding year held a good farming competition or competition in standing fields of seed grain or in a ploughing match, at which cash prizes amounting to not less than \$50 were offered, an amount equal to two-thirds of the amount actually paid out for prizes, but not exceeding the sum of \$65;
5. To each society which has during the preceding year held a live stock judging competition at which cash prizes amounting to not less than \$15 were offered an amount equal to two-thirds of the amount actually paid out for prizes, but not exceeding the sum of \$15;
6. To each society which has during the preceding year held a spring stallion show at which cash prizes amounting to not less than \$100 were offered, an amount equal to two-thirds of the amount actually paid out for prizes, but not exceeding the sum of \$135;
7. To each society which has during the preceding year held a seed grain fair or a poultry show or a combined seed grain fair and poultry show at which cash prizes amounting to not less than \$50 were offered an amount equal to two-thirds of the amount actually paid out in prizes, but not exceeding the sum of \$50;
8. To each society and to each board of management of a joint exhibition which has during the preceding year held an exhibition at which cash prizes amounting to not less than \$600 were offered an amount equal to two-thirds of the amount actually paid for prizes.

(2) The grants payable under this section shall only be paid upon compliance with the following conditions;

1. That the total amount of grants payable to any agricultural society shall not exceed the sum of \$1,000;
2. That after the fifteenth day of November, 1910, the grants payable in any year to any society which has in such year been in existence for a period of at least five years shall not exceed 75 per centum of the aggregate amount of grants to which such society would otherwise have been entitled;
3. That when calculating the date of organisation of any agricultural and industrial exhibition association or joint stock company or other company that has succeeded an agricultural society the date when the society such association succeeds was first organised shall be considered the date of organisation of such association or company;
4. That no grant on the basis of membership shall be paid to any other society whose membership does not include at least 150 paid up members;
5. That a grant for meetings shall not be paid for meetings for which speakers were provided through the director of agricultural extension work or for any educational meeting if the director of agricultural extension work reports that in his opinion such meeting did not fulfil the objects for which it was called;
6. That no grant shall be paid to any society for any exhibition or competition unless all regulations framed by the director of agricultural extension work for the guidance of societies in respect to such have been complied with;
7. That when any society or board of management of a joint exhibition holding an annual exhibition has during the same year held a spring stallion show or a poultry show in connection with a seed grain fair or any other exhibition at which prizes are offered for classes similar to those for which prizes are offered at the annual exhibition the prize money paid for such classes at such annual exhibition shall not be included in the amount upon which the exhibition grant payable to such society is based;
8. That no grant shall be paid in any year to any society unless all returns required by the Minister respecting the work of such society shall have been filed with the director of agricultural extension work on or before the thirty-first of December in such year;
9. That the Minister may withhold payment in respect to any prize offered at any exhibition upon receipt of a report from the director of agricultural extension work stating that in his opinion such exhibition was not calculated to promote the legitimate objects of an agricultural exhibition;
10. That no incorporated company that permits voting by proxy or allows more than one vote to be exercised by each shareholder irrespective of the number of shares owned or controlled by such shareholder shall be entitled to any grant for an exhibition held;
11. That no grant for holding an exhibition shall be paid to any agricultural society or exhibition company if upon receipt of a report

from the director of agricultural extension work or other official authorised by him to attend and report upon agricultural exhibitions it shall appear that, at any exhibition held under the management of such society or exhibition company there were upon the grounds on which such exhibition was held or within three hundred yards of the same any gambling devices or apparatus for carrying on games of chance or any shows or exhibits of an immoral or obscene nature.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time 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. Scott,
Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

In the Committee.

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-nine thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Police Magistrates' Courts).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-four thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and ninety-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and eight thousand six hundred and thirty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Administration of Liquor License Act).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).

And then the House adjourned at 12 o'clock midnight.

REGINA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Stewart, 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 on Agriculture and Municipal Law, having heard representations presented on behalf of The Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association in support of Provincial action in the direction of providing a system of grain elevators in the Province:

And being convinced that the existing conditions respecting the handling of grain justifies action on the part of the Government and Legislature towards realising the objects set forth by The Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association:

And having regard to the admittedly numerous and intricate details involved in the solution of a problem of such magnitude:

Begs to report to the House a recommendation that a Commission should be appointed by the Government for the purpose of making searching inquiry into proposals looking to the creation and operation of a system of elevators to effect the objects outlined by the Grain Growers' Association and to report its findings with all convenient speed so that action may be taken to give relief during the coming grain season.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

Ordered, That the consideration of the Report be deferred and stand on the Order Paper for today.

Mr. Whitmore asked the Government the following Question:

What expense has been made by the Government in connection with the Board of Governors of The Saskatchewan University including Salaries, Travelling Expenses, etc.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

None. All such expenditures are controlled, arranged for and paid by the Board of Governors out of such Legislation Appropriations as are placed at their disposal for general university purposes.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That in the Opinion of this House an urgent request should be made to the Government of Canada by the Government of the Province for a suitable land endowment for The University of Saskatchewan.

And the Question being proposed,

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

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Moved by Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Stewart,

That whereas this House is of the opinion that under existing conditions private and identical interests in both interior and terminal elevators operate to the disadvantage of the Grain Growers of Saskatchewan.

Therefore be it Resolved, That in the opinion of this House the Government of Canada should own and operate terminal elevators.

And the Question being proposed,
And a debate arising thereupon,
And the Question being again proposed,
It carried unanimously.

On motion of Mr. Langley, seconded by Mr. Stewart,
Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that he will cause the resolution to be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Resolution respecting Grants to be paid to Agricultural societies.

The said Resolution was accordingly read the second time and agreed to.

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

Ordered, That the Resolution respecting Grants to be paid to Agricultural Societies be referred to the Committee on the Bill (No. 41) with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to Regulate the Practice of Optometry.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Wylie have leave to introduce a Bill to authorise the Town of Maple Creek to instal a drainage and sewage system and to issue debentures for payment of same.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 39) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 39) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 11) to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 11) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital of Rosthern."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 13) to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 13) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 32) to incorporate The Saskatchewan and Southern Railway.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 32) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan and Southern Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 36) to provide for the payment of Grants in Support of Elementary Education.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 36) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to provide for the payment of Grants in Support of Elementary Education."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 42) to amend The Executive Council Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 46) respecting Security by Guarantee Companies.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 30) to amend The Game Ordinance.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and 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. 28) 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 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 incorporate The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation 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. 38) 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. 46) respecting Security by Guarantee Companies 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. 46) 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) respecting Public Works 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 amend The Executive Council 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. 42) 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. 21) 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. 21) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law with respect to elevators.

It was moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Garry,

That this House doth concur in the Report from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law presented to the House today.

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the Question being proposed,

It was carried unanimously.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 9, 1909, for a Return showing:

1. The total amount paid by the Government for licenses under The Irrigation Act.

2. The location and character of the work in each case for which licenses were obtained. (Sessional Paper No. 32.)

Return to an Order of the House dated November 29, 1909, for a Return showing:

The aggregate amount expended in each electoral district of the province for public works during the financial year ended February 28, 1909, (Sessional Paper No. 33.)

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,
Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

In the Committee.

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eighty-three thousand five hundred and thirty-seven dollars and sixty-seven cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings, Salaries, Maintenance and Repairs).

No. 22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Improvements, Surveys, etc.).

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had come to certain 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 11.45 p.m.

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1909.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Whitmore asked the Government the following questions:

1. Has the Government had any requests to amend the law relating to land by granting the right of dower to women.

2. If so, is it the intention of the Government to comply with such requests.

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

1. Yes.

2. Not at the present Session. The subject will be further inquired into.

Mr. Riddell asked the Government the following question:

What steps has the Government taken, if any, to secure the extension of the Lyleton branch of the C. P. R. into this Province.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The Government has on a number of occasions drawn the attention of the C. P. R. authorities to the desirability of extending the Lyleton branch into Saskatchewan.

Mr. Riddell asked the Government the following question:

What steps has the Government taken, if any, to secure the extension of the Hartney branch of the C. N. R. to Bienfait.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The line referred to is under construction.

Mr. McDonald asked the Government the following questions:

1. How many car loads of English seed oats were sold by the Government at Calgary.

2. To whom were the said oats sold.

3. What prices were obtained for them.

4. What was the total cost to the Government of the said oats laid down at Calgary.

5. If any loss was incurred by the purchase of the said oats, by what Government is the loss to be borne, and if by more than one Government in what proportion.

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

1. None,

2. In view of the nature of the reply to question No. 1 the natural reply to the remaining four questions would be that inasmuch as no transactions of the nature referred to in question No. 1 had been engaged in by the Government, no loss could occur.

Mr. Haultain asked the Government the following questions:

1. What steps has the Government taken towards obtaining control and administration:

(a) Of school lands;

(b) Of the school lands fund.

2. If no steps have been taken is it the intention of the Government to ask the Federal authorities for the control and administration:

(a) Of school lands;

(b) Of the school lands fund.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. (a) None.

(b) The question of obtaining control and administration of the school lands fund has been discussed informally by the Government with the Federal authorities and the Governments of Alberta and Manitoba.

2. (a) The matter is under consideration.

(b) The matter is under consideration.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to provide for raising money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly received and read the first time, and Ordered, To be read a second time at the next sitting of the House.

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

Ordered, That on and after tomorrow during the Session this House shall meet at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and if the business of the day be not concluded at one o'clock Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair till three o'clock; and that when this House adjourns on Friday it do stand adjourned to Saturday at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

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

Ordered, That from now until the end of the Session, Government Orders and Public Bills and Orders shall have precedence on all days after the Order of Questions put by Members.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 38) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 38) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 46) respecting Security by Guarantee Companies.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 46) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Security by Guarantee Companies."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 42) to amend The Executive Council Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 42) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 21) to amend The Village Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 6) for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 6) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 18) respecting Public Health.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 18) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Public Health."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 33) to incorporate The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 33) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 14) respecting The Salvation Army.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 14) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting The Salvation Army."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 10) to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 10) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 34) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Loan Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 34) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Loan Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 54) respecting the Town of Maple Creek.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 50) to incorporate The Provincial Loan Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 House in Committee of Supply.

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

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the question being put on the Motion it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

In the Committee.

No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million three hundred and fifty-five thousand two hundred and fifty-three dollars and thirty-three cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings, Construction).

No. 25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and forty-seven thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).

No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Miscellaneous Services).

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 11.45 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1909.

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Smith, 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. 13) to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan, Bill (No. 9) to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina, Bill (No. 16) to incorporate Les Filles de la Providence, Bill (No. 11) to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital, Bill (No. 12) to incorporate The German-English Academy and Bill (No. 14) respecting The Salvation Army be remitted less the cost of printing in each case.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the report be now concurred in.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 24, 1909, for a Return showing:

1. The amount of taxes collected by the Government under Forfeiture Proceedings from December 15, 1908, to April 8, 1909.

2. The amount of costs charged in connection therewith and the number of quarter sections involved.

3. The amount of taxes collected since April 8, 1909, to November 1, 1909. The amount of costs in connection therewith. The number of sections affected thereby and the total amount of land now forfeited to the Government. (Sessional Paper No. 34.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 43) to amend The University Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 44) to amend The Supplementary Revenue Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 45) to amend The Liquor License Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 47) to amend The Secondary Education Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and 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. 17) to amend The Medical Profession 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.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 40) respecting Public Works 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. 22) 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. 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. 23) 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. 23) 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) to amend The Herd Ordinance 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. 25) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

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

Ordered, That the Resolutions from the Committee of Supply for the Financial Year 1909-10 be now read a first time.

The said resolutions were accordingly read the first time.

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

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 nineteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending

February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twelve thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand four hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings—salaries and maintenance).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industries).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six thousand six hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty-two cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Inspection, Game Preservation and Destruction of Noxious Animals).

No. 13. Resolved That a sum not exceeding twenty-eight thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Telephone (Chargeable to Income).

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred and twenty-two thousand two hundred and eight dollars and ten cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Telephones (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1910, for Miscellaneous.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Ways and Means.

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

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

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, 1910, the sum of six hundred and sixty seven thousand six hundred and forty seven dollars and sixty-two cents be granted out of the general revenue fund of the Province.

Resolutions 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 now received.

The said Resolution was then read a first time.

The said Resolution being read a second time was agreed to.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 47) to amend The Secondary Education 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. 47) 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. 44) to amend The Supplementary Revenue 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. 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. 28) 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 House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 30) to amend The Game Ordinance 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 at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 28) 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. 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. 43) to amend The University 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. 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. 35) respecting The Great West Permanent Loan 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. 35) 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. 45) to amend The Liquor License 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. 45) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 48) to amend The Statute Law.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

Mr. Smith, 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. 50) to incorporate The Provincial Loan Company.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

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

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

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

In the Committee

No 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Miscellaneous services).

No 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven hundred and forty-three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Education.

No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-six thousand and seventy dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Agricultural Interests Generally).

No. 34. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and twenty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Telephones Chargeable to Income (Telephones, Maintenance and Operation).

No. 35. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and sixty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Telephones Chargeable to Capital (Telephone Construction).

No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirty-two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).

No. 30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 31. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six thousand two hundred and eighty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bacteriological Laboratory).

No. 32. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twelve thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 33. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Bureau of Public Health.

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 having continued to sit until thirty minutes after twelve o'clock Friday morning adjourned.

REGINA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1909.

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 40) respecting Public Works.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 40) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Public Works."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 22) to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 22) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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 third reading of the Bill (No. 23) to amend The Local Improvements Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 23) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 25) to amend The Herd Ordinance.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 47) to amend The Secondary Education Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 47) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 44) to amend The Supplementary Revenue Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 44) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 28) to amend The Land Titles Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 30) to amend The Game Ordinance.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 30) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 43) to amend The University Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 43) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 17) respecting Anatomy.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 17) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Anatomy."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 35) respecting The Great West Permanent Loan Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 35) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting The Great West Permanent Loan Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 55) to provide for raising money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of the Province.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 51) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 52) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 53) to regulate the Practice of Optometry.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and be placed at the foot of the Order Paper for today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 41) respecting Agricultural Societies.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House and 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. 20) to amend The Town 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 House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 50) to incorporate The Northern Loan 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.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 50) 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. 41) respecting Agricultural Societies 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 Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 45) to amend The Liquor License Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Supply.

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

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

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

In the Committee.

No. 36. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Miscellaneous.

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 this sitting of the House and the House will at its next sitting resolve itself into said Committee.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 13, 1909, for a Return showing:

Copies of all correspondence between the Department and any person or persons in any way relating to a change in the boundaries of The Faulkner School District No. 53. (Sessional Paper No. 35.)

Return to an Order of the House dated November 29, 1909, showing:

1. The amount paid by rural school districts into the Supplementary Revenue Fund since its inception to date.

2. The amount received by the rural school districts from the Supplementary Revenue Fund to date.

3. The amount of arrears, if any, still to be divided among the rural school districts.

4. The total number of rural school districts in existence. The number organised since March 1, 1907, and their area.

(Sessional Paper No. 36.)

Mr. Smith, 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. 54) to authorise the Town of Maple Creek to instal a Drainage and Sewage System and to issue debentures for payment of same.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Sheppard,

Ordered, That the Report be now received and that the Bill be placed on the Order for Committee of the Whole today.

Moved by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mr. Tate,

That this House affirms its belief in the integral relationship of Canada to the British Empire and that while participating in the great and numerous benefits resulting from such relationship Canada should, for the defence of the Empire, assume her rightful responsibility and is of opinion that the Dominion Parliament should without delay offer to the Imperial Government at least one Dreadnaught.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Motherwell,

That all the words after "responsibility" be struck out and the following substituted:

"The House is of the opinion that under the present constitutional relations between the Mother Country and the self-governing dominions, the payment by Canada of regular and periodical contributions to the

Imperial Treasury for naval and military purposes would not, so far as Canada is concerned, be the most satisfactory solution of the question of defence.

The House will cordially approve of any necessary expenditure by Canada designed to promote the speedy organisation of a Canadian naval service in co-operation with and in close relation to the Imperial Navy, along the lines suggested by the Admiralty at successive Imperial conferences and in full sympathy with the view that the naval supremacy of Britain is essential to the security of commerce, the safety of the Empire and the peace of the world.

The House expresses its firm conviction that whenever the need arises the people of Saskatchewan will be found ready and willing to make any sacrifice that is required to give the Imperial authorities the most loyal and hearty co-operation in every movement for the maintenance of the integrity and honour of the Empire."

And the Question being put on the amendments,

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

YEAS

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Pierce	Totzke
Sheppard	Garry	Johnston (Pelly)
Motherwell	Scott (Arm River)	Simpson
Turgeon	Bole	Finlayson
Calder	Atkinson	Nolin
McNab	Bell	Lisle
Ens	Stevenson	Robertson
Langley	MacNeill	Mitchell
Stewart	Smith—26	

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Messieurs

Haultain	Wellington	Tate
Elliott	MacDonald	Riddell
Gillis	Johnston (Kinistino)	Willway
Wylie	Bradshaw	Anderson
Donaldson	Whitmore—14	

So it passed in the affirmative.

And the Question as amended being proposed.

It passed unanimously.

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

Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that he will cause the Resolution of this House concerning the defence of the Empire to be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Ways and Means.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,
Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Ways and Means 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. Scott,
Ordered, That the Resolutions from the Committee of Supply for the Financial Year 1910-11 be now read a first time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read the first time.

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

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 one hundred and thirty-one thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand four hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Lieutenant Governor's office).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-two thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand eight hundred and forty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Attorney General's Department).

No. 5. Resolved That a sum not exceeding four thousand and sixty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-seven thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Public Works Department).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-three thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-one thousand eight hundred and thirty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones Department).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-nine thousand four hundred and forty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-five thousand four hundred and eighty-five dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Legislation.

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-nine thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Police Magistrates' Courts).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-four thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and ninety-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and eight thousand six hundred and thirty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Administration of Liquor License Act).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Justice).

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eighty-three thousand five hundred and thirty-seven dollars and sixty-seven cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings, Salaries, Maintenance and Repairs).

No. 22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Improvements, Surveys, etc.).

No. 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Miscellaneous services).

No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million three hundred and fifty-five thousand two hundred and fifty-three dollars and thirty-three cents be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings, Construction).

No. 25. Resolved. That a sum not exceeding one hundred and forty-seven thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Improvements).

No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven hundred and forty-three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Education.

No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-six thousand and seventy dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Agricultural Interests Generally).

No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirty-two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).

No. 30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand six hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 31. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six thousand two hundred and eighty dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bacteriological Laboratory).

No. 32. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twelve thousand two hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 33. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Bureau of Public Health.

No. 34. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding one hundred and twenty thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Telephones Chargeable to Income (Telephones, Maintenance and Operation).

No. 35. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and sixty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Telephones Chargeable to Capital (Telephone construction).

No. 36. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars be granted to his Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1911, for Miscellaneous.

The Order of the Day being read for the House in Committee of Ways and Means.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,
Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

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, 1911, the sum of five million and four thousand seven hundred and eight dollars and fifty cents be granted out of the general revenue fund of the province.

Resolution 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.

The said Resolution was then read a first time,

The said Resolution being read a second time was 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-eighth day of February, 1910, and the twenty-eighth day of February, 1911.

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 the second time, and

Ordered, To be placed on the Orders of the Day for the third reading at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Lands in the Rural Municipalities of Wolseley and Qu'Appelle.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 58) respecting Lands in the Rural Municipalities of Wolseley and Qu'Appelle.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 58) respecting Lands in the Rural Muni-

palities of Wolseley and Qu'Appelle 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.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The Government Annuities Act 1908.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 57) respecting The Government Annuities Act 1908.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 57) respecting The Government Annuities Act 1908 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 resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 48) 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 House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 20) 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. 20) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

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

REGINA, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1909.

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Tate asked the Government the following Questions:

1. The area of land in the Province owned by the Canadian Pacific Railway upon which that company claims exemption;
2. The area of land in the Province held by other companies claiming exemption.

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The Government has no definite information as to the area of these lands.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 41) respecting Agricultural Societies.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 41) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Agricultural Societies."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 20) to amend The Town Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 20) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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. 50) to incorporate The Northern Loan Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 50) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Northern Loan Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 56) for granting to his Majesty certain sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Years ending respectively, the twenty-eighth day of February, 1910, and the twenty-eighth day of February, 1911.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 56) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the 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-eighth day of February, 1910, and the twenty-eighth day of February, 1911."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 57) respecting The Government Annuities Act 1908.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 57) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting The Government Annuities 1908."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 58) respecting the Transfer of Lands sold by the Municipalities of Wolseley and Qu'Appelle.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 58) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Transfer of Lands sold by the Municipalities of Wolseley and Qu'Appelle."

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a resolution respecting the Raising of Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

Mr. Scott, 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. Shepard 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 now read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

Resolved, 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 all or any of the following purposes as may be approved by the Legislature, namely, to provide for the cost of:

- (a) Public buildings and permanent improvements;
- (b) Purchase of grounds and erection, furnishing and equipment of buildings for the University of Saskatchewan;
- (c) Construction and extending telephone systems within the Province;
- (d) The purchase of drainage district debentures issued under the provisions of The Drainage Act; and

That it is expedient to provide that the aforesaid sum 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; and

That it is expedient to provide that all bonds and inscribed stock issued under the authority of this Act shall be free from all Provincial taxes, succession duty, charges and imposition whatsoever; and

That it is expedient to provide that the sums of money hereby authorised to be raised by way of loan shall be raised as provided by the Act of the present session intituled "An Act respecting the Raising of Loans authorised by the Legislature," and that the sums raised under the authority of this Act shall form part of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

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

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 55) to provide for raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of the Province with power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 55) to provide for raising money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of the Province 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 be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to provide for raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of the Province."

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the motion:

That in the opinion of this House an urgent request should be made to the Government of the Province for a suitable land endowment for the University of Saskatchewan.

And the debate continuing,

It was moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That the Resolution be withdrawn and the following substituted therefor:

That in the opinion of this House 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 the Question being proposed,

It passed unanimously.

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

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 forwarded to the Secretary of State for transmission to His Excellency the Governor General in Council!

Moved by Mr. Gillis, seconded by Mr. Willway,

That in the opinion of this House the Government should introduce legislation establishing a system of Government Hail Insurance under the administration of an independent commission.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Langley,

That all the words after "That" where it first occurs therein be struck out and the following inserted instead thereof:

"In the opinion of this House it is desirable that the Government should from time to time obtain the fullest possible information respecting the conduct of hail insurance in Saskatchewan and elsewhere in order that this Legislature may be in a position when the necessity arises to fully consider the advisability of modifying or altering the present method of conducting this important business."

And a debate arising,

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

Scott (Swift Current)	Garry	Totzke
Sheppard	Scott (Arm River)	Johnston (Pelly)
Motherwell	Bole	Simpson
Calder	Atkinson	Finlayson
McNab	Bell	Nolin
Ens	Stevenson	Lisle
Langley	MacNeill	Robertson
Stewart	Smith	Mitchell
Pierce—25		

NAYS

Messieurs

Haultain	Wellington	Tate
Elliott	Johnston (Kinistino)	Riddell
Gillis	Bradshaw	Willway
Wylie	Whitmore	Anderson
Donaldson—13		

So it passed in the affirmative.

And the Main Question as amended being proposed,

It passed on division.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill (No. 54) to authorise the Town of Maple Creek to install a Drainage and Sewage System and to issue debentures for payment of the same 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. 54) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise the Town of Maple Creek to install a Drainage and Sewage System and to issue debentures for payment of same."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 53) to regulate the practice of Optometry and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had risen.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 29) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Association of Architects and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sheppard reported that the Committee had risen.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 48) 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, today.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) to amend The City 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 House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) to incorporate The Saskatchewan Midland 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 be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Midland Railway Company."

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting the Guarantee of certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

Mr. Scott, 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 Committee of the Whole to consider the said Resolution 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 Resolution be now read a first time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read the first time.

Ordered, That the said Resolution be now read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

Resolved, that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised on such terms and conditions not inconsistent with the terms of the Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway as may be agreed upon with the said company to guarantee payment of the principal and interest of the bonds, debentures, debenture stock or other securities (hereinafter called "securities") of the said company to the extent and upon the terms hereinafter set forth:

That the amount of securities to be so guaranteed shall not exceed the sums represented by \$13,000 per mile of the respective lines of railway mentioned in the schedule to the said Act; the certificate of the commissioner of railways, telegraphs and telephones as to the mileage of the said respective lines shall for the purpose of the said Act and of the guaranteed securities be conclusive. The said securities may be in whole or in part payable in lawful money of Canada or in its equivalent in sterling or other money; the rate of interest thereon shall be at the rate of four per cent. per annum payable half yearly and 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 in respect to the mileage of which the securities secured thereby are issued and the rolling stock and equipment present or future acquired for the purpose of the said line or lines, the tolls, revenues and incomes of the company arising and to arise from the said line or lines and the rights, privileges, franchises and powers of the company now or hereafter held by the company 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 of trust 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 purpose of the said lines of railway respectively and the form and manner of the guarantee shall be such as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may approve.

That the said guarantee 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 principal 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 money necessary to fulfil the requirements of the said guarantee and to advance the amount necessary for that purpose out of the general revenues of the Province and in the hands of any purchaser,

pledgee or other person acquiring any of such securities; the said guarantee so signed shall be conclusive evidence that the terms of the said Act with respect thereto have been complied with.

That subject to the proviso herein contained, the deeds of trust (hereinafter called the "original instruments") securing the securities hereby authorised to be guaranteed may provide for the issue from time to time and the ranking *pari passu* with 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 of the mileage of any of the lines mentioned in the schedule to the said Act and also of additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect also ranking *pari passu* and without preference or priority as aforesaid not exceeding \$15,000 per mile of additional lines of railway in the Province of Saskatchewan to be hereafter constructed by the company:

Provided always that before such additional securities are issued the guarantee by the Province of the payment of principal and interest thereof shall first have been authorised by the Legislative Assembly and that such guarantee shall have been given pursuant to such authorisation.

That supplementary deeds of trust (hereinafter called "supplementary instruments") covering said additional lines and in form approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall be taken to the trustees of the original instruments and such additional securities shall be issued under the terms of the original instrument and supplementary instruments, which together with the mortgaged premises covered thereby shall form the security for all the securities issued thereunder in the same manner and with the same effect as if the original instrument and supplementary instrument formed but one instrument and as if all the securities issued and to be issued under the original or supplementary instrument were issued under the one instrument.

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

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 51) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway with power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution respecting the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

Mr. Scott, 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 Committee of the Whole to consider the said Resolution 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 Resolution be now read a first time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read the first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a second time.

The said Resolution was accordingly read the second time and agreed to.

Resolved, that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised on such terms and conditions not inconsistent with the terms of the Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company as may be agreed upon with the said company to guarantee payment of the principal and interest of the bonds, debentures, debenture stock or other securities (hereinafter called "securities") of the said company to the extent and upon the terms hereinafter set forth:

That the amount of securities to be so guaranteed shall not exceed the sums represented by \$13,000 per mile of the respective lines of railway mentioned in the schedule to the said Act; the certificate of the commissioner of railways, telegraphs and telephones as to the mileage of the said respective lines shall for the purpose of the said Act and of the guaranteed securities be conclusive. The said securities may be in whole or in part payable in lawful money of Canada or in its equivalent in sterling or other money; the rate of interest thereon shall be at the rate of four per cent. per annum payable half yearly and 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 in respect to the mileage of which the securities secured thereby are issued and the rolling stock and equipment present or future acquired for the purpose of the said line or lines, the tolls, revenues and incomes of the company arising and to arise from the said line or lines and the rights, privileges, franchises and powers of the company now or hereafter held by the company 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 of trust 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 purpose of the said lines of railway respectively and the form and manner of the guarantee shall be such as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may approve.

That the said guarantee 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 principal 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 money necessary to fulfil the requirements of the said guarantee and to advance the amount necessary for that purpose out of the general revenues of the Province and in the hands of any purchaser, pledgee or other person acquiring any of such securities; the said guarantee so signed shall be conclusive evidence that the terms of the said Act with respect thereto have been complied with.

That subject to the proviso herein contained, the deeds of trust (hereinafter called the "original instruments") securing the securities hereby authorised to be guaranteed may provide for the issue from time to time and the ranking *pari passu* with 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 of the mileage of any of the lines mentioned in the schedule to the said Act and also of additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect also ranking *pari passu* and without preference or priority as aforesaid not exceeding \$15,000 per mile of additional lines of railway in the Province of Saskatchewan to be hereafter constructed by the company:

Provided always that before such additional securities are issued the guarantee by the Province of the payment of principal and interest thereof shall first have been authorised by the Legislative Assembly and that such guarantee shall have been given pursuant to such authorisation.

That supplementary deeds of trust (hereinafter called "supplementary instruments") covering said additional lines and in form approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall be taken to the trustees of the original instruments and such additional securities shall be issued under the terms of the original instrument and supplementary instruments, which together with the mortgaged premises covered thereby shall form the security for all the securities issued thereunder in the same manner and with the same effect as if the original instrument and supplementary instrument formed but one instrument and as if all the securities issued and to be issued under the original or supplementary instrument were issued under the one instrument.

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

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 52) to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company with power to make provisions therein pursuant thereto.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 52) 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.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That the Bill be now read a third time.

And the Question being proposed,

Mr. Haultain moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Elliott,

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 the following amendments:

1. To insert a clause providing for the acquisition of the said railways, or any portion thereof, by the Government of Saskatchewan, if at any time it is considered in the judgment of the Lieutenant Governor in Council necessary or proper in the public interest that such

railways, or any portion thereof should be acquired by the Government, and for that purpose sections 225 to 230, both inclusive, of The Railway Act should apply.

2. To insert a clause providing that the rates on the said railways shall be such as may be approved of by the Provincial Railway Commission subject to the provision of The Railway Act of Canada.

3. To insert a clause giving power to the Lieutenant Governor in Council to decide on the location of the mileage to be constructed in each year.

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	McDonald	Tate
Elliott	Johnston (Kinistino)	Riddell
Gillis	Bradshaw	Willway
Wylie	Whitmore	Anderson
Donaldson—13		

NAYS

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Pierce	Totzke
Sheppard	Scott (Arm River)	Johnston (Pelly)
Motherwell	Bole	Simpson
Calder	Atkinson	Finlayson
McNab	Bell	Lisle
Ens	MacNeill	Robertson
Langley	Smith	Mitchell
Stewart—22		

So it passed in the negative.

And the Main Question being again proposed,

It was Resolved on division in the affirmative,

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time,

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grank Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 51) 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 with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott,

That the Bill be now read a third time.

And the Question being proposed,

Mr. Haultain moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Elliott,
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 for the acquisition of the said rail-
ways, or any portion thereof, by the Government of Saskatchewan, if
at any time it is considered in the judgment of the Lieutenant Governor
in Council necessary or proper in the public interest that such railways,
or any portion thereof should be acquired by the Government, and for
that purpose sections 225 to 230, both inclusive, of The Railway Act
should apply.

2. To insert a clause providing that the rates on the said railways
shall be such as may be approved of by the Provincial Railway Commis-
sion subject to the provisions of The Railway Act of Canada.

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Council to decide on the location of the mileage to be constructed in
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Messieurs

Haultain	McDonald	Tate
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NAYS

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Pierce	Smith
Sheppard	Garry	Totzke
Motherwell	Scott (Arm River)	Johnston (Pelly)
Calder	Bole	Simpson
McNab	Atkinson	Finlayson
Ens	Bell	Lisle
Langley	MacNeill	Robertson
Stewart	Mitchell—23	

So it passed in the negative,

And the Main Question being again proposed,

It was Resolved on division in the affirmative,

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time,

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to
authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian North-
ern Railway Company."

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 48) 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. 48) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

The House according to Order again resolved into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) 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. 19) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

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

4 O'CLOCK P.M.

His Honour Amédée Emmanuel Forget, 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 ratifying and confirming Bylaw No. 492 of the City of Regina.

An Act to incorporate The Regina Southern Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate Les Filles de la Providence.

An Act respecting Suits against the Crown by Petition of Right.

An Act respecting Drainage.

An Act to amend The Steam Boilers Act.

An Act respecting the Raising of Loans authorised by the Legislature.

An Act to incorporate The Yorkton Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition Association, Limited.

An Act to incorporate The German-English Academy of Rosthern.

An Act to amend The School Ordinance.

An Act to amend The School Assessment Ordinance.

An Act respecting Actions for Libel and Slander.

An Act respecting Land Surveyors.

An Act to amend The Children's Protection Act.

An Act respecting the Construction and Maintenance of Small Ditches by the owners of Land to be benefited.

An Act to ratify and confirm Bylaw No. 114 of the Town of Arcola.

An Act to incorporate The Alexandra Hospital of Rosthern.

An Act to incorporate The Mennonite Brethren of Saskatchewan.

An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan and Southern Railway Company.

An Act to provide for the Payments of Grants in Support of Elementary Education.

An Act amending the Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Mortgage Corporation.

An Act respecting Security by Guarantee Companies.

An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

An Act to amend The Village Act.

An Act for the Protection of Persons employed in Factories.

An Act respecting the Public Health.

An Act to incorporate The Gardner Boggs Investment and Trust Company.

An Act respecting The Salvation Army.

An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation.

An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Loan Company.

An Act respecting Public Works.

An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

An Act to amend The Local Improvements Act.

An Act to amend The Herd Ordinance.

An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act.

An Act to amend The Supplementary Revenue Act.

An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

An Act to amend The Game Ordinance.

An Act to amend The University Act.

An Act respecting Anatomy.

An Act respecting The Great West Permanent Loan Company.

An Act to amend The Liquor License Act.

An Act respecting Agricultural Societies.

An Act to amend The Town Act.

An Act to incorporate The Northern Loan Company.

An Act respecting The Government Annuities Act 1908.

An Act respecting the Transfer of Lands sold by the Municipalities of Wolseley and Qu'Appelle, now disorganised.

An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue Fund of Saskatchewan.

An Act to authorise the Town of Maple Creek to instal a Drainage and Sewage System and to issue Debentures for Payment of Same.

An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Midland Railway Company.

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 Branch Lines Company.

An Act to amend The City 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-eighth day of February, 1910, and the twenty-eighth day of February, 1911," 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 Legislative 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:

It now becomes my duty to relieve you from your attendance at the present Session of the Legislative Assembly, and in doing so I desire to express my belief that your deliberations and the work you have accomplished during the Session will in the time to come prove of great value to our Province.

Your legislation providing more adequate means for protecting the public health both generally and particularly in the case of women and young people employed in factories, and for the establishment of drainage districts where necessary, indicates your zealous care and interest in the public welfare, which is by no sense lessened by the action you have taken in pressing upon the Federal authorities the importance of the questions of providing railway facilities for the transportation of our products to the shores of Hudson's Bay and for the more effective control of grain storage in the interest of our farmers by taking over and operating the terminal elevators. The authority you have given to my Government to institute an inquiry into the practicability of providing for greater local control of the grain trade, by the establishment of an independent system of elevators, is but one other evidence of your desire to bring about the best possible conditions surrounding the work and lives of the people of Saskatchewan.

In the same connection I might also mention the support you have given to the efforts being made by my Government to bring about a solution of the question of railway transportation in the Province. The branch lines projected to act as feeders to the several transcontinental systems will all serve to relieve difficulties that acutely affect many settlers in this Province.

I observe that your interest in public affairs is not entirely confined to those more particularly affecting our own Province, but has also been given to the affairs of the Dominion in their relation to those of the Empire at large. I shall have much pleasure in seconding your representations in the matter of the promotion of the efficiency of our naval protection.

GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I thank you for the liberal provision you have made for the public service which shall be most carefully administered for the public good.

Let us earnestly hope that the present bright prospects for the future may be amply realised, and that all manner of blessings may be the lot of our people not only in the present but through the years to come.

The Hon. Mr. Motherwell 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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