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# Members of the Executive Council

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- HON. W. SCOTT.....Premier and Minister of Education.  
HON. J. A. CALDER.....Minister of Railways and Minister in  
charge of Highway Commission.  
HON. W. F. A. TURGEON...Attorney General and Provincial Secre-  
tary.  
HON. W. R. MOTHERWELL..Minister of Agriculture.  
HON. A. P. McNAB.....Minister of Public Works.  
HON. GEO. BELL.....Provincial Treasurer and Minister of  
Telephones.  
HON. GEO. LANGLEY.....Minister of Municipal Affairs.
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- HON. J. A. SHEPPARD.....Speaker.  
J. F. BOLE, Esq.....Deputy Speaker.



G. W. BROWN,  
*Lieutenant Governor.*

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CANADA:

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN.

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## PROCLAMATION

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

TO OUR FAITHFUL THE MEMBERS elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Saskatchewan, and to every one of you, GREETING:

T. A. COLCLOUGH, } **W**HEREAS, it is expedient for certain  
*Deputy Attorney General* } causes and considerations to con-  
vene 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 FOURTEENTH 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 consid-  
eration the state and welfare of Our said Province of Saskatchewan and  
thereby to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of Saskatchewan to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, His Honour GEORGE WILLIAM BROWN, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of Saskatchewan.

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

By Command,

EDW. J. WRIGHT,  
*Deputy Provincial Secretary.*

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FIRST SESSION—THIRD LEGISLATURE

REGINA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1912.

At the First Session of the Third Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan begun on the fourteenth day of November, 1912, on which day, being the first day of the meeting of this Assembly for the dispatch of business, J. W. McLeod, Clerk of the Executive Council, delivered to S. Spencer Page, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, certificates containing the names of such Members as had been returned to serve in this Assembly, which is as follows:

12th November, 1912.

*To the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan,—*

This is to certify that by reason of the dissolution of the Second Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan and in virtue of Writs of Election dated the seventeenth day of June last, and addressed to the hereinafter mentioned persons as Returning Officers for the Electoral Divisions in the Province set opposite their respective names for the election of Members to represent the said Electoral Divisions in the Legislative Assembly, the following named persons have been gazetted as duly elected to represent the Electoral Divisions set forth below, as appears by the Returns to the said Writs, deposited of record in my office, viz.:

Division.	Member Elected.	Returning Officer
1. Arm River	George A. Scott	H. M. Curtis
2. Battleford	S. S. Simpson	Robt. Jefferson
3. Biggar	C. H. Cawthorpe	C. K. Playford
4. Cannington	J. D. Stewart	A. M. Stephen
5. Canora	J. D. Robertson	J. B. McIntosh
6. Estevan	George A. Bell	Harry McLeod
7. Eagle Creek	G. H. Harris	C. L. Mather
8. Francis	W. G. Robinson	Lachlan McLean

Division.	Member Elected.	Returning Officer
9. Gull Lake	D. Cameron Lochead	E. E. Spackman
10. Hanley	J. W. MacNeill	Jos. Craddock
11. Humboldt	Hon. W. F. A. Turgeon	Carl Mayer
12. Kerrobert	Geo. H. Watson	W. G. Stephen
13. Kindersley	Hon. W. R. Motherwell	J. D. McLeod
14. Kinistino	E. H. Devline	Andrew Jamieson
15. Last Mountain	S. J. Latta	E. F. Stedman
16. Lloydminster	J. P. Lyle	Harold Huxley
17. Lumsden	F. C. Tate	William Smith
18. Maple Creek	D. J. Wylie	F. C. B. Wilson
19. Melfort	G. B. Johnston	F. B. Goodwillie
20. Morse	M. L. Leitch	A. Buhr
21. Moosomin	A. S. Smith	John C. Hilts
22. Milestone	Berhard Larson	J. M. Scott
23. Moose Jaw City	W. B. Willoughby	W. D. McIntyre
24. Moose Jaw County	J. A. Sheppard	Robert Baird
25. Moose Mountain	R. A. Magee	A. B. Hill
26. North Battleford	D. M. Finlayson	F. Edwards
27. North Qu'Appelle	J. A. McDonald	J. W. Jolly
28. Pheasant Hills	A. B. A. Cunningham	G. F. Wanless
29. Pipestone	R. J. Phin	A. B. Potter
30. Prince Albert City	J. E. Bradshaw	M. B. Budgeon
31. Pelly	J. K. Johnston	E. C. Lawrence
32. Pinto Creek	S. R. Moore	D. J. Dupuis
33. Quill Plains	W. H. Paulson	G. A. Calvert
34. Redberry	George Langley	J. S. Goodrich
35. Regina City	J. F. Bole	F. B. Bradshaw
36. Rosthern	Gerhard Ens	F. V. Rielly
37. Rosetown	C. B. Mark	L. M. Powell
38. Saltcoats	Hon. J. A. Calder	S. J. Mugford
39. Saskatoon City	Hon. A. P. McNab	R. O. Kerans
40. Saskatoon County	W. C. Sutherland	G. H. L. Bigelow
41. Shellbrook	S. J. Donaldson	D. R. Ford
42. Souris	R. Forsyth	William Shearer
43. South Qu'Appelle	F. W. G. Haultain	Albert Stauffer
44. Swift Current	Hon. Walter Scott	Roy T. Graham
45. Thunder Creek	Alex. Beaudreau	W. T. Scott
46. Tramping Lake	James M. Scott	A. Bell
47. Touchwood	G. M. Atkinson	Neil McMillan
48. Vonda	A. F. Totzke	John H. Currie
49. Wadena	H. C. Pierce	L. C. Wirtz
50. Weyburn	R. M. Mitchell	S. D. Boylan
51. Yorkton	Thos. H. Garry	A. D. Eckhardt

Your obedient servant,

J. W. McLEOD,

*Clerk of the Executive Council.*

12th November, 1912.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the nineteenth day of August last, and addressed to J. S. Goodrich, Esquire, of Radisson, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Redberry, for the election of a member to represent the said Electoral Division in the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, in the room of the Honourable George Langley, who accepted an office of emolument under the Crown, the Honourable George Langley, of Maymont,

has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of record in my office.

J. W. McLEOD,  
*Clerk of the Executive Council.*

To S. SPENCER PAGE, Esq.,  
*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,*  
Regina.

12th November, 1912.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the nineteenth day of August last and addressed to Harry McLeod, Esquire, of Estevan, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Estevan, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral Division in the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan in the room of the Honourable George Alexander Bell, who accepted an office of emolument under the Crown, the Honourable George Alexander Bell, of Estevan, has been duly returned as such representative as appears by the Return to the said Writ deposited of record in my office.

J. W. McLEOD,  
*Clerk of the Executive Council.*

To S. SPENCER PAGE, Esq.,  
*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,*  
Regina.

14th November, 1912.

This is to certify that by reason of the dissolution of the Second Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan and in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the seventeenth day of June last, addressed to Kenneth McPherson, of Bengough, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Willow Bunch, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral Division in the Legislative Assembly, William W. Davidson, Esquire, of Moose Jaw, has been duly returned as such representative as appears by the Return to the said Writ deposited of record in my office.

J. W. McLEOD,  
*Clerk of the Executive Council.*

To S. SPENCER PAGE, Esq.,  
*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,*  
Regina.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Members having been duly sworn and having subscribed the Roll containing the Oath repaired to their seats in the House.

3.15 O'CLOCK P.M.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the House and took his seat on the Throne.

The Provincial Secretary then said:

I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to inform you that he will defer stating the reasons for which he has

summoned the Legislature until the Legislative Assembly have elected a Speaker. It is, therefore, His Honour's pleasure that the Legislative Assembly do now proceed to the election of a Speaker and present him here for His Honour's approbation.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the House.

Mr. Scott then addressed himself to the Clerk (who, standing up, bowed and then sat down), proposed to the House for their Speaker, John Albert Sheppard, Esquire, Member for the Electoral Division of Moose Jaw County, and moved that he do take the Chair of the House as Speaker, which resolution was seconded by Mr. Calder.

The question being put by the Clerk it was—

Resolved, unanimously, That John Albert Sheppard, Esquire, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker and the Clerk having declared John Albert Sheppard, Esquire, duly elected he was conducted by Messieurs Scott and Calder to the Chair, where he then said:

GENTLEMEN,—

I beg to express my grateful thanks and humble acknowledgment of the high honour the House has been pleased to confer on me, and while I leave the floor of this House to take the Speaker's Chair I feel that I also leave all political partisan feelings in order that I may discharge with impartiality to all and to the best of my ability the various and important duties pertaining to the high office of the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan. 9

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then re-entered the House and took his seat on the Throne.

The Speaker then addressed His Honour to the following effect:  
MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR,—

The Legislative Assembly have elected me as their speaker, although I am but little able to fulfil the important duties thus assigned to me. 4

If, in the performance of those duties, I should at any time fall into error I pray that the fault may be imputed to me and not to the Assembly whose servant I am and who through me the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their King and country, hereby humbly claim all their undoubted rights and privileges, especially that they may have freedom of speech in their debates, access to your person at all seasonable times, and that their proceedings may receive from you the most favourable consideration. 3

The Provincial Secretary then said:

MR. SPEAKER,—

I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to declare to you that he freely confides in the duty and attachment of the Assembly to His Majesty's person and Government, and not doubting that their proceedings will be conducted with wisdom, temper and prudence, he grants, and upon all occasions will recognise and allow, their constitutional privileges. 5

I am commanded also to assure you that the Assembly shall have ready access to His Honour upon all seasonable occasions and that

their proceedings as well as your words and actions will constantly receive from him the most favourable construction.

His Honour was then pleased to open the Session with the following speech:

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to this, the first session of the Third Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan. You are meeting during a time of great and general prosperity; the earth has given of its increase abundantly during the past season, and in every walk of life the beneficial results are evident.

The province has recently been privileged to welcome in person his Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, the Governor General of the Dominion, together with the Duchess of Connaught and their daughter the Princess Patricia. The keen interest in the welfare of our people displayed by their Royal Highnesses will long be remembered, and I feel that I am but voicing the general opinion in saying that we all heartily reciprocate the spirit of the gracious message which his Royal Highness was so good as to send to me when he was leaving the province on his return journey east, in which expression was given to the feelings of enjoyment which our Royal visitors had had during their sojourn with us, and that the warmth of the welcome they had received everywhere they had been was much appreciated.

When in Regina his Royal Highness was so good as to formally open this building and chamber upon their completion and dedicate them to the purposes for which they have been constructed. I do not doubt that the legislation that shall be enacted here from year to year shall be conceived and framed in the best interests of the people whom you represent.

You have all heard of and rejoiced at the success achieved by the farmers of this province at the Dry Farming Congress recently held in Lethbridge in the Province of Alberta. To carry off the trophy for the best exhibit made by any state or province, as well as a number of individual prizes, many of them being of the first rank, stamps the exhibits made by the province as being of high excellence. The competition at the annual meetings of the Congress is keen, the competing exhibits representing the best that can be done for their several states by the authorities of the Agriculture Colleges and Departments of Agriculture of the majority of those states of the union in the central and western portions of the continent. To be successful in any degree under such conditions is remarkable and worthy of note.

The Agricultural College is now meeting for the first time within the walls of its own building on the grounds of the University of Saskatchewan at Saskatoon. The need for an institution of this nature is universally recognised and I feel assured that your interests in the work now being commenced and to be carried on through its means will be marked by such tangible measures of appreciation as shall result in placing the Agricultural College of this province in the front rank of such institutions.

You will doubtless be pleased to learn that the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, an institution created by this Assembly in

the interests of the farmers of the province, has successfully completed its first full year of operation and gives every promise of fulfilling the highest expectations of those who were responsible for its organisation. You will I am sure join with me in expressing the hope that by careful management and wise control the operations of this company may be extended so as to bring relief and assistance to an ever increasing number of our grain growers.

The policy which was put into effect at the last session of the former Legislative Assembly, under which has been commenced a concerted and organised effort to put the main roads of the province into such condition as shall render it practicable for the farmer to market his produce with the smallest possible expenditure of time or money is already showing good results. It is earnestly to be trusted that this good work shall be carried on in the spirit in which it has been commenced and that the time shall not be far distant when the disabilities in this direction that our farmers have been suffering from in the past shall have been removed.

The rapid growth of the province and the consequent immense increase in the public services devolving upon my government required me to add to the number of my advisers during the recess. To give efficacy to their work a reorganisation of some of the departments of the public service will be necessary and you will be asked to make provision for doing so.

The live stock industry in this province in view of conditions at home and abroad calls for your serious consideration. The Legislative Assembly in the past has given some assistance to this industry, but the present situation seems to call for greater activity in this direction. The advisability of providing means whereby the needs of our farmers and of our farms for more live stock may be met will no doubt be considered by you.

Your attention will also be invited to the question of the present cost of loans to farmers, and you will be asked to make due provision for holding an inquiry into the several phases of the whole subject with a view to ascertaining the best solution for this important problem. The question of taking some action tending towards the establishment of internal storage elevators will also be submitted to you for consideration.

During the session you will be called upon to consider several measures of great interest to our people. Among these will be found bills making provisions for direct legislation, consolidated schools, the abolition of local improvement districts and the regulation and control of loan companies. It is also proposed to adopt a better system of municipal assessment, to modify the present method of assessment in town and village school districts and to place our rural telephone companies on a sounder financial basis.

Notwithstanding the fact that my government, carrying out the instructions of the last Assembly, has made repeated attempts to arrange for a conference with the federal authorities for the purpose of discussing and arranging for the transfer to the province of its lands and other natural resources, the date for such conference has not yet been fixed. Under the circumstances and especially in view of the practically un-

animous mandate of the people my government feel that the question should again be submitted to you for consideration and for such action as may be deemed best in the interests of our province.

GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

The Public Accounts of the province for the past fiscal year will be laid before you, as well as the estimates of revenues and expenditures for 1913-14. These you will find have been prepared with all due regard to economy and the efficiency of the public service.

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.

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

Ordered, That Mr. 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.

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.

Moved by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Calder,

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

Moved by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Calder,

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

Moved by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That a Special Committee consisting of Messrs. Smith, Mitchell, Willoughby, Donaldson 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.

And then the House adjourned at 3.35 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Scott (Swift Current) 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.*—Messrs. Bole, Willoughby, Scott (Swift Current), Latta, McNab, Donaldson, Smith, Bradshaw, Lyle, McDonald, Lohead, Robertson and Harris, and that five shall be a quorum.

*Privileges and Elections.*—Messrs. Scott (Arm River), Turgeon, Wylie, Bole, Scott (Swift Current), Mitchell, Tate, Bell, Latta, Paulson, Smith, Willoughby, Finlayson, Larson, MacNeill, Robinson, Bradshaw, Watson, Totzke, Lyle, Forsyth, Davidson, Devline, Ens, and that eight shall be a quorum.

*Private Bills and Railways.*—Messrs. Mitchell, Calder, Smith, Willoughby, Turgeon, Phin, Scott (Tramping Lake), Langley, Wylie, Cunningham, Larson, Magee, MacNeill, Bradshaw, Scott (Arm River), Totzke, Atkinson, Pierce, McDonald, Johnston (Melfort), Robertson, Simpson, Tate, Davidson, Moore, and that eight shall be a quorum.

*Public Accounts and Printing.*—Messrs. MacNeill, Calder, Bole, Donaldson, Wylie, McNab, Beaudreau, Latta, Bell, Davidson, Paulson, Phin, Finlayson, Cunningham, Bradshaw, Scott (Tramping Lake), Magee, Garry, McDonald, Watson, Harris, Leitch, Simpson, Tate, Johnston (Pelly), and that eight shall be a quorum.

*Agriculture and Municipal Law.*—Messrs. Atkinson, McNab, Beaudreau, Tate, Paulson, Motherwell, Finlayson, McDonald, Phin, Langley, Stewart, Larson, Donaldson, Scott (Arm River), Garry, Totzke, Davidson, Lyle, Sutherland, Devline, Ens, Willoughby, Bradshaw, Cawthorpe, Lohead, and that eight shall be a quorum.

*Law Amendments.*—Messrs. Sutherland, Turgeon, Willoughby, Stewart, Magee, Motherwell, Mark, Wylie, Johnston (Melfort), Pierce, Lohead, Donaldson, Johnston (Pelly), McDonald and Bradshaw, and that five shall be a quorum.

*Education.*—Messrs. Stewart, Scott (Swift Current), Cunningham, Tate, Mark, Motherwell, Robinson, Langley, Bradshaw, Scott (Tramping Lake), Watson, Atkinson, McDonald, Forsyth, Johnston (Melfort), Harris, Wylie, Leitch, Ens, Cawthorpe, Pierce, Davidson, Robertson, Simpson and Willoughby, and that eight shall be a quorum.

*Library.*—Mr. Speaker and Messrs. Leitch, Calder, Mitchell, Tate, Bell, Bradshaw, Sutherland, Johnston (Pelly), Davidson, Moore, Garry and that four shall be a quorum.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Willoughby,

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.

And then the House adjourned at 3.10 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Simpson,—Of R. G. Speers and M. H. Meredith praying for an Act to confirm and validate Agreement for sale re Lots 11 and 12 North of 19th Street, West of Central Avenue, Battleford.

By Mr. Willoughby,—Of the City of Moose Jaw praying for an Act altering from 4½ to 5 per cent. rate of interest payable on certain debentures to be issued by the City of Moose Jaw.

By Mr. Willoughby,—Of the City of Moose Jaw praying for an Act ratifying and confirming certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw relating to the establishment of a Public Library.

By Mr. Bole,—Of Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation praying for an Act whereby the name of the Corporation may be changed to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott (Swift Current) have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The School Act.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Scott (Swift Current) have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The School Assessment Act.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Scott (Swift Current) have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The School Grants Act.

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

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

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

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. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Treasury Department 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.

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. Latta, seconded by Mr. Devline,

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

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

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR,—

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

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the debate continuing,

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

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

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

REGINA, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company praying for an Act confirming the agreement made by them with the City of Regina.

By Mr. Bole,—Of Dominion Trust Company praying for an Act enabling them to take over Dominion Trust Company, Limited.

By Mr. Bole,—Of Peter McAra, Jr., and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The British Western Trust Corporation.

By Mr. McNab,—Of the City of Saskatoon praying for an Act to confirm a Survey of a Portion of the City of Saskatoon.

By Mr. McNab,—Of the City of Saskatoon praying for an Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Power Company.

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

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

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

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR,—

We, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled,

humbly thank your honour for the gracious Speech which your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

And the debate continuing,

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

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

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

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Mitchell,—Of the Town of Weyburn praying for an Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn.

By Mr. Magee,—Of J. Lorne Campbell and thirty-six others praying for an Act to incorporate The Glenavon Hospital.

By Mr. Stewart,—Of the Town of Arcola praying for an Act to authorise the Town of Arcola to borrow money for certain public works.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of R. G. Speers and M. H. Meredith praying for an Act to confirm and validate Agreement for Sale re lots 11 and 12 North of 19th Street, West of Central Avenue, Battleford.

Of City of Moose Jaw praying for an Act altering from 4½ to 5 per cent. rate of interest payable on certain debentures to be issued by the City of Moose Jaw.

Of the City of Moose Jaw praying for an Act ratifying and confirming certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw relating to the establishment of a Public Library.

Of Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation praying for an Act whereby the name of the Corporation may be changed to "Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation."

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Private Detectives.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Loan 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 on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Circuses and Travelling Shows.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Rural Telephone Systems.

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:

Annual Report under the provisions of Section 60 of The Liquor License Act by the Attorney General for license year 1912-1913.

Convictions under The Liquor License Act from January 1, 1912, to October 31, 1912.

Bartenders' Licenses issued for the year ending June 30, 1913.

Commercial Travellers' Licenses issued for the year ending June 30, 1913. (Sessional Paper No. 1.)

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

A detailed statement of all remissions made under An Act respecting the Remission of Certain Penalties, being Chapter 29 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, during the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912. (Sessional Paper No. 2.)

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

Annual Report of Regina Gaol for Fiscal Year 1911-1912.

Annual Report of Prince Albert Gaol for Fiscal year 1911-1912.

Annual Report of Moosomin Gaol for Fiscal Year 1911-1912.

(Sessional Paper No. 3.)

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

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

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

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR,—

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

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Tate, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That the following words be added at the end of the question,—

While gladly joining with your Honour in expressing gratification at the bountiful harvest and general prosperity, as well as in expressing pleasure at having had the privilege of welcoming His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, the Governor Gen-

eral of the Dominion, together with the Duchess of Connaught and their daughter the Princess Patricia and in reciprocating the spirit of his gracious message we must express our regret that no mention has been made in the Speech from the Throne of many of the important pledges, made by the Premier of the Province, in his manifesto, issued to the electors during the recent Provincial Campaign, viz.:

1. A Provincial Railway System radiating from the Hudson's Bay Road.

2. A Provincial Power Policy.

3. The Saskatchewan River Scheme.

4. The Development of Northern Saskatchewan.

5. Demonstration farms.

6. New Judicial Districts.

7. Technical Education.

And we particularly regret that no immediate effort is being made to provide cheap money for farmers or to provide internal storage elevators.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again put on the amendment,

It passed in the negative,

And the main question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

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

Ordered, That the said Address be engrossed and presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor by such Members of the House as are of the Executive Council.

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

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

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

Ordered, That this House will on Monday 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 10.30 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of A. R. Partridge and four others praying for an Act to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company praying for an Act confirming the Agreement made by them with the City of Regina.

Of Dominion Trust Company praying for an Act enabling them to take over Dominion Trust Company, Limited.

Of Peter McAra, Jr., and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The British Western Trust Corporation.

Of the City of Saskatoon praying for an Act to confirm a Survey of a portion of the City of Saskatoon.

Of the City of Saskatoon praying for an Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Power Company.

Mr. Lyle asked the Government the following questions:

1. Under the agreement entered into with the Federal authorities regarding the Mounted Police is there any stipulation regarding the number of men to be stationed in Saskatchewan? If so, what stipulation?

2. What is the present strength of the Royal North-West Mounted Police Force and of the number how many are in Saskatchewan?

3. When does the existing agreement entered into by the Saskatchewan and Ottawa Governments expire?

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

1. Under the agreement entered into with the Federal authorities regarding the Mounted Police the strength of the force in Saskatchewan and Alberta is required to be maintained at five hundred. The agreement entered into does not make provision for any specific number of men to be stationed in Saskatchewan.

2. The strength of the Royal North-West Mounted Police Force including officers, noncommissioned officers and constables was 654 on September 30, 1912, of whom 335 were stationed in Saskatchewan.

3. The existing agreement entered into by the Saskatchewan and Ottawa Governments expires March 31, 1916.

On motion of Mr. Moore, seconded by Mr. Larson.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that His Honour will cause to be laid before the House copies of all correspondence or other documents relating in any way to the question of the transfer to the Province of its lands and other natural resources.

On motion of Mr. Paulson, seconded by Mr. Devline,

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

1. A list of the elevators built or purchased by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company during the years 1911 and 1912 indicating the location, capacity and cost of each.

2. The amount of money advanced by the Government on account of such elevators for each of the said years.

3. The financial standing of the company at the close of its first year of operation.

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

1. Number of Rural Telephone Companies incorporated in the Province during each of the years 1908-1912 inclusive.

2. Number of miles of telephone lines constructed by these companies during each of the said years.

3. Number of subscribers served by the said companies during each of the said years.

4. The approximate capital cost per mile of supplying telephone service through rural companies including the cost of telephone poles.

5. The number of applications now on hand for the organisation of rural telephone companies.

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

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that His Honour will cause to be laid before this House copies of all Orders in Council relating in any way to the Guarantee of Bonds of any Railway Company upon any line of Railway within the Province of Saskatchewan.

Ordered, That Mr. Langley have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Rural Municipalities Act.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Langley have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Local Improvement 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 Monday next.

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

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

Seventh annual report of the Department of Agriculture of the Province of Saskatchewan 1911. (Sessional Paper No. 4.)

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

Second annual report of the Director of Agricultural Extension on the work of the Agricultural Societies of Saskatchewan during 1911.

(Sessional Paper No. 5.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 4) respecting Brands.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 4 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of the Town of Weyburn praying for an Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn.

Of J. Lorne Campbell and thirty-six others praying for an Act to incorporate The Glenavon Hospital.

Of the Town of Arcola praying for an Act to authorise the Town of Arcola to borrow money for certain public works.

Mr. Bole from the Standing Committee of Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of the City of Saskatoon praying for an Act to confirm a Survey of a Portion of the City of Saskatoon and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the City of Saskatoon praying for an Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Power Company and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have examined the petition of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company praying for an Act confirming the Agreement made by them with the City of Regina and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have examined the petition of R. G. Speers and M. H. Meredith praying for an Act to confirm and validate Agreement

for sale re Lots 11 and 12 north of 19th Street, West Central Avenue, Battleford, 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 examined the petition of the Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation praying for an Act whereby the name of the Corporation may be changed to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

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

Mr. Cunningham asked the Government the following question:

1. Has the Government any knowledge as to when the necessary Judges will be appointed for the new Judicial Districts recently created? If so, when will these appointments be made?

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

The appointment of the necessary Judges of the new Judicial Districts is a matter within the jurisdiction of the Federal Government. It is the intention of this Government at an early date to take up with the Federal Government the matter of these appointments.

Mr. Willoughby asked the Government the following question:

What steps have been taken to establish additional Judicial Districts and what is the Judicial centre and what the territorial units of each, if created?

Mr. Turgeon answered as follows:

1. An Order was made in Council on October 1, 1912, directing that a proclamation issue declaring that the provisions of The District Courts Act dividing the Province into eight Judicial Districts be rescinded and that the Province for the purpose of the said Act be divided into seventeen Judicial Districts as provided therein.

2. The centres of the new Judicial Districts are respectively Arcola, Moosomin, Yorkton, Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Battleford, Scott, Kerrobert, Kindersley, Swift Current, Estevan, Melville, Wynyard, Weyburn and Humboldt.

3. The respective territorial units of the said new Judicial Districts are set out in the said Order in Council.

Mr. Forsyth asked the Government the following questions:

1. What steps, if any, have the Government taken with regard to the matter of holding an enquiry into the question of the feasibility of generating and transmitting electrical power from the Souris coal fields?

2. If such enquiry has been held is it the intention of the Government to submit to the House at this Session a report thereon?

3. If so, when may such report be expected?

Mr. Bell answered as follows:

1. The Government by an Order of the Lieutenant Governor in Council placed the matter in the hands of the chairman of the Highway Commission. Engineers were employed and have carried on an investigation during the summer.

2. Yes.

3. In the course of a few days.

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

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution respecting fees to be paid in connection with the record of brands.

Mr. Scott (Swift Current), 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. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

That it is expedient to provide that the following Tariff of Fees be authorised in connection with the record of brands:

On application for allotment or renewal or reallotment of a brand .....	\$2.00
On application for change in the record of a brand.....	1.00
On every transfer of a recorded brand.....	1.00
For every search of the brand record.....	.50
For every certified extract from the brand record.....	.50

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

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 4) respecting Brands with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to confirm a Survey of a Portion of the City of Saskatoon.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to confer certain Powers upon the City of Saskatoon.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to confirm a certain bylaw of the City of Regina and certain Agreements and a Lease entered into between the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Line Company and 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 Monday next.

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

Annual Report of the University of Saskatchewan, 1912.

(Sessional Paper No. 6.)

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 3) to amend The School Grants Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

Moved by Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution respecting Grants to Schools.

Mr. Scott (Swift Current), 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. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

That it is expedient to provide that out of any money appropriated by the Legislature for the purpose there shall be payable in aid of elementary education the following grants:

To every school district that provides conveyance as required by section 167a of The School Act and in accordance with the regulations of the department in that behalf a sum to be determined by the Lieu-

tenant Governor in Council but not to exceed one-third of the actual cost of such conveyance as shown by proper vouchers therefor.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Calder,

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 3) to amend The School Grants Act with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 4) respecting Brands 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. 5) to amend The Treasury Department 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 the Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 3) to amend The School Grants 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. 2) to amend The School Assessment 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.

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

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

A copy of the return made by the Returning Officer for the electoral district of Cumberland at the recent election therein held and all papers and documents relating to the holding of the said election and of the official and other correspondence between the Returning Officer and any member of the Government or the Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

1. The number of rural municipalities established during each of the years The Rural Municipality Act has been in operation.
2. The number of small local improvement districts now in existence.
3. A map of the Province indicating those portions of it which are under municipal or local improvement district government.

On motion of Mr. Phin, seconded by Mr. Scott (Tramping Lake),  
Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

1. The number of licensed stallion districts organised in the Province during the current year.
2. A map indicating their several boundaries.

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

Copies of all correspondence, papers and documents in any way relating to the proposed transfer by the Government of Saskatchewan to the City of Prince Albert of the Provincial Jail property.

And then the House adjourned at 5 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. McDonald,—Of P. A. Salter and three others praying for an Act to incorporate the village of Balcarres as a town under the name of The Town of Balcarres.

By Mr. Finlayson,—Of D. Bracker and thirty-two others praying for an Act to incorporate The North Battleford Club.

The following petition was read and received:

Of A. R. Partridge and four others praying for an Act to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited.

Mr. Bole from the Standing Committee of Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of the Town of Arcola praying for an Act to authorise the Town of Arcola to borrow money for certain public works and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the City of Moose Jaw praying for an Act altering from four and one-half to five

per cent. rate of interest payable on certain debentures to be issued by the City of Moose Jaw, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the City of Moose Jaw praying for an Act ratifying and confirming certain bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw relating to the establishment of a Public Library, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have also examined the petition of the Town of Weyburn praying for an Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

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

Mr. Watson asked the Government the following question:  
Is it the intention of the Government to extend next spring the Long Distance Telephone Line from Rosetown to Macklin?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The Government has not as yet decided its long distance construction programme for the year 1913. The proposed Rosetown-Macklin line is included in the programme to be considered.

Mr. Simpson asked the Government the following question:

1. At what points in the Province has the Government arranged for Normal Sessions for third class students?

2. Is it the intention of the Government that Normal Sessions should be held at these points annually. If so, when is it proposed to provide the necessary buildings?

3. Does the Government intend to establish in the north-western part of Saskatchewan a permanent normal school for the training of first and second class teachers. If so when and where?

Mr. Scott (Swift Current) answered as follows:

1. Arrangements have been made to hold Normal Sessions for third class students at Moosomin, North Battleford, Prince Albert, Estevan, Yorkton, Moose Jaw and Saskatoon.

2. The points at which Normal Sessions are held for third class teachers is determined each year by the number of students applying and their residence. Permanent centres are not fixed.

3. Not immediately. There are at present permanent Normal Schools for the training of first and second class teachers at Regina and Saskatoon, and there is not yet a sufficient number of students to warrant the establishment of a third Normal School.

Mr. Bradshaw asked the Government the following question:

Has the Government of Saskatchewan received for its consideration and approval from the Canadian Northern Railway Company, the route, right of way or location plans for a line of railway running in a north-easterly direction from Prince Albert to a point on the Government Hudson Bay Railway at or near Split Lake?

If so, on what date were the plans received and have they been approved of by the Government?

If received and not approved of when will the said plans be considered by the Government?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. Yes. A map showing proposed route of a branch from Prince Albert to a point on the east side of township 51 range 19 west of the third meridian.

2. September 25, 1912. No.

3. Within the near future.

Mr. Bradshaw asked the Government the following question:

Has the Government of Saskatchewan completed arrangements with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company for the construction of a railway and traffic bridge across the South Saskatchewan river at or near St. Louis crossing?

If arrangements are not completed for the bridge, what is the cause of the delay?

Will the Government give the House the assurance that this bridge will be provided for during the years 1912 or 1913?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. The Government has not completed any arrangement for the construction of a joint railway and traffic bridge at St. Louis.

2. The Government understands that the construction of the railway bridge has been delayed because the Railway Company concerned was unable this year owing to the condition of the London money market to secure the funds necessary to carry out many of its undertakings.

3. The Government is not in a position to give such assurance.

Moved by Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Calder,

That whereas, during the Saskatchewan Provincial Elections of 1912 the Government of the Dominion of Canada, in an endeavor to bring about the overthrow of the Administration then and now in office in this Province, did by unconstitutional and illegal methods participate in the conduct of the campaign in the interests of one of the Provincial parties;

And whereas such interference consisted partly of statements and declarations of policy made at public gatherings in this Province by Ministers of the Federal Government affecting the constitutional relations of the said Government and the Government of this Province, such statements and declarations being of such a nature as to indicate the inauguration within Canada of a radically new and dangerous policy in regard to such relations between the Government of Canada and the Government of the respective province of Canada;

And whereas such interference consisted partly in the participation by unlawful methods of a large number of officials of the Dominion Government and particularly of the Department of the Interior in the said campaign;

And whereas subsequent to the said elections the Honourable Robert Rogers, the Minister in charge of the said Department of the Interior, speaking at the city of Montreal in explanation of the result of the said campaign and of the defeat of the political party upon whose behalf the aforesaid federal influence had been exercised, is reported in the *Montreal Gazette* in its issue of September 23, 1912, to have said as follows:

"Sentiment in the Province of Saskatchewan in favour of reciprocity?" he said. "No, no. In that province we have a very large foreign population, and I want to say here that a great many of these foreigners have taken on the responsibilities of our Canadian citizenship. I say further that such as have are numbered among our best citizens and our most loyal British subjects. Unfortunately, we have another class who have not assumed these responsibilities, and it was to that class that the Liberal party and the Liberal press of that province made their appeal in the recent contest. You naturally ask me what purpose they could have to serve in appealing to a class of men who were neither British subjects by birth or naturalisation and who could not for that reason exercise their franchise.

"My answer is that if these men lived in any other province in Canada than in Saskatchewan they could not exercise their franchise, but you all know that we have a Dominion naturalisation law in Canada. That law is supported, maintained and upheld in every province of the Dominion to the extent that each province places upon its statute book an oath which every elector who asks for a ballot is obliged to take before voting to the effect that he is either a British subject by birth or naturalisation. It existed upon the statute book of Saskatchewan until a few days previous to the election. Then the Premier of that Province introduced an Act by which they wiped out that part of the oath where a man was obliged to swear that he was a British subject. That was to enable them to pull the vote in favour of and in sympathy with them in that contest. It was the result of that vote that elected and returned that Government. That method was practised in every county within the borders of the Province."

#### *Much Improper Voting.*

"In one constituency where things were by no means at their worst, 1,914 votes were polled, and of these 214 votes were cast by men who were not naturalised British subjects. In addition to that, over three hundred loyal British subjects in that same county were denied the franchise to which they had a right. As the result the Liberal candidate was elected by a majority of eighty. That is what the Liberal press calls sentiment in favour of reciprocity. Among the classes of people to whom I refer there may be a strong sentiment of something else as well, as was evidenced on the day following when a motor procession was organised to do honour to the Premier. Some of

those taking part felt that full and complete honour could not be done without decorating their motors with the Stars and Stripes. That is what these men called sentiment in favour of reciprocity. How could there be an honest sentiment in favour of reciprocity in view of what has occurred since the recent contest?"

And in the *Montreal Star* of the same date to have said as follows:

"Our friends the Liberals as I said before are proud of the victory their party gained in the Province of Saskatchewan in the provincial elections, and they claim that it is proof that there is a very strong sentiment in favour of reciprocity in that part of the country at least. Well, let me explain to you what that sentiment consists of. There are in the Province of Saskatchewan a very large number of foreigners, many of them have become very good citizens of this country, some of them are even real examples of loyalty and devotion to the Crown and flag. But there are also a number of others who have never consented to take the oath of allegiance and who still have the right to vote, and let me say that it is to the latter that the Liberals appealed most particularly during the last elections in the Province of Saskatchewan. If those men were living in any other part of the country they would not be allowed to exercise the franchise, because every man who wishes to cast his ballot is required to swear, if called upon to do so, that he is a British subject. In Saskatchewan that obligation has been removed from the statute books, and this was done by the Liberals so that they might obtain the support of that class of foreigners. These conditions existed in every county of the province at the time of the elections, and in one particular county 214 votes were given by men who had not the right to claim the title of British subjects!" (Cries of "Shame!")

And whereas the said statements of the Honourable Robert Rogers contain allegations which if true indicate the existence within Saskatchewan of a condition of affairs dangerous to the national life of this Dominion, and which if false are a grave defamation of the Government and the people of this Province;

And whereas it is of the utmost importance that the fullest investigation to be held into the foregoing matters, viz.: the interference of the Dominion Government in the said election campaign and the statements made by the said Honourable Robert Rogers in explanation of the result of the said campaign;

Therefore be it resolved,

That the select Standing Committee of this House on Privileges and Elections shall immediately arrange for and conduct an inquiry into the said several matters, and that the said committee be instructed to report to this House its findings upon the said inquiry.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising thereupon,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Willoughby, seconded by Mr. Wylie,

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

And whereas at the elections held in 1905 and 1908 for the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, the Honourable Frank Oliver, then

Minister of the Interior, and Ministers of the Alberta Government, did take an active part in such elections in favour of the Liberal party;

And whereas Ministers of the Alberta Government did participate in the elections of 1912; And whereas the holding an inquiry before the Committee on Privileges and Elections could not be concluded at the present Session of the Assembly for want of time; and as it is desirable that such matters should be speedily investigated; And whereas, the said Committee is, to some extent, composed of Members of the Assembly whose return was affected by the improper and unfair election lists used at the election of 1912: And whereas, persons not entitled to the franchise were encouraged to place their names on such lists; And whereas voters were induced by supporters of the Government to believe that they could vote, whether aliens or otherwise, if their names appeared on the lists; And whereas, in the interests of good government in the Province it is expedient that the matters referred to in the recitals of the resolution and all other matters pertaining to the late elections should be impartially investigated as well as the matters referred to herein;

Therefore be it resolved that all matters referred to in the said resolution of the Honourable the Premier, including all matters referred to herein, and more particularly the election lists used at the election of 1912, and methods of their preparation with special reference to the names of qualified electors omitted from such lists and names of unqualified voters placed thereon be referred for investigation to a commission composed of Judges of the Supreme Court of Saskatchewan, with power to hold sittings at the most convenient places therefor and call for all papers and documents and to summon all necessary witnesses and that such Commission do report to this House.

And the Question being put on the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again put on the amendment,

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

YEAS.

Messieurs

Willoughby	Donaldson	Wylie
Bradshaw	Davidson	Tate
McDonald—7		

NAYS.

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Latta	Phin
Turgeon	Forsyth	Magee
Finlayson	Bole	Motherwell
Johnston (Melfort)	Calder	Atkinson
Ens	Bell	Langley
Mitchell	Smith	Sutherland
Scott (Arm River)	MacNeill	Robinson

Lothead	Robertson	Pierce
Devline	Beaudreau	Larson
Cawthorp	Paulson	Cunningham
Leitch	Moore	Scott (Tramping Lake)—33

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed,

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

That all the words after "resolved" to the end of the question be left out, and the following words be inserted instead thereof:

That the following members of this Assembly, namely: Messrs. Tate, Bole, Bradshaw, Magee and MacNeill, be appointed a Special Committee with full power and authority to inquire into and investigate the several matters referred to in the recitals to this resolution and that for this purpose the said Committee have power to summon witnesses to give evidence on oath and to produce such documents, papers, records and things as the Committee may deem requisite to the full and proper investigation of the matters they are hereby appointed to inquire into;

And be it further resolved, that the said Committee be empowered to report to this Assembly from time to time evidence as well as its findings with regard to any and all of the matters to be investigated by it.

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)	Leitch	Magee
Calder	Latta	Turgeon
Finlayson	Bole	Johnston (Melfort)
Bell	Motherwell	Ens
Smith	Atkinson	Mitchell
MacNeill	Langley	Scott (Arm River)
Robertson	Sutherland	Beaudreau
Robinson	Lothead	Pierce
Devline	Paulson	Larson
Cawthorp	Moore	Cunningham
Scott (Tramping Lake)—33	Phin	Forsyth

NAYS.

Messieurs

Willoughby	Donaldson	Wylie
Bradshaw	Davidson	Tato
McDonald—7		

So it passed in the affirmative.  
And the main Question as amended being proposed,  
It passed on division in the affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Willoughby have leave to introduce a Bill to ratify Bylaws 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw relating to a Public Library.

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. Willoughby have leave to introduce a Bill to provide for payment of interest under certain bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn.

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. Simpson have leave to introduce a Bill to confirm and make valid a Certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster and the sale to them of certain lots, namely, lots 11 and 12 on the north side of Nineteenth street, west of Central Avenue in the Town of Battleford and to authorise the said trustees to execute a legal and proper transfer conveying the title to said lots to the said F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster.

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

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

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

Annual report of the Department of Public Works of the Province of Saskatchewan for the financial year ending February 28, 1912.

(Sessional Paper No. 7.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

1. Number of Rural Telephone Companies incorporated in the Province during each of the years 1908-1912 inclusive.

2. Number of miles of telephone lines constructed by these companies during each of the said years.

3. Number of subscribers served by the said companies during each of the said years.

4. The approximate capital cost per mile of supplying telephone service through rural companies including the cost of telephone poles.

5. The number of applications now on hand for the organisation of rural telephone companies. (Sessional Paper No. 8.)

And the House having continued to sit until five minutes after 12 o'clock Tuesday morning adjourned.

REGINA, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of Richard Doyne MacDonnell and Joseph Campbell praying for an Act to incorporate The Prairie Loan and Investment Company.

Mr. Bole from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of J. Lorne Campbell and thirty-six others praying for an Act to incorporate the Glenavon Hospital, 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 A. R. Partridge and four others praying for an Act to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited, 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 Dominion Trust Company praying for an Act enabling them to take over Dominion Trust Company, Limited, 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 Peter McAra, Jr., and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The British Western Trust Corporation, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

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

Mr. Bole, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

Your Committee recommends that the date of the reception of petitions for Private Bills as defined in Rule No. 49 be extended until and including Wednesday, December 4, 1912.

And that the date for the presentation of Private Bills to the House as defined in Rule No. 49 be similarly extended until and including Wednesday, December 11, 1912.

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

Mr. Mitchell asked the Government the following question:

Has the Government had any notice as to the grain blockade at Colgate and Webster? If so, what steps have been taken to relieve the situation?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

Yes. A resolution of the Colgate Board of Trade and a communication from a citizen of Webster respecting this question were received. The superintendent of the district of the Canadian Northern Railway upon which these points are situated was communicated with without delay and urged to provide relief for these points. No reply has been received from the Canadian Northern Railway up to the present time.

Mr. Stewart asked the Government the following question:

Has the Minister of Railways received any communication from Wordsworth, Willmar or Browning regarding the car shortage existing in that section of the province? If so what steps has the Minister taken to relieve the intolerable conditions existing at the above mentioned places?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

Yes, a communication from Mr. Adam Geoffrey, of Willmar.

Upon receipt of complaint the matter was taken up with the general manager of the Canadian Northern Railway, who replied that he had issued instructions to have a supply of cars furnished as soon as possible.

Mr. Lothead asked the Government the following questions:

1. What steps, if any, have the Government taken to place the purpose and provisions of The Hail Insurance Act passed at the last Session before the rural districts?

2. Has the Government any information as to the number of municipalities or districts in which the hail insurance bylaw will be submitted to a vote this year, the number in which the council have decided that it shall be submitted, and the number in which no action in the matter has been taken?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

1. The councils of all the municipalities and local improvement districts in the Province have been communicated with by the Department of Agriculture several times in order to insure that the matter of introducing and submitting the requisite bylaw would be given con-

sideration by each council. Bulletins upon the subject have been furnished from time to time to the agricultural, daily, municipal and weekly journals. The co-operation of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association in directing attention to the provisions of the Act was asked and secured. A speaker has been supplied by the department to address meetings of ratepayers and grain growers whenever a request to that effect has been received. Some 12,000 copies of The Hail Insurance Act in English, French, German and Ruthenian, and 40,000 copies of a simple explanation of the provisions of the Act have been distributed either direct from the department in response to requests or through the medium of municipal secretaries and a heavy general correspondence upon the subject has been conducted.

2. Yes. 154 municipalities or districts have advised the department that the requisite bylaw has been given first and second readings by their council and will be submitted to a vote of the ratepayers, at the municipal elections. 35 municipalities or districts have advised the department that their council, after giving the matter consideration, has decided to take no action therein. 82 municipalities or districts have made no response to the various communications addressed to them by the department upon this question.

Mr. Lohead asked the Government the following questions:

1. How many Agricultural Societies were organised in the Province during the current year?
2. Date of such organisation?
3. Location of each society?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

1. 15 societies.
- 2 and 3:

<i>Name of Society</i>	<i>Place of Business</i>	<i>Date of Organisation</i>	
Brock Agricultural Society.....	Brock.....	January	12
Colgate Agricultural Society.....	Colgate.....	February	14
Invermay Agricultural Society.....	Invermay.....	February	14
Midale Agricultural Society.....	Midale.....	March	4
Fertile Valley Agricultural Society.....	Bounty.....	March	14
Imperial Agricultural Society.....	Imperial.....	March	25
Watrous Agricultural Society.....	Watrous.....	March	25
Plenty Agricultural Society.....	Plenty.....	May	22
Kerrobert Agricultural Society.....	Kerrobert.....	May	23
Pelly Agricultural Society.....	Pelly.....	June	24
Elfros Agricultural Society.....	Elfros.....	June	29
Southey Agricultural Society.....	Southey.....	July	16
Estevan Agricultural Society.....	Estevan.....	July	17
Shellbrook Agricultural Society.....	Shellbrook.....	August	30
Tantallon Agricultural Society.....	Tantallon.....	November	9

On motion of Mr. Harris, seconded by Mr. Scott (Tramping Lake),

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

1. The results of the Provincial General Elections of 1908 and 1912 under the following headings:
  - (a) Name of constituencies;
  - (b) Name of candidates;

- (c) Vote cast for each candidate;
- (d) Majority of successful candidates:

2. A comparative statement of the result of the general elections of 1908 and 1912 in the constituencies of Souris, Cannington, South Qu'Appelle, Moose Mountain, Pipestone, Moosomin, Pheasant Hill, Saltcoats, Last Mountain, Estevan, Weyburn and Milestone under the following heads:

- (a) Total vote cast;
- (b) Vote for each candidate;
- (c) Majority.

On motion of Mr. Devline, seconded by Mr. Robinson,

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

1. A list of the local improvements, including roads, bridges and other public works authorised by the Public Works Department or the Highways Commission in the constituency of Prince Albert during the year 1912.
2. A statement of the amounts so authorised to be expended by local councils.
3. The amount expended to date on the several improvements referred to.
4. The reason, if any, why any work authorised has not been undertaken or completed.
5. A list of the said improvements upon which work was stopped after July 11, 1912, and the reason therefor in each case.

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

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

The name and house address of the persons comprising the Commission appointed to investigate the matter of Technical Education.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation and to change its name to Saskatchewan General 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 Thursday next.

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

Report of the Board of Highway Commissioners of the Province of Saskatchewan for the season of 1912 up to October 31.

(Sessional Paper No. 9.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:

1. The number of licensed stallion districts organised in the Province during the current year.
  2. A map indicating their several boundaries.
- (Sessional Paper No. 10.)

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

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Company, 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 Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The British Western Trust 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 Thursday next.

Mr. Bell, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:  
Statement of Facts concerning Temporary Loans required to be submitted to the Legislative Assembly by Section 11 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes 1909.  
(Sessional Paper No. 11.)

Ordered, That Mr. Magee have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the Glenavon 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 Thursday next.

Mr. Bell, 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 29, 1912.  
(Sessional Paper No. 12.)

Statement of Special Warrants issued during the year 1911-12.  
(Sessional Paper No. 13.)

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The Dominion 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 Thursday next.

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Calder,  
Ordered, That the Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ending February 29, 1912, and the

Statement of Special Warrants during the Year 1911-12 prepared by the Provincial Auditor be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing.

Mr. Speaker laid on the Table of the House the Report of the Librarian. (S<sup>e</sup>ssional Paper No. 14.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 6) respecting Private Detectives,  
The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and  
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 8) respecting Circuses and Travelling Shows.  
The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and  
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 1) to amend The School Act.  
The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and  
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House tomorrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 13) respecting a Survey of a Portion of the City of Saskatoon.  
The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and  
Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 14) conferring certain Powers upon the City of Saskatoon.  
The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and  
Ordered, To be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways.

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),  
That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution respecting fees to be paid by Private Detectives.

Mr. Scott (Swift Current), 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. Bolc reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

That it is expedient to provide that persons desirous of being licensed as private detectives be required to pay an application fee of \$100 for license to conduct such business for the term of one year from the date thereof and a fee for a renewal of such license of \$100 per annum.

On motion of Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current).

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 6) respecting Private Detectives with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Calder,

Ordered, That James Franklin Bole, Member for the Electoral District of Regina City, be Deputy Speaker of this House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 6) respecting Private Detectives 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. Bell, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by His Honour.

And the message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered) and is as followeth:

G. W. BROWN,

*Lieutenant Governor.*

The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the province for the twelve months ending February 28, 1913, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly. (Sessional Paper No. 15.)

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

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 5 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bradshaw,—Of Nelson W. Morton and four others praying for an Act to incorporate The Security Mortgage Company of Saskatchewan.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of P. A. Salter and three others praying for an Act to incorporate the village of Balcarres as a town under the name of The Town of Balcarres.

Of D. Bracker and thirty-two others praying for an Act to incorporate The North Battleford Club.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Langley have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Public Health Act.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Motherwell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend An Act for the Protection of Game.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:

1. The number of rural municipalities established during each of the years The Rural Municipality Act has been in operation.

2. The number of small local improvement districts now in existence.

3. A map of the Province indicating those portions of it which are under municipal or local improvement district government.

(Sessional Paper No. 16.)

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

Report of the Railway, Telegraph and Telephone Department for the Financial Year ended February 29, 1912.

(Sessional Paper No. 17.)

Ordered, That Mr. Stewart have leave to introduce a Bill to authorise the Town of Arcola to borrow money for certain 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 on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 12) respecting Noxious Weeds.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 18) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 19) to confirm and make valid a Certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster and the sale to them of certain lots, namely, lots 11 and 12 on the north side of Nineteenth street, west of Central avenue, in the Town of Battleford and to authorise the said Trustees to execute a legal and proper transfer conveying the title to said lots to the said F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 15) confirming an Agreement between the City of Regina and the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 1) to amend The School 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. Bell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

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

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee of Supply.

*In the Committee.*

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand three hundred and forty-nine dollars and forty-eight cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Attorney General's Department).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Government Printer's office).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-six thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Legislation.

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-nine thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Administration of The Liquor License Act).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Elevators).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Education).

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Live Stock Industry).

No. 22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Interests).

No. 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eight thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Control and Game Protection).

No. 25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand seven hundred and ninety-six dollars and twenty-nine cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding nine thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, (Bureau of Public Health).

No. 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and eighty-three thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Miscellaneous Chargeable to Income.

No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28 1913, for Miscellaneous Chargeable to Capital.

No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Telephones Chargeable to Income.

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-seven thousand one hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Improvements).

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings).

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

Ordered, That the Resolutions from the Committee of Supply for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1913, be now read a first time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a first time.

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

Ordered, That the Resolutions be now read a second time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a second time and agreed to as follows:

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand three hundred and forty-nine dollars and forty-eight cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Attorney General's Department).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Civil Government (Government Printer's office).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-six thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Legislation.

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

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No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings).

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No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Elevators).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Education).

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Live Stock Industry).

No. 22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending

February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Interests).

No. 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eight thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Control and Game Protection).

No. 25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand seven hundred and ninety-six dollars and twenty-nine cents be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding nine thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, (Bureau of Public Health).

No. 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and eighty-three thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Miscellaneous Chargeable to Income.

No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Miscellaneous Chargeable to Capital.

No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1913, for Telephones Chargeable to Income,

And then the House adjourned at 5.10 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. McNab,—Of A. F. Simpson and five others praying for an Act to incorporate The Northern Club.

By Mr. Garry,—Of Joseph Caldwell and others praying for an Act to incorporate The Western Prudential Investment Company, Limited.

By Mr. Willoughby,—Of Harry Franklin Stirk and five others praying for an Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited.

By Mr. Bole,—Of Ambrose Clarke Hunt and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The Commercial Club.

The following petition was read and received:

Of Richard Doyne MacDonnell and Joseph Campbell praying for an Act to incorporate The Prairie Loan and Investment Company.

Mr. Bole, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of D. Bracker and thirty-two others praying for an Act to incorporate the North Battleford Club, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

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

Mr. Cawthorpe asked the Government the following questions:

1. Has a charter been granted to the Grand Trunk Railway for a branch line from Grandora on the main line to and connecting with their Biggar-Calgary line?

2. Has any survey been made?

3. Has the Government any knowledge as to when the construction of said line will be commenced?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. Yes, from a point at or near Grandora.

2. The Government has no knowledge of surveys having been made.

3. No.

Mr. Cawthorpe asked the Government the following question:

Has the Government received any communication from points on the Goose Lake Branch of the Canadian Northern Railway regarding the car shortage. If so, what steps have been taken to relieve the congested points?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The Government has received no such communication.

Mr. Bradshaw asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government to arrange for the extension of the Government Telephone System in Prince Albert City this year to meet the increased requirements of the citizens?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

Yes, during the year 1913.

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

Ordered, That an humble petition be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that His Honour will cause to be laid before the House all correspondence between the Government of this Province and the late Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier touching the transfer by the Dominion of Canada to this Province of the public lands and natural resources of the Province.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlayson have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The North Battleford Club.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on 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 26, 1912, showing:

The name and house address of the persons comprising the Commission appointed to investigate the matter of Technical Education.

(Sessional Paper No. 18.)

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

Report on Enquiry into practicability of producing Power at Coal Centres and distributing it throughout the Province.

(Sessional Paper No. 19.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 10) to amend The Rural Municipalities Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 11) respecting Local Improvement Districts.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 9) respecting Rural Telephone Systems.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 20) respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation and to change its name to Saskatchewan General Trust Corporation.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate The Glenavon Hospital.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 24) respecting The Dominion Trust Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 9) respecting Rural Telephone Systems, 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. 5) to amend The Treasury Department 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. 12) respecting Noxious Weeds, 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 5.15 o'clock p.m.

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REGINA, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Bole, from the Special Committee on the Election Charges, presented the following report:

Your Committee request that leave be given to employ the requisite stenographic assistance during the course of the inquiry.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

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

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

Bill (No. 14) to confer certain Powers upon the City of Saskatoon.

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

Mr. Bradshaw asked the Government the following questions:

1. Is Mr. Wm. Grant, a former Member of this Assembly for the Constituency of Vonda, now in the employ of the Government of Saskatchewan?

2. If so, what position does he occupy and what is the amount of salary paid to him?

3. If not now employed, has he been acting for or on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan at any time during the year 1912?

4. If so, in what capacity and in which department?

Mr. McNab answered as follows:

1. Wm. Grant is now employed by the Highway Commission.

2. Inspector of Highways in Biggar, Eagle Creek and Saskatoon County. Wages, \$6 per day.

Mr. Davidson asked the Government the following questions:

1. What action has the Government of Saskatchewan taken within the past twelve months for the construction or extension of railway through or within the limits of the Constituency of Willow Bunch?

2. If no action has been taken, what is the programme of the Government for railway extension during the year 1913 within the district named?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. The Government has made provision for an extension of the Maryfield line, a distance of 60 miles, and has also continued to urge upon the Canadian Pacific Railway Company the necessity for extending their Weyburn-Lethbridge branch.

2. The Government understands that the construction of the two lines referred to will be proceeded with as rapidly as possible during 1913.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

Copies of all correspondence or other documents relating in any way to the question of the transfer to the Province of its lands and other natural resources. (Sessional Paper No. 20.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 28) to amend chapter 128 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game."

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 29) to authorise the Town of Arcola to Borrow Money for Certain Public Works.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill  
 (No. 16) to ratify Bylaws 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw  
 relating to a Public Library.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill  
 (No. 17) to provide for payment of Interest under certain Bylaws of  
 the City of Moose Jaw.

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of  
 the Whole on the Bill (No. 9) respecting Rural Telephone Systems,  
 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. 10) to amend The Rural Municipalities 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, MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of Nelson W. Morton and four others praying for an Act to  
 incorporate The Security Mortgage Company of Saskatchewan.

Of A. F. Simpson and five others praying for an Act to incorporate  
 The Northern Club.

Of Joseph Caldwell and others praying for an Act to incorporate  
 The Western Prudential Investment Company, Limited.

Of Harry Franklin Stirik and five others praying for an Act to  
 incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited.

Of Ambrose Clarke Hunt and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The Commercial Club.

Mr. Forsyth asked the Government the following questions:

1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Canadian Northern Railway Company towards the construction of its branch line northward from Bienfait to join the Regina-Brandon main line?
2. Have the surveys for this line been completed, and if so has the route been approved by the Government?
3. Can the Government give an assurance that this branch will be completed in 1913?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. The company during the present year had survey parties in field to locate the line.
2. The surveys for a general route selected by company have been completed but such route has not as yet been approved.
3. The present understanding with the company is that construction work on this line will be commenced in 1913 and it is hoped the line will be completed by the end of the year.

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

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 12) respecting Noxious Weeds, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. MacNeill 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. 9) respecting Rural Telephone Systems, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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 5.25 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bole,—Of Avory B. Yager and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The Empire Mortgage Trust Company.

Mr. Bole from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of Harry Franklin Stirk and five others praying for an Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited, 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 Nelson W. Morton and four others praying for an Act to incorporate The Security Mortgage Company 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.

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

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 18) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn.

Bill (No. 16) to ratify Bylaws 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw relating to a Public Library.

Bill (No. 17) to provide for payment of interest under certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw.

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

Mr. Willoughby asked the Government the following questions:

1. What is the capital expenditure on each registry office in the Province erected by the Government?
2. What is the value of each registry office turned over by the Dominion of Canada to the Province?
3. What is the annual cost of maintenance of each of the offices in questions 1 and 2?
4. What is the amount of the Assurance Fund in connection with Land Titles Act turned over to the Province?
5. What is the amount of such Fund?
6. What claims, giving names and amounts, have been paid out of the Fund?

Mr. Bell answered as follows:

1. The capital expenditure on each registry office in the Province created by the Government is as follows:

Regina .....	\$138,800.60
Moose Jaw .....	63,367.95
Cannington .....	22,949.87

Moosomin .....	2,691.80
Prince Albert .....	Nil
Saskatoon .....	60,549.69
Yorkton .....	38,667.02
Battleford .....	43,161.86

2. The value of each Registry Office turned over by the Dominion to the Province was:

Battleford .....	\$ 2,232.00
Regina (furniture only) .....	1,749.75
Prince Albert (furniture only) .....	26.00

3. The cost of maintenance of each of the Registry Offices referred to in questions 1 and 2 for the fiscal year 1911-12 was:

Regina .....	\$ 3,305.66
Moose Jaw .....	2,087.35
Cannington .....	Nil
Moosomin .....	Nil
Prince Albert .....	900.00
Saskatoon .....	2,090.94
Yorkton .....	1,017.34
Battleford .....	950.35

4. The amount of the Assurance Fund turned over to the Province was \$125,621.12, being the collections from July 1, 1886, to September 7, 1906, with interest thereon to December 28, 1908.

5. The amount of the Assurance Fund is, under subsection (3) of section 154 of The Land Titles Act, maintained at \$75,000, the amount of the collections in excess of that sum being transferred to the General Revenue Fund.

6. The claims that have been paid out of the Fund are:

Acheson & Shannon .....	\$ 5.00
A. M. Lenglet .....	5.70
Sylvester Manufacturing Company .....	17.59
J. J. Sparrow .....	404.56
Kidd & Clements .....	224.54
G. Jensen .....	5.20
H. O. Powell .....	195.80
Mackenzie, Brown & Co. ....	10.00
J. R. Near .....	10.00
Seaborn, Taylor, Pope & Quirk .....	12.00
Parker & Livingstone .....	67.95
R. D. Worsley .....	70.65
H. R. Finlay .....	91.26
Beaver Lumber Company .....	257.59
W. J. Hay .....	4,039.37
Isaac Rosen .....	192.71
J. G. Nicholson .....	622.45
Hall Co., Ltd., Winnipeg .....	15.45
Canada Life Assurance Company .....	480.98
Munson, Allan & Co. ....	6.40
Minister of Agriculture .....	185.83
Minister of Agriculture .....	266.96

Minister of Agriculture.....	171.16
Munson, Allan & Co.....	8.00
Minister of Agriculture.....	211.90
Beaver Lumber Co.....	29.13

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

1. The names of all inspectors and foremen employed by the Highway Commission on the Government gang during 1912.
2. The date each began work and period during which work done.
3. The rate of wages paid.
4. The aggregate amount drawn by each.

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

1. What sheriffs in this province are paid by fees and those by salaries?
2. What are the net returns to the Government for each office in which the sheriff is paid by fees?
3. What are the net amounts received and retained by each sheriff paid by fees?
4. What salaries do sheriffs receive who are paid by salaries?

Ordered, That Mr. Langley 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 Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Langley 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 Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Langley 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 Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bradshaw have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Security Mortgage Company 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 Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Willoughby have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, 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 Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 22) to incorporate The British Western Trust Corporation.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 30) to incorporate the North Battleford Club.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No 11) respecting Local Improvement Districts, 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 5.10 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bole—Of Julius Friedman and two others praying for an Act to incorporate Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway.

By Mr. Sutherland—Of F. A. Blain and four others praying for an Act to incorporate Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon.

By Mr. McNab—Of J. O. Hettle and four others praying for an Act to incorporate Saskatoon Banking and Loan Company.

Mr. Bole from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of Richard Doyne MacDonnell and Joseph Campbell praying for an Act to incorporate The Prairie Loan and Investment Company, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

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

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 15) to confirm a certain Bylaw of the City of Regina and Certain Agreements and a Lease entered into between the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the City of Regina.

Bill (No. 23) to incorporate the Glenavon Hospital.

Bill (No. 24) respecting the Dominion Trust Company.

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

Mr. Beaudreau asked the Government the following questions:

1. How many well boring machines does the Government own?
2. Where were they operated during the present year?
3. Is it the intention of the Government to co-operate with and assist municipalities in sinking test wells in those areas of the Province where a supply of water is scarce?

Mr. McNab answered as follows:

1. One.
2. Not operated.
3. Not considered.

Mr. Simpson asked the Government the following questions:

1. Is the Government aware of the fact that the Department of the Interior recently made arrangements for the sale of a large area of school lands situated in Saskatchewan?
2. Was such sale arranged for and held with the consent and approval of the Government of Saskatchewan? If not, why not?
3. Who was responsible for the selection of the lands to be sold and the fixing of the upset price?
4. What has been the practice in the past regarding the question of arranging for the sale of school lands?

Mr. Bell answered as follows:

1. Yes.
2. No. For the reason that the Government of Saskatchewan was not consulted by the Federal authorities respecting any features of the sales in question.
3. The Government has no knowledge respecting the person or persons responsible for the selection of the lands in question and the fixing of their upset price.
4. Prior to the last sale arranged for the officers of the Interior Department and its School Lands branch made it a practice to confer with and secure the approval of the Saskatchewan Government regarding all details connected with any general sale of school lands proposed to be held.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab 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 Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 25) to amend The Public Highways Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

On motion of Mr. Johnston (Melfort), seconded by Mr. Atkinson.

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

1. The names of the branch lines of railway, the construction of which has been provided for by bond guarantees together with a statement indicating:

(a) The length of line.

(b) Miles of steel laid.

(c) Miles of grading ready for steel.

(d) Date upon which line must be completed.

2. A list of such branches upon which no grading has as yet been done indicating the surveys completed or under way.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Tramping Lake), seconded by Mr. Watson,

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

The number of names on the Provincial Voters' Lists used in the General Election of 1912 and number of votes polled tabulated as follows:

(a) Name of constituency;

(b) Name of each poll indicating number of votes on list and number of votes polled;

(c) Total number of names on list for constituency and total number of votes polled;

(d) The number of votes cast for each candidate and the majority of the elected candidate.

On motion of Mr. Mark, seconded by Mr. Harris,

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

1. The name and location of every ferry in the Province operated by the Government.

2. The original cost of installing each such ferry.
3. The cost of maintaining and operating each such ferry during the year 1912.
4. The extent to which each such ferry was used during the year 1912.

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

1. The names of places where sheep sales were held in the Province during the current year.
2. The number of applications received from intending purchasers.
3. The number of sheep sold, indicating grade and price.
4. The number of sheep remaining unsold.

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

1. The total cost of the Legislative Buildings to date including:
  - (a) The cost of site;
  - (b) The improvements to the same;
  - (c) The cost of buildings;
  - (d) The cost of furnishings;
  - (e) The total estimated cost to complete the building.

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

The total cost of the preparation of the voters' lists during the present year.

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

1. The number of arrests made during the provincial election campaign for alleged violation of The Elections Act.
2. The number of persons arrested.
3. The number of convictions secured.
4. The number released without being brought to trial.

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

1. Copies of all correspondence carried on between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Ottawa Government or any of its officials with respect to the sale of school lands recently arranged for and now being held.
2. A statement of all school lands sold prior to July 1, 1912, indicating:

- (a) The area sold;
  - (b) The total selling price;
  - (c) The amount of principal paid;
  - (d) The amount of unpaid principal;
  - (e) The total amount deducted for expenses and administration;
  - (f) The rate of interest paid to the Province;
3. A statement indicating:
- (a) The number of parcels of school lands included in the sale recently arranged for;
  - (b) The total area of these parcels.

Moved by Mr. Willoughby, seconded by Mr. Wylie,

That it is expedient that the Government should take such measures as may be necessary to authorise and empower the appointment of counsel to represent the Government and Opposition, respectively, at the pending inquiry *re* Elections before the Select Committee of the House.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising thereupon,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

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

YEAS.

Messieurs

Willoughby	Donaldson	Wylie
Bradshaw	Davidson	Tate—6

NAYS.

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Bole	McNab
Turgeon	Calder	Motherwell
Stewart	Garry	Johnston (Pelly)
Finlayson	Atkinson	Johnston (Melfort)
Bell	Langley	Ens
Smith	Sutherland	Mitchell
MacNeill	Totzke	Scott (Arm River)
Robertson	Lyle	Lohead
Beaudieau	Devline	Paulson
Moore	Larson	Leitch
Latta	Magee	Mark
Forsyth	Harris	Scott (Tramping Lake)
Watson—37		

So it passed in the negative.

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

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

From January 1, 1912, to date, a statement in detail of all moneys expended by or on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan in what is now the Willow Bunch Constituency.

Moved by Mr. Sutherland, seconded by Mr. Magee,

Whereas during recent years the more advanced countries of the civilised world have recognised the necessity and are making ample provision for carrying on a class of educational work intended to improve, the skill, efficiency and scientific knowledge of their farmers, mechanics and artisans, thereby materially increasing the earning power and wealth of those nations;

And whereas it has come to be generally recognised that the existing school systems of Canada do not make proper and sufficient provision for furnishing the masses of the people with a technical, industrial or agricultural training;

And whereas it is in the interest of the Dominion as a whole that this educational problem should be grappled with and solved by the adoption of an aggressive policy involving upon each province the annual expenditure of a very large sum of money;

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House it is desirable:

- (a) That the Parliament of Canada should appropriate annually for a period of years a sufficient sum of money to enable each of the provinces to improve and extend its educational system so as to suitably provide for the class of training and education above cited;
- (b) That the moneys appropriated by Parliament for this purpose be granted to the several provinces of Canada on the basis of population;
- (c) That each of the said Provinces be required to enter into an undertaking to the effect that any grants thus received shall be expended solely for the purpose for which it is voted.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It passed unanimously.

On motion of Mr. Sutherland, seconded by Mr. Magee,

Resolved, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that copies of a Resolution concerning Technical Education be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council, and to the Provincial Secretary of each of the Canadian provinces for transmission to the Lieutenant Governor in Council of each such province.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Willoughby—Of Frank Garnet and seven others praying for an Act to incorporate The Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan of the Loyal Order of Moose.

By Mr. Bole—Of Hugh Armour and five others praying for an Act to incorporate The Assiniboia Trust Company.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Railway and Telephone Act.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Department of Railways.

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.

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

REGINA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Bole, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of P. A. Salter and three others praying for An Act to incorporate the Village of Balcarres as a Town under the name of the Town of Balcarres, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 concerning the advertisement have not been fully complied with, but your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Robinson asked the Government the following questions:

1. How many gun and game licenses were issued by the Government during the current year?

2. What is the total revenue received from this source?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

1. The returns are as yet incomplete owing to the fact that the year has not yet closed. Returns have been received up to and including November 30th for:

(a) 8480 \$ 1.00 Resident bird game licenses.

(b) 24 \$10.00 Nonresident 6 day game bird licenses.

(c) 7 \$25.00 Nonresident season game bird licenses.

(d) 156 \$ 2.00 Resident big game licenses.

2. The total receipts from March 1 up to November 30 are \$7,006.05.

Mr. Totzke asked the Government the following question:

Is it the intention of the Government during the present Session of the House to introduce a Bill handing over to the University of Saskatchewan the control and regulation of the various professions practised in the Province?

Mr. Scott (Swift Current) answered as follows:

The Government has not as yet reached a decision respecting this important matter.

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

1. Will the long distance telephone line be constructed next summer from Canora eastward through Kamsack and other stations on the Canadian Northern Railway to the Manitoba boundary?

2. Will connection be then made at or near Togo with the Manitoba long distance line and the necessary arrangements with the Manitoba Government completed for telephone connection with Manitoba points?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. Construction programme for next season has not yet been decided upon. The line from Canora eastward will be considered with others when decision is being arrived at.

2. The Manitoba Commission will be approached with a view to making arrangements for connection with the Manitoba system at or near Togo.

Mr. Magee asked the Government the following questions:

1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Canadian Northern Railway Company in connection of the two lines of railway in the southern portion of the Moose Mountain constituency guaranteed by the Legislature at its last session?

2. When is it expected that grading will be commenced on these lines?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. The Lampman-Kipling branch has been surveyed and application has been made by the Railway Company for approval of route. Preliminary surveys are under way for the Kaiser-Swift Current branch but as yet the company has not applied for approval of route.

2. During the year 1913.

3. The Government is not at present in a position to give an assurance that these lines will be completed in 1913.

Moved by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Johnston (Melfort),

Whereas in Western Canada the cost of producing grain and the cost of living have steadily increased for a number of years past;

And whereas the farmers of Saskatchewan are at present being deprived of the advantage of the United States grain markets, thereby entailing a loss to them of millions of dollars annually;

And whereas it is desirable that steps should immediately be taken to bring about at least a partial measure of relief for the enormous loss thus sustained;

And whereas such partial relief may be attained by adjusting the tariff law of Canada so as to bring about a lowering of the price of rough lumber, cement, coal oil, gasoline, traction engines, separators and farm implements generally;

And whereas such a relief measure is the more warranted because in spite of ample protection for a long term of years the Canadian manufacturers of agricultural machinery and supplies are unable to satisfy the home demand;

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House it is the duty of the Government of Canada at the present session of Parliament to introduce and further legislation that will have as its objects:

- (a) The entry into Canada free of duty of lumber, all grades of gasoline, coal oil, machine and lubricating oils;
- (b) A substantial reduction if not abrogation of the duties upon cement and all kinds of agricultural machinery and implements;
- (c) An immediate increase of the British preference and the gradual ultimate of free trade within the Empire.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

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

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion of Mr. Watson, seconded by Mr. Scott (Tramping Lake),

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

1. The number of school districts in Saskatchewan on each of the following dates: September 1, 1905; December 31, 1905; December 31, 1906; December 31, 1907; December 31, 1908; December 31, 1909; December 31, 1910; December 31, 1911; December 1, 1912.

2. The number of school rooms or departments (including high school departments) maintained in each of the following towns and cities during each of the years 1905 to 1912, inclusive: Moosomin, Indian Head, Regina, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Weyburn, Estevan, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Yorkton, Battleford and North Battleford.

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

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

1. The number of miles of railway graded in the Province during the year 1912, giving the location of such grading.

2. The number of miles of steel laid by railway companies during the year 1912, showing location.

3. A list of the branch railways whose routes have been approved by the Government during the year 1912.

4. A list of the surveys made on other lines aided by the Government, the general routes of which have not yet been approved.

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

The amount paid to The Leader Publishing Company for work done for the Government from March 1 until December 1, 1912.

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

1. The names of special constables employed by the Government during the months of June and July, 1912.

2. The amounts paid to each.

3. The length of time that each constable was in the employ of the Government.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

1. A list of the elevators built or purchased by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company during the years 1911 and 1912, indicating the location, capacity and cost of each.

2. The amount of money advanced by the Government on account of such elevators for each of the said years.

3. The financial standing of the company at the close of its first year of operation. (Sessional Paper No. 21.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:

A copy of the return made by the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Cumberland at the recent election therein held and all papers and documents relating to the holding of the said election and of the official and other correspondence between the Returning Officer and any member of the Government or the Clerk of the Executive Council. (Sessional Paper No. 22.)

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

REGINA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were read and received:

Of Avory B. Yager and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The Empire Mortgage Trust Company.

Of Julius Friedman and two others praying for an Act to incorporate Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway.

Of F. A. Blain and four others praying for an Act to incorporate Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon.

Of J. O. Hettle and four others praying for an Act to incorporate Saskatoon Banking and Loan Company.

Of Frank Garnet and seven others praying for an Act to incorporate The Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan of the Loyal Order of Moose.

Of Hugh Armour and five others praying for an Act to incorporate The Assiniboia Trust Company.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

The Committee have had under consideration the following Bill, and have agreed to report the same with amendments.

Bill (No. 19) to confirm and make valid a Certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster, and the sale to them of certain lots, namely lots 11 and 12 on the north side of Nineteenth street, west of Central avenue in the Town of Battleford, and to authorise the said Trustees to execute a legal and proper transfer conveying the title to said lots to the said F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster.

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

Mr. Cawthorpe asked the Government the following question:

Has the Government any knowledge regarding a coal shortage in the Province. If so, what is being done by the Government to relieve the same?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

The Government has knowledge of a coal shortage existing at the present time at only one point in the Province, namely, the village of Harris on the Goose Lake branch of the Canadian Northern Railway. Steps were taken several days ago to secure such information as to delayed shipments as would enable the department to hasten the movement to Harris of such coal as was on order and an assurance was received from the Canadian Northern Railway Superintendent for the district that all shipments of coal, and particularly those consigned to points on the branch line of railway mentioned were receiving special consideration.

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Prairie Loan and Investment Company.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. McDonald have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the Village of Balcarres as a Town Municipality.

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

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

Moved by Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

Whereas by a resolution of this House adopted on the twenty-fifth day of November, 1912, Messrs. Bole, Bradshaw, McNeill, McGee and Tate, members of this House, were appointed a select committee for the purpose of holding an inquiry into certain matters set out in the said resolution;

And whereas the said committee is now holding its sittings and conducting the said Inquiry;

And whereas certain telegrams were forwarded by the said committee through the chairman thereof to the Honourable Dr. Roche and the Honourable Mr. Rogers notifying them of the sittings of the said committee and offering them an opportunity to attend the said sittings and produce evidence thereat;

And whereas subsequently on the second day of December, 1912, an article entitled "Scott's Flimsy Subterfuge" was published in *The Daily Province Newspaper of Regina* of which the following paragraphs are extracts:

"It is to be hoped that Hon. Robert Rogers and Hon. Dr. Roche treat the telegrams sent them by the Scott Government partisan investigating committee with the contempt they deserve."

"To appear before the partisan committee appointed by the Scott Government would be to subject themselves to indignity and unfairness. The personnel of the government portion of the committee is sufficient to guarantee this. After Premier Scott refused an independent commission there is no hope of fairness from his partisan committee. Messrs. Rogers and Roche are not responsible to the Scott Government, and would be foolish to countenance its attempt to hide its crooked work by recognising the partisan committee."

"The committee is a farce, a cheap political trick of a gang of political tricksters, and Messrs. Rogers and Roche should treat it as such."

And whereas on the third day of December, 1912, another article entitled "The Packed Jury," was published in the said *Daily Province* of which the following paragraphs are extracts:

"Mr. Turgeon has said that *The Province* has been guilty of contempt toward the Legislature. *The Province* has nothing to retract, and if its words bear the construction placed upon them by Mr. Turgeon the Legislature is responsible."

"If Hon. Robert Rogers or Hon. Dr. Roche recognise the partisan tribunal of a government elected by the most infamous methods they will be assisting in degrading public life. Imagine justice from Bole, McNeill and Magee, but more especially imagine fair play from these men when they are the creatures of Turgeon, Calder and Scott."

And whereas in the opinion of this House the aforesaid extracts and the general tenor of the articles from which they are taken constitute:

- (a) A libel upon certain members of this House in their capacity as members of the aforesaid select committee;
- (b) A contempt against the honour and dignity of this House and a select committee thereof;
- (c) An infringement of one of the most important privileges of this House.

Therefore this House desires to place on record its disapproval of the said publications.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

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

YEAS.

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Calder	Atkinson
Turgeon	Garry	Langley
Finlayson	Simpson	Sutherland
Johnston (Melfort)	Bell	Totzke
Ens	MacNeill	Lyle
Mitchell	Robertson	Larson
Scott (Arm River)	Beaudreau	Mark
Lohead	Paulson	Scott (Traumping Lake)
Leitch	Harris	Cunningham
Latta	McNab	
Bole	Motherwell—31	

NAYS.

Messieurs

Bradshaw	Wylie—2
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

REGINA, MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Bole, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your committee have examined the petition of Joseph Caldwell and others praying for an Act to incorporate The Western Prudential Investment Company, Limited, 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 Hugh Armour and five others praying for an Act to incorporate The Assiniboia Trust Company and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have also examined the petition of Ambrose Clarke Hunt and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The Commercial Club and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

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

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 30) to incorporate The North Battleford Club.

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

Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited.

Bill (No. 22) to incorporate the British Western Trust Corporation.

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

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. McNab,

That the House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution respecting fees to be paid by Circuses and Travelling Shows.

Mr. Scott (Swift Current), 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. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

That it is expedient to provide that applicants for license to exhibit any menagerie, circus, wild west show, trained animal show or show of any kind whatsoever be required to pay for such license the sums following for every day upon which the show is to be exhibited in Saskatchewan, namely:

For every circus, menagerie, wild west show and not more than one side show if travelling with

Over twenty cars.....	\$100
With twenty cars or less.....	50
Every other trained animal show.....	15
For each additional side show.....	10

And for every other show such sum as may be determined by the provincial secretary for every day upon which the show is licensed to be exhibited:

Provided that if any such show is exhibited as part of an industrial exhibition or agricultural fair the applicant shall pay such license fee as the provincial secretary may impose but not in excess of the fees set out above for the particular class of show; and the provincial secretary may have regard to any special circumstances of the case and may if he deem advisable impose a nominal fee.

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

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 8) respecting Circuses and Travelling Shows with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlayson have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate Western Prudential Investment and Trust Company.

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

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

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

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate Assiniboia Trust Company.

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

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 36) to amend The Steam Boilers Act,

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 39) to incorporate The Prairie Loan and Investment Company,

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 40) to incorporate the Village of Balcarres as a Town Municipality,

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 34) to incorporate The Security Mortgage Company of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 35) to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the Resolution moved by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Johnston (Melfort).

Whereas in Western Canada the cost of producing grain and the cost of living have steadily increased for a number of years past;

And whereas the farmers of Saskatchewan are at present being deprived of the advantages of the United States grain markets, thereby entailing a loss to them of millions of dollars annually;

And whereas it is desirable that steps should immediately be taken to bring about at least a partial measure of relief for the enormous loss thus sustained;

And whereas such partial relief may be attained by adjusting the tariff law of Canada so as to bring about a lowering of the price of rough lumber, cement, coal oil, gasoline, traction engines, separators and farm implements generally;

And whereas such a relief measure is the more warranted because in spite of ample protection for a long term of years the Canadian manufacturers of agricultural machinery and supplies are unable to satisfy the home demand;

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House it is the duty of the Government of Canada at the present session of Parliament to introduce and further legislation that will have as its objects:

- (a) The entry into Canada free of duty of lumber, all grades of gasoline, coal oil, machine and lubricating oils;

(b) A substantial reduction if not abrogation of the duties upon cement and all kinds of agricultural machinery and implements;

(c) An immediate increase of the British preference and the gradual ultimate of free trade within the Empire.

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Willoughby, seconded by Mr. Wylie,

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

That whereas the people of Canada by their verdict on September 21, 1911, declared for Mr. Borden's policy of a tariff commission;

And whereas the creation of such commission was thwarted by the action of the Senate of Canada;

And whereas it is expedient that prompt, adequate and impartial inquiry be made into the whole question of the Customs tariff and its bearing on the various industries and trade of Canada having regard specially to agriculture:

And whereas Federal legislation pending the report of such commission on tariff matters would be premature;

Therefore be it resolved that this House do respectfully petition the Parliament of Canada to carry into effect the expressed will of the people.

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

Willoughby

Wylie

McDonald—3

NAYS.

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)

Bolo

McNab

Finlayson

Simpson

Motherwell

Mitchell

Bell

Johnston (Pelly)

Scott (Arm River)

Smith

Atkinson

Lohead

MacNeill

Langley

Cawthorpe

Robertson

Eyle

Latta

Beaudreau

Robinson

Forsyth

Moore

Larson

Watson

Phin

Cunningham

Scott (Tramping  
Lake)—28

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed,

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

## YEAS.

## Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Bole	McNab
Finlayson	Simpson	Motherwell
Mitchell	Bell	Johnston (Pelly)
Scott (Arm River)	Smith	Atkinson
Lohead	MacNeill	Langley
Cawthorpe	Robertson	Lyle
Latta	Beaudreau	Robinson
Forsyth	Moore	Larson
Watson	Phin	Cunningham
		Scott (Tramping Lake)—28

## NAYS.

## Messieurs

Willoughby McDonald—2

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Lohead,

Resolved, That an Humble address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, praying that a copy of a Resolution respecting certain proposed alterations in the Canadian tariff be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council.

On motion of Mr. Moore, seconded by Mr. Cawthorpe,

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

1. The number of wolves killed in the province during each year since the Wolf Bounty Act has been in operation.

2. The amount of wolf bounty paid each year by the Government.

3. The number of Local Improvement Districts and Rural Municipalities:

(a) Formed into wolf bounty districts;

(b) Not formed into such districts.

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

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

All correspondence between the Government and the Canadian Northern Railway Company relating to the laying of steel from Edam north-west on the North Battleford-Athabasca line of the said railway company.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 14) to confer certain Powers upon the City of Saskatoon, 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. 14) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 18) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn, 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. 18) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 16) to ratify Bylaws Nos. 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw relating to a Public Library, 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. 16) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 17) to provide for payment of Interest under certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw, 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. 17) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate the Glenavon 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. 23) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 24) respecting the Dominion 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. 24) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 4) respecting Brands, 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. 4) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 11) respecting Local Improvement Districts, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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 on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 12) respecting Noxious Weeds, 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 on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) to amend The Rural Municipalities 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.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:

1. The number of school districts in Saskatchewan on each of the following dates: September 1, 1905; December 31, 1906; December 31, 1907; December 31, 1908; December 31, 1909; December 31, 1910; December 31, 1911; December 1, 1912.

2. The number of school rooms or departments (including high school departments) maintained in each of the following towns and cities during each of the years 1905 to 1912, inclusive: Moosomin, Indian Head, Regina, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Weyburn, Estevan, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Yorkton, Battleford and North Battleford.

(Sessional Paper No. 23)

And then the House adjourned at 9.35 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Bole from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of J. O. Hettle and four others praying for an Act to incorporate Saskatoon Banking and Loan Company and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have been complied with.

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

Your Committee have examined the petition of Avory B. Yager and two others praying for an Act to incorporate The Empire Mortgage Trust Company and find that the provisions of Rule 51 concerning the advertisement have not been fully complied with, but your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

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

Mr. Bole from the Select Committee on Privileges and Elections presented the following report:

In view of the situation which arose in the Committee on Friday last, and which was reported to the House on that date, and as a result of which the work of the Committee has since been suspended, the Committee now deems it advisable to make an interim report on the evidence so far admitted to the said Committee.

As to the first question to be inquired into, viz.: the unconstitutional and illegal participation of the Federal Government in the recent provincial elections, copies were filed of the following newspapers: the *Regina Daily Province* of June 11, 1912, the *Saskatoon Phoenix* and the *Saskatoon Star* of June 27, 1912, and the *Yorkton Enterprise* of June 27, 1912. These newspapers contain reports of speeches delivered in Saskatchewan by the Hon. Dr. Roche, then Secretary of State, upon the question of the transfer by the Dominion to the province of the natural resources of the province. Certificates of conviction and of the depositions in the cases of *King v. Alfred Smyth* and the cases of *King v. Lange* were also filed. These documents go to show the use of intimidation and other illegal methods by homestead inspectors and others in the said election.

As to the charges made by the Hon. Robert Rogers, copies were filed of the *Montreal Star* and the *Montreal Gazette* of September 23, 1912, containing reports of Mr. Rogers' speech at Montreal on September 21, 1912; these reports are similar to the quotations set out in the Resolution appointing this Committee. Evidence was also given by Mr. Phin, M.L.A., and Charles Whitman, registrar of voters' lists for the Electoral Division of Pipestone, as to the conditions of the voters' lists in the said electoral division.

Telegrams were sent on November 29th by the Committee to Hon. Dr. Roche and Hon. Mr. Rogers, calling their attention to the reports of their speeches above referred to and offering them an opportunity to explain their statements, and in the case of Mr. Rogers to prove the charges made. No reply to these telegrams has been received by the Committee.

Moved by Mr. Bole, seconded by Mr. Magee.  
That the Report be now received.

And the Question being proposed,  
And a debate arising,  
And the debate continuing,  
And the Question being again proposed,  
It was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

1. The number of epidemics of disease which broke out in the Province during the year 1912, indicating:

(a) The nature of such epidemics;

(b) The number of deaths in the case of each class.

2. The steps taken by the Bureau of Public Health to suppress Trachoma.

Moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Garry,

That, whereas 148 rural municipalities or local improvement districts out of the 269 municipalities, or districts at present organised have now been gazetted wolf bounty districts;

And whereas the union of rural municipalities at its convention of 1911 resolved that it would be in the interests of the whole province to form all municipalities and districts into wolf bounty districts;

Therefore be it resolved that, in the opinion of this House, it is in the best interests of the live stock, poultry and game interests of the province that all rural municipalities and local improvement districts should be required by law to be organised as wolf bounty districts.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Wylie,

That in view of the contemplated action of the Honourable David Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer in the British House of Commons, by means of which it is intended to tax the income of British investors in Canada, this House urges upon the Dominion Government the urgent necessity of protesting against such action on the ground that such a tax would have a tendency to interfere with the flow of British capital toward the colonies, thereby seriously affecting the development of Canada as a whole, and particularly the West.

And the Question being proposed,

The said motion was by leave withdrawn.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Direct Legislation.

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. McNab, seconded by Mr. Turgeon,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a proposed Resolution respecting fees to be paid for Inspection of Boilers and Firemen's Certificates.

Mr. Scott (Swift Current), 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. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

"That it is expedient that upon completion of his inspection the inspector shall issue to the owner of the boiler an inspection certificate and the owner shall pay the inspector for such inspection and the issue of such certificate a fee of \$5 for each boiler not exceeding 75 horse power and a fee of \$10 for each boiler exceeding 75 horse power:

"Provided that the fee for the inspection of and the issue of an inspection certificate for a heating boiler carrying less than 15 pounds pressure but exceeding 20 horse power shall be \$3."

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

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 36) to amend The Steam Boilers Act with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1912, showing:

1. A list of the local improvements, including roads, bridges and other public works authorised by the Public Works Department or the Highways Commission in the constituency of Prince Albert during the year 1912.

2. A statement of the amounts so authorised to be expended by local councils.

3. The amount expended to date on the several improvements referred to.

4. The reason, if any, why any work authorised has not been undertaken or completed.

5. A list of the said improvements upon which work was stopped after July 11, 1912, and the reason therefor in each case.

(Sessional Paper No. 24.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The names of places where sheep sales were held in the Province during the current year.
2. The number of applications received from intending purchasers.
3. The number of sheep sold, indicating grade and prize.
4. The number of sheep remaining unsold.

(Sessional Paper No. 25.)

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

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Bole from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

Your Committee have examined the petition of F. A. Blain and four others praying for an Act to incorporate Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 concerning the advertisement have not been fully complied with, but your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Your Committee have also had examined the petition of Julius Friedman and two others praying for an Act to incorporate Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 concerning the advertisement have not been fully complied with, but your committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Your Committee have also examined the petition of D. Quirk and eight others praying for an Act to incorporate The Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan of the Loyal Order of Moose, and find that the provisions of Rule 51 have not been complied with, but your Committee recommend that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

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

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 20) respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation, and to change its name to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation.

Bill (No. 29) to authorise the Town of Arcola to Borrow Money for certain Public Works.

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

Mr. Mark asked the Government the following questions:

1. What effort is being made by the Government to promote rail-

way construction throughout district embracing southern portion of Rosetown Constituency?

2. When is it expected the Canadian Northern Railway Company will proceed with the laying of steel upon the grade completed westward from Mackorir, also upon grade completed South from Mackorir?

Mr. Bell answered as follows:

1. Arrangements have been made by the Government for the construction of two railways to serve the territory in question, namely:

(a) An extension southward and south-westward through the Duck Lake country of the Delisle branch of the Canadian Northern Railway;

(b) An extension of the Moose Jaw-Riverside branch of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

Construction work will be continued on the first of these lines in 1913 with a view to having a considerable mileage completed to carry out next season's crop.

The second line will be completed to the Saskatchewan River during 1913, and negotiations are now under way with the Railway Company concerned to undertake construction work west of the River early in 1913 in order that steel may be laid with the least possible delay upon the completion of the bridge at the crossing of the river.

2. Track laying is being proceeded with at the present time.

Ordered, That Mr. McNab have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Saskatoon Banking and 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 Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Willoughby have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan of the Loyal Order of Moose.

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 incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Sutherland have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon.

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

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

Ordered, That Mr. Bole have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate Empire Mortgage 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 Friday next.

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

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 3, 1912, showing:

1. The names of all inspectors and foremen employed by the Highway Commission on the Government gang during 1912.
2. The date each began work and period during which work done.
3. The rate of wages paid.
4. The aggregate amount drawn by each.

(Sessional Paper No. 26.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 3, 1912, showing:

1. What sheriffs in this Province are paid by fees and those by salaries?
2. What are the net returns to the Government for each office in which the sheriff is paid by fees?
3. What are the net amounts received and retained by each sheriff paid by fees?
4. What salaries do sheriffs receive who are paid by salaries?

(Sessional Paper No. 27.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 28, 1912, showing:

All correspondence between the Government of this province and the late Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, touching the transfer by the Dominion of Canada to this province of the public lands and natural resources of the province.

(Sessional Paper No. 28.)

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Bell,

Whereas at the last Session of the Parliament of Canada a Bill was introduced by the Dominion Government providing for the expenditure by the said Government of certain sums of money in the construction and improvement of highways in the various provinces of Canada;

And whereas it is reported to be the intention of the Dominion Government to introduce similar legislation at the present session of the Parliament of Canada;

And whereas according to the true intent and interpretation of the Canadian constitution the control of highways and of all subjects pertaining to the building and improving of highways within a province are matters of provincial concern;

And whereas as a consequence it would seem that any action taken by the Parliament of Canada assuming to vest the control of such matters in the Government of Canada and to provide for the expenditure thereon of moneys taken from the revenue of Canada, constitutes:

1. An attempt to usurp the jurisdiction of the Provincial Legislatures in a matter of purely provincial concern;

2. An assumption that expenditures should be made upon the construction and improvement of highways in the various provinces in addition to the amounts which the said Provinces are in a financial position to make and consequently that the subsidies granted the several provinces under the terms of Confederation are inadequate for the proper carrying on of important works of provincial responsibility;

Therefore be it resolved that this House deems it to be its duty to direct the attention of the Federal and Provincial Governments of Canada to the constitutional question involved in the contemplated action of the Federal Government with respect to the improvement and construction of highways;

And be it further resolved that in the opinion of this House it is desirable before any further action is taken by the Federal authorities in the direction of providing for highway construction and improvement in the several provinces of Canada that the Governments of the said provinces should be called together in conference with the Federal authorities for the following purposes, namely:

- (a) The consideration of the constitutional question involved in the said proposed action of the Dominion Government;
- (b) The consideration of the advisability of so increasing the annual grants and subsidies payable to the several provinces to enable them to make proper provision for any additional expenditure that may be necessary for highway construction and improvement.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

On motion of Mr. Lochead, seconded by Mr. Beaudreau,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 4) respecting Brands,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 11) respecting Local Improvement Districts,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 12) respecting Noxious Weeds,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 14) to confer certain Powers upon the City of Saskatoon,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to confer certain Powers upon the City of Saskatoon."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 18) to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 16) to ratify Bylaws 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw relating to a Public Library,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to ratify Bylaws 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw relating to a Public Library."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 17) to provide for Payment of Interest under certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to provide for Payment of Interest under certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate The Glenavon Hospital,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 24) respecting the Dominion Trust Company,

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Dominion Trust Company."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 15) to confirm a Bylaw of the City of Regina and certain Agreements and a Lease entered into between the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the City of Regina, 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. 15) 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. 42) to incorporate The Commercial Club,

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 30) to incorporate The North Battleford Club, 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. 30) 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 incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited, 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 Public Highways 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. 25) 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. 26) to amend The Public Works Act, 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. 26) 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. 8) respecting Circuses and Travelling

Shows, 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. 19) to confirm and make valid a certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster, 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. 22) to incorporate The British Western Trust Corporation, 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. 22) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 10.10 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 34) to incorporate the Security Mortgage Company of Saskatchewan.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

On motion of Mr. Mark, seconded by Mr. Harris,

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

1. What has been the capital expenditure upon the ferry at Outlook for the years 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912?

2. What has been the cost of maintenance of this ferry during each of these years?

Mr. Bole, the Chairman of the Select Committee on the Election Charges, laid on the Table the following:

The minutes of the meetings of the Committee together with other papers. (Sessional Paper No. 29.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:

The amount paid to The Leader Publishing Company for work done for the Government from March 1 until December 1, 1912.

(Sessional Paper No. 30.)

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 28) to amend chapter 128 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game," 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. 36) 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.

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

REGINA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1912.

4 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. MacNeill from the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 39) to incorporate The Trust and Loan Company of Western Canada.

On motion of Mr. MacNeill, seconded by Mr. Scott (Arm River), Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Willoughby asked the Government the following questions:

1. Has the Government in its employ one Meyers, said to be a school inspector?
2. Has the Government or Highway Commission in its employ one Eisenhart?
3. Is the Government aware that the said Meyers and Eisenhart took an active part in the recent South Qu'Appelle bye election at Vibank and Davin polling districts?

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

1. Yes.
2. Yes.
3. No.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 25) to amend the Public Highways Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

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

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 8) respecting Circuses and Travelling Shows.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 15) to confirm a certain Bylaw of the City of Regina and certain Agreements and a lease entered into between the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the City of Regina.

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Tate,

That the Order for the third reading of the said Bill be discharged and that the Bill be referred to the Committee on Private Bills and Railways for the purpose of making the following amendment:

1. To insert a Clause providing for the indorsation of the principle of the Bill by the duly qualified Electors of the City of Regina.

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

Donaldson	Wylie	Bradshaw
Davidson	Tate	Lothead
Pierce	Cawthorpe—8	

## NAYS.

## Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	McNab	Turgeon
Motherwell	Garry	Johnston (Pelly)
Finlayson	Simpson	Atkinson
Johnston (Melfort)	Langley	MacNeill
Totzke	Scott (Arm River)	Robertson
Beaudreau	Devline	Paulson
Moore	Leitch	Cunningham
Latta	Mark	Forsyth
Harris	Scott (Tramping Lake)	Willoughby—27

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 a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Regina and Certain Agreements and a Lease entered into between the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the City of Regina."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 30) to incorporate The North Battleford Club.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The North Battleford Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 22) to incorporate The British Western Trusts Corporation.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The British Western Trusts Corporation."

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 36) 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. 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 on the Bill (No. 6) respecting Private Detectives, 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 resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 20) respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation and to change its name to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation, 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. 20) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 29) to authorise the Town of Arcola to Borrow Money for certain Public Works, 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. 29) 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. 21) to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Company, 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. 21) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 34) to incorporate The Security Mortgage Company 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. 34) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House, according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) to amend The Rural Municipalities 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.

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

Report on the Educational work of the University of Saskatchewan for the year ending June 30, 1912.

(Sessional Paper No. 31.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 12, 1912, showing:

1. What has been the capital expenditure upon the ferry at Outlook for the years 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912?

2. What has been the cost of maintenance of this ferry during each of these years?

(Sessional Paper No. 32.)

And then the House adjourned at 9.35 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Bradshaw,—Of the City of Prince Albert praying for an Act to confirm Bylaw No. 45 of the City of Prince Albert concerning the removal of certain restrictive conditions on certain land within the city.

Mr. Wylie asked the Government the following question:

Is the Hon. George Langley still a Director of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company?

Mr. Langley answered as follows:

Yes.

Mr. Willoughby asked the Government the following questions:

1. What amount has been transferred from the Assurance Fund under The Land Titles Act to the General Revenue Fund since the administration of The Land Titles Act was taken over by the Province?

2. What was the net revenue to the Province from the administration of The Land Titles Act in fiscal year 1911-12?

3. What are the circumstances under which W. J. Hay drew \$4,039.37 from Assurance Fund?

Mr. Bell answered as follows:

1. The amount that has been transferred from the Assurance Fund under The Land Titles Act to the General Revenue Fund since the

administration of The Land Titles Act was taken over by the Province is \$565,086.50.

2. The net revenue to the Province from the administration of The Land Titles Act in fiscal year 1911-12 was \$219,138.33.

3. W. J. Hay was paid \$4,039.37 from the Assurance Fund by reason of the loss accruing to him through a certificate with respect to the north-west quarter of section 2 township 10 range 16 west of the second meridian, having been issued on the thirteenth day of March, 1906, by the Registrar of the Assiniboia Land Registration District which failed to disclose a mortgage against the said land.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott (Swift Current) have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Secondary Education Act.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantees of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Certain Aid towards the Construction of Terminals of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill to authorise the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The Saskatchewan Surveys Act.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to provide for Special Surveys.

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, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to regulate Pool Rooms, Billiard Rooms, Bowling Alleys and Restaurants.

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, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend an Act respecting Commissioners to Administer 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 on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Act to prevent the Employment of Female Labour in certain Capacities.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Act respecting the Confirmation of Sales of Land for Taxes.

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, January 3, 1913.

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

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

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

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

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 Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Statute Law.

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

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement between the Government and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, 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 Friday, January 3, 1913.

Ordered, That Mr. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill respecting 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, January 3, 1913.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the Resolution moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Bell:

Whereas at the last session of the Parliament of Canada a Bill was introduced by the Dominion Government providing for the expenditure by the said Government of certain sums of money in the construction and improvement of highways in the various provinces of Canada;

And whereas it is reported to be the intention of the Dominion Government to introduce similar legislation at the present session of the Parliament of Canada;

And whereas according to the true intent and interpretation of the Canadian constitution the control of highways and of all subjects pertaining to the building and improving of highways within a province are matters of provincial concern;

And whereas as a consequence it would seem that any action taken by the Parliament of Canada assuming to vest the control of such matters in the Government of Canada and to provide for the expenditure thereon of moneys taken from the revenue of Canada constitutes:

1. An attempt to usurp the jurisdiction of the Provincial Legislature in a matter of purely provincial concern;

2. An assumption that expenditures should be made upon the construction and improvement of highways in the various provinces in addition to the amounts which the said provinces are in a financial position to make and consequently that the subsidies granted the several provinces under the terms of Confederation are inadequate for the proper carrying on of important works of provincial responsibility;

Therefore be it resolved that this House deems it to be its duty to direct the attention of the Federal and Provincial Governments of

Canada to the constitutional question involved in the contemplated action of the Federal Government with respect to the improvement and construction of highways;

And be it further resolved that in the opinion of this House it is desirable before any further action is taken by the Federal authorities in the direction of providing for highway construction and improvement in the several provinces of Canada that the Governments of the said provinces should be called together in conference with the Federal authorities for the following purposes, namely:

- (a) The consideration of the constitutional question involved in the said proposed action of the Dominion Government.
- (b) The consideration of the advisability of so increasing the annual grants and subsidies payable to the several provinces to enable them to make proper provision for an additional expenditure that may be necessary for highway construction and improvement.

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being proposed,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mr. Davidson,

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

That whereas the Government of the Dominion of Canada introduced at its last session an Act to Encourage and Assist the Improvement of highways;

And whereas the passing of such Act was defeated by the action of the Senate of Canada;

And whereas the Government of the Dominion of Canada has signified its intention of reintroducing the said Bill at the present session thereof;

And whereas by the provisions of the said proposed Act the same would come into effect in Saskatchewan only on its receiving the approval of the Legislature of the Province and the consent of the Lieutenant Governor in Council;

Therefore be it resolved, That this House do express its approval of the announced policy of the Dominion Government to aid in the construction and improvement of the Highways of the Province and that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be requested to give his approval to such measure in the event of the same being passed by the Dominion Government.

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

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

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 36) to amend The Steam Boilers Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 6) respecting Private Detectives.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 37) to amend an Act respecting the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 38) respecting the Department of Railways.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. McNab,—Of J. D. Ferguson and seven others praying for an Act to incorporate The Country Club of Saskatoon.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Tate,

That in view of the marked progress being made on the Continent of America by the movement in favour of equal franchise this House hereby signifies its approval of the extension of the franchise to women.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

On motion of Mr. Pierce, seconded by Mr. Cawthorpe,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 20) respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation and to change its name to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 20) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation and to change its name to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 29) to authorise the Town of Arcola to Borrow Money for certain Public Works.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise the Town of Arcola to Borrow Money for certain Public Works."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Supply Company, Limited.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Supply Company, Limited."

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

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 49) to incorporate Empire Mortgage Trust Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 41) to incorporate Western Prudential Investment Company, Limited.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate Assiniboia Trust Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 39) to incorporate The Trust and Loan Company of Western Canada, 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.

Ordered, That Mr. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill to ratify certain instruments executed by His Majesty the King to the Canadian

Bank of Commerce as security for The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, 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 Friday, January 3, 1913.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1912, showing:

1. The results of the Provincial General Elections of 1908 and 1912 under the following headings:

- (a) Name of constituencies;
- (b) Name of candidates;
- (c) Vote cast for each candidate;
- (d) Majority of successful candidates.

2. A comparative statement of the results of the General Elections of 1908 and 1912 in the constituencies of Souris, Cannington, South Qu'Appelle, Moose Mountain, Pipestone, Moosomin, Pheasant Hill, Saltcoats, Last Mountain, Estevan, Weyburn and Milestone under the following heads:

- (a) Total vote cast;
- (b) Vote for each candidate;
- (c) Majority. (Sessional Paper No. 33)

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) to amend The Rural Municipalities 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. 10) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House adjourned at 10.40 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1912.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to present the following report:

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

Bill (No. 42) to incorporate The Commercial Club.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Mitchell 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 recommend that the fees paid for the following Private Bills:

Bill (No. 23) to incorporate The Glenavon Hospital.

Bill (No. 40) to incorporate the Village of Balcarres as a Town Municipality be remitted less the cost of printing.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

Mr. Cawthorpe asked the Government the following questions:

1. What quantity of Live Stock has been shipped into the Province by the Government and Breeders' Association, classified as follows:

(a) Horses, male and female?

(b) Cattle, male and female?

(c) Swine, male and female?

2. The average cost and selling price?

3. Names of places and dates where sales were held?

Mr. Motherwell answered as follows:

1. (a) No horses have been shipped in either by the Government or by The Horse Breeders' Association.

(b) 350 head of cattle shipped in by The Cattle Breeders' Association, assisted by Government: 50 males, all pure bred, 300 females, 50 of which were pure bred, the balance grade.

(c) No swine have been shipped in either by the Government or by The Swine Breeders' Association.

2. The average cost of grade cows at shipping point was around \$65 to \$70.

The average selling price of grade cows from \$70 to \$75.

The average cost of pure bred cows at shipping point was around \$150.

The average selling price of purebred cows was around \$160.

3. The first series of sales were conducted from May 25 to June 10, 1912, at the following places:

Carlyle, Moosomin, Yorkton, Birch Hills, and N. Battleford.

The second series of sales were held from November 20 to December 17, 1912, at the following places:

Moosomin, Melfort, Lloydminster (2 sales), N. Battleford, Kindersley, Zealandia, Rosetown and Lashburn.

Mr. Willoughby asked the Government the following questions:

1. What was the cause for adjourning the date fixed for holding the pending election at Athabasca?

2. What expense was incurred thereby?

Mr. Scott answered as follows:

1. Election had to be postponed on account of error made by returning officer in not allowing four weeks between date of nomination and polling day as provided for in section 20 of The Athabasca Act.

2. No statement of expenses has yet been received from returning officer.

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

1. The total expenditure by constituencies under The Public Highways Act from 1st January, 1912, to 1st December, 1912.

2. The like expenditures under The Public Works Act and where and how spent.

3. What municipalities refused to co-operate with the Board of Highway Commissioners.

4. What municipalities received grants from the said Board without contributing a like amount to that supplied by the Board.

5. The names of all employees of the Highway Commissioners for above period, the place where employee worked, and the wages paid such employee.

6. The total amount of yards of dirt moved in each constituency and the amount paid therefor, showing each job separately.

7. All correspondence between the Board of Highway Commissioners and municipalities or any any member of a municipal council, or any official or member of the Government relating to the expenditure of money by the said Board during said period.

8. Copies of all vouchers and papers filed with the Board for expenditures by such Board during said period.

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

Resolved, That the Report from the Select Committee on the Election Enquiry which was received on Tuesday the tenth day of December be now concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current) seconded by Mr. Calder,

Resolved, That when this House adjourns today it do stand adjourned to three o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, the third day of January, 1913, and that when the House adjourns on Friday, the third day of January, 1913, it do stand adjourned until 11 o'clock a.m. on Saturday, the fourth day of January, 1913.

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the amendment moved by Mr. Wylie, seconded by Mr. Davidson, to the Resolution moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Bell,

Whereas at the last session of the Parliament of Canada a Bill was introduced by the Dominion Government providing for the expenditure by the said Government of certain sums of money in the construction and improvement of highways in the various provinces of Canada;

And whereas it is reported to be the intention of the Dominion Government to introduce similar legislation at the present session of the Parliament of Canada;

And whereas according to the true intent and interpretation of the Canadian constitution the control of highways and of all subjects pertaining to the building and improving of highways within a province are matters of provincial concern;

And whereas as a consequence it would seem that any action taken by the Parliament of Canada assuming to vest the control of such

matters in the Government of Canada and to provide for the expenditure thereon of moneys taken from the revenue of Canada, constitutes:

1. An attempt to usurp the jurisdiction of the Provincial Legislatures in a matter of purely Provincial concern;

2. An assumption that expenditures should be made upon the construction and improvement of highways in the various provinces in addition to the amounts which the said Provinces are in a financial position to make and consequently that the subsidies granted the several provinces under the terms of Confederation are inadequate for the proper carrying on of important works of provincial responsibility;

Therefore be it resolved that this House deems it to be its duty to direct the attention of the Federal and Provincial Governments of Canada to the constitutional question involved in the contemplated action of the Federal Government with respect to the improvement and construction of highways;

And be it further resolved that in the opinion of this House it is desirable before any further action is taken by the Federal authorities in the direction of providing for highway construction and improvement in the several provinces of Canada that the Governments of the said provinces should be called together in conference with the Federal authorities for the following purposes, namely:

- (a) The consideration of the constitutional question involved in the said proposed action of the Dominion Government;
- (b) The consideration of the advisability of so increasing the annual grants and subsidies payable to the several provinces to enable them to make proper provision for any additional expenditure that may be necessary for highway construction and improvement.

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

Willoughby	Donaldson	Wylie
Bradshaw	Davidson	Tate—6

NAYS.

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Forsyth	Harris
Turgeon	Bole	McNab
Stewart	Calder	Motherwell
Finlayson	Bell	Langley
Johnston (Melfort)	MacNeill	Sutherland
Scott (Arm River)	Beaudreau	Totzke
Devline	Paulson	Pierce
Cawthorpe	Moore	Larson
Leitch	Phin	Cunningham
Scott (Tramping Lake)	Magee	Watson—30

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed,  
The House divided and the names being called for were taken down as follows:

## YEAS.

## Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Bole	McNab
Turgeon	Calder	Motherwell
Stewart	Finlayson	Johnston (Melfort)
Bell	Langley	Sutherland
MacNeill	Totzke	Scott (Arm River)
Beaudreau	Devline	Phin
Pierce	Cawthorpe	Moore
Larson	Leitch	Paulson
Cunningham	Magee	Forsyth
Harris	Scott (Tramping Lake)	Watson—30

## NAYS.

## Messieurs

Willoughby	Donaldson	Wylie
Bradshaw	Davidson	Tate—6

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Bell,

Resolved, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that he will cause to be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada a copy of the Resolution respecting Highways for transmission to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council and also a copy to the Provincial Secretary of each of the Provinces of Canada for transmission to the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

Copies of all Orders in Council relating in any way to the Guarantee of Bonds of any Railway Company upon any line of Railway within the Province of Saskatchewan. (Sessional Paper No. 34)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 10, 1912, showing:

1. The number of epidemics of disease which broke out in the Province during the year 1912, indicating:

(a) The nature of such epidemics;

(b) The number of deaths in the case of each class.

2. The steps taken by the Bureau of Public Health to suppress Trachoma. (Sessional Paper No. 35)

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

Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year 1911-12, ending February 29, 1912. (Sessional Paper No. 36)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 9, 1912, showing:

1. The number of wolves killed in the province during each year since the Wolf Bounty Act has been in operation.
2. The amount of wolf bounty paid each year by the Government.
3. The number of Local Improvement Districts and Rural Municipalities
  - (a) Formed into wolf bounty districts.
  - (b) Not formed into such districts.

(Sessional Paper No. 37)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:

1. The names of special constables employed by the Government during the months of June and July, 1912.
2. The amounts paid to each.
3. The length of time that each constable was in the employ of the Government.

(Sessional Paper No. 38)

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 10) to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 50) respecting Wolf Bounties.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 33) to amend The Village Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 44) respecting Direct Legislation.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 39) to incorporate The Trust and Loan Company of Western Canada.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

And then the House adjourned at 11.35 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1913.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions being before the House for reception:

Of the City of Prince Albert praying for an Act to confirm Bylaw No. 45 of the City of Prince Albert concerning the removal of certain restrictive conditions on certain lands within the city.

Of J. D. Ferguson and seven others praying for an Act to incorporate The Country Club of Saskatoon.

Mr. Speaker made the following announcement:

The time for the presentation of petitions for Private Bills, as extended by Order of the House, expired on December 4, 1912, so the petitions cannot be received.

Ordered, That Mr. Scott (Swift Current) have leave to introduce a Bill to extend the effect of chapter 70 of the Statutes of 1912-13, being an Act to provide for payment of interest under certain bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Willoughby,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a first time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Willoughby,

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 69) be now read a second time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 69) to extend the effect of chapter 70 of the Statutes of 1912-13, being an Act to provide for payment of interest under certain bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Willoughby,  
Ordered, That the Bill (No. 69) be read a third time today.  
The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to extend the effect of Chapter 70 of the Statutes of 1912-13, being an Act to provide for payment of interest under certain bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw."

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk of the House had received from the Clerk of the Executive Council the following certificate:

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN.

*Office of the Executive Council.*

Regina, December 24, 1912.

This is to certify that by reason of the resignation of F. W. G. Haultain, Esquire, Member elect for the Electoral Division of South Qu'Appelle and in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the eighth day of November last addressed to Albert Stauffer, of Sintaluta, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of South Qu'Appelle, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral Division in the Legislative Assembly, Joseph Glenn, Esquire, of Indian Head, has been duly returned as such representative as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of record in my office.

J. W. McLEOD,

*Clerk of the Executive Council.*

Joseph Glenn, Esquire, Member for the Electoral Division of South Qu'Appelle, having previously taken the oath according to law and subscribed before His Honour the Lieutenant Governor the Book containing the same, took his seat in the House.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

The total cost of the preparation of the voters' lists during the present year.  
(Sessional Paper No. 39.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

From January 1, 1912, to date a statement in detail of all moneys expended by or on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan in what is now the Willow Bunch Constituency.

(Sessional Paper No. 40.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 56) respecting The Saskatchewan Surveys Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 57) to provide for Special Surveys.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 58) to regulate Pool Rooms, Billiard Rooms, Bowling Alleys and Restaurants.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 59) respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 64) to amend The Land Titles Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 66) to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement between the Government and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, dated December 6, 1912.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 67) respecting the City of Regina.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 68) to ratify certain instruments executed by His Majesty the King to the Canadian Bank of Commerce as security for the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 27) to amend The Public Health Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

3.45 O'CLOCK P.M.

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

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the titles of the Bills to be assented to as follows:

An Act respecting Brands.

An Act respecting Local Improvement Districts.

An Act respecting Noxious Weeds.

An Act to confer certain Powers upon the City of Saskatoon.

An Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn.

An Act to ratify Bylaws 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw relating to a Public Library.

An Act to provide for payment of Interest under certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw.

An Act to incorporate The Glenavon Hospital.

An Act respecting the Dominion Trust Company.

An Act to amend The Public Highways Act.

An Act to amend The Public Works Act.

An Act respecting Circuses and Travelling Shows.

An Act to confirm a certain Bylaw of the City of Regina and certain Agreements and a Lease entered into between the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the City of Regina.

An Act to incorporate The North Battleford Club.

An Act to incorporate The British Western Trusts Corporation.

An Act to amend The Steam Boilers Act.

An Act respecting Private Detectives.

An Act respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation and to change its name to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation.

An Act to authorise the Town of Arcola to borrow Money for certain Public Works.

An Act to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Supply Company, Limited.

An Act to incorporate The Security Mortgage Company of Saskatchewan.

An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

An Act to incorporate The Trust and Loan Company of Western Canada.

An Act to extend the effect of Chapter 70 of the Statutes of 1912-13, being an Act to provide for Payment of Interest under certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw.

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."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 31) to amend The City Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 32) to amend The Town Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 52) to amend certain Acts respecting the Guarantees of certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 53) to amend certain Acts respecting the Guarantee of certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),  
Ordered, That the Order for the second reading of the Bill (No. 55) be discharged and the Bill withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 45) to incorporate The Saskatoon Banking and Loan Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 46) to incorporate The Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan of the Loyal Order of Moose.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 47) to incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 48) to incorporate Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 5) to amend The Treasury Department Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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 on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 2) to amend The School Assessment Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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 on Monday next.

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 3) to amend The School Grants Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 9) respecting Rural Telephone Systems, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

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

The House according to Order again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 28) to amend chapter 128 of The Revised

Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) to amend an Act respecting the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 37) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Loan Companies, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported that the Committee had risen.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 38) respecting the Department of Railways, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Scott (Arm River) reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 38) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 50) respecting Wolf Bounties, 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. 50) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) to confirm and make valid a certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster, 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. 19) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 33) to amend The Village Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Stewart 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. McNab, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table the following:

Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The name and location of every ferry in the Province operated by the Government.
2. The original cost of installing each such ferry.
3. The cost of maintaining and operating each such ferry during the year 1912.
4. The extent to which each such ferry was used during the year 1912. (Sessional Paper No. 41.)

And then the House adjourned at 10.55 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 1913.

11 O'CLOCK A.M.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill No. 49. Empire Mortgage Trust Company.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Watson asked the Government the following questions:

1. In what year did the Canadian Pacific Railway commence construction work from Moose Jaw westward on the Moose Jaw-Lacombe Branch Canadian Pacific Railway and to what point was it completed in said year?
2. In what year did construction work begin from Lacombe eastward on the said Branch and to what point was it completed in said year?
3. In what year did construction begin from Stettler eastward and to what point was it completed?
4. In what year did construction begin from Castor eastward and to what point was it completed in said year?

5. The number of miles yet to be completed on said line and has the Government any knowledge when said line will be completed?

6. How many times has extension been granted to the said company for completion of said line?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

1. In 1905; 14 miles were graded.
2. No information.
3. No information.
4. No information.
5. The C.P.R. expect to grade west from Kerrobert in 1913.
6. No information.

Mr. Watson asked the Government the following question:

Has the Government any information as to when the Canadian Pacific Railway Company intend laying steel on their line graded from Kerrobert to Wilkie?

Mr. Calder answered as follows:

The C.P.R. expect to lay steel between Kerrobert and Wilkie in 1913.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 60) to amend the Act to prevent the employment of Female Labour in certain capacities.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 62) to amend The Assignments Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 63) to amend The Judicature Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 52) to amend certain Acts respecting 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. Bole reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 52) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 53) to amend certain Acts respecting the

Guarantee of certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, 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. 53) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill No. 35 to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited.

Bill No. 41 to incorporate Western Prudential Investment Company, Limited.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 1) to amend The School 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. 44) to provide for the initiation or approval of Legislation by the Electors, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. Bell, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by His Honour.

And the Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered) and is as followeth:

G. W. BROWN,

*Lieutenant Governor.*

The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

(Sessional Paper No. 42.)

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

Ordered, That the said Message, together 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. 66) to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement between the Government and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, dated 6th December, 1912, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Moore reported the Bill with amendments:

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 66) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 68) to ratify certain instruments executed by His Majesty the King to the Canadian Bank of Commerce as security for the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Moore reported that the Committee had made some progress and had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 27) to amend The Public Health Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Moore reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 27) be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 32) 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 Committee have leave to sit again at the next sitting of the House.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Willoughby,

Ordered, That in the lists of Members composing the Select Standing Committees appointed by the House on November 15, 1912, the name of Mr. Glenn do replace that of Mr. Bradshaw upon the Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law; and that of Mr. McDonald upon the Committee on Standing Orders; and that of Mr. Willoughby upon the Committee on Education; also that the name of Mr. Willoughby do replace that of Mr. McDonald upon the Committee of Public Accounts and Printing.

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Calder, Ordered, That on and after Monday next when this House adjourns it do stand adjourned to 11 o'clock a.m. of the following day and if the business of the day be not concluded at 1 o'clock Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair until 3 o'clock p.m.

And then the House adjourned at 10.35 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1913.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to present the following report:

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

Bill (No. 43) to incorporate Assiniboia Trust Company.

Bill (No. 48) to incorporate Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon.

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

On motion of Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Calder, Ordered, That on and after today during the Session Government Business shall have precedence on all days after the Order of Questions put by Members.

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.

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

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current), That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a Resolution respecting fees to be paid for licenses for Pool or Billiard Rooms, Bowling Alleys and Restaurants.

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. Mitchell 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. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

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

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

Moved by Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a Resolution respecting certain fees paid under the Corporations Taxation Act.

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. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

That it is expedient that the following taxes shall be payable under the provisions of The Corporations Taxation Act, namely:

First—Every bank doing or transacting business directly or indirectly within Saskatchewan:

- (a) In any incorporated city .....\$300
- (b) In any incorporated town ..... 100
- (c) For every other branch office of the bank..... 25

Secondly—Every telegraph company and every railway or other company which owns, leases or operates a line or lines or part of a line or lines of telegraph operated in Saskatchewan and does therein or carries on in connection therewith a general commercial telegraph business in Saskatchewan:

- (a) For every branch office of the company in any incorporated city .....\$125
- (b) For every branch office of the company in any incorporated town ..... 50
- (c) For every branch office of the company in any incorporated village ..... 20

Thirdly—Every express company doing or transacting business directly or indirectly within Saskatchewan:

- (a) For every head office of the company in every incorporated city .....\$250
- And for every branch office of the company in any city.. 50

- (b) For every branch office of the company in every incorporated town . . . . . 100  
 (c) For every branch office of the company in any incorporated village . . . . . 40

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

Ordered, That the said Resolutions be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill to amend The Corporations Taxation Act with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

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

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

Moved by Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a Resolution respecting an advance to the City of Regina.

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. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

That it is expedient to provide that the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall have power and authority to pay an advance to the City of Regina of \$500,000 for the purpose of enabling the City to afford relief to sufferers by the cyclone of June 30th last.

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

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 67) respecting the City of Regina with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant hitherto.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

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 and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Resolved that the Lieutenant Governor in Council be authorised on such terms and conditions not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act respecting certain aid towards the construction of terminals of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company as may be agreed on with the company to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds, debentures, debenture stock or other securities (hereinafter called "Securities") of the company to the extent for the purpose and upon the terms hereinafter set forth:

That the total amount of securities to be so guaranteed shall not exceed the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, 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 centum per annum payable half yearly and the principal shall be payable in thirty years from the passing of the said Act.

That the 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 mortgage or charge subject as hereinafter provided upon the terminals specified in the schedule to the said Act and with respect to which the securities secured thereby are issued and the tolls, revenues and income arising or to arise therefrom and the rights, privileges, franchises and powers of the company now or hereafter held or enjoyed in respect of the terminals and in the operation and maintenance thereof. Such mortgage or charge shall, however, be subject to such charges upon the said terminals, tolls, revenues, income, rights, privileges, franchise and powers as may exist under mortgages or deeds of trust by way of mortgage now or hereafter made securing the securities guaranteed or to be guaranteed by the Province by virtue of the Acts of Saskatchewan, Chapter 4 of the Statutes of 1908-9, Chapter 5 of the Statutes of 1909, Chapter 13 of the Statutes of 1912 and Chapter 14 of the Statutes of 1912 or any of the said Acts.

That the securities authorised to be guaranteed in respect of the terminals specified in the schedule to the said Act may be to an amount equal to but not exceeding the actual expenditure heretofore terminals provided that such expenditure for the purpose of such guarantee but not otherwise shall not, except as otherwise provided in the said Act, exceed for any terminal the amount set opposite such terminal in the said schedule.

That the kind of securities to be guaranteed and the form and terms thereof and the form and terms of the deed or deeds of trust by way of mortgage securing the same and the times and manner of the issue of the securities and disposition of the moneys to be raised thereon by sale, pledge or otherwise pending the expenditure of such moneys for the purposes of the terminals and the form and manner of the guarantee or guarantees from time to time or at any time given in respect thereof shall be such as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may approve.

That the said guarantee or guarantees shall be signed by the Provincial Treasurer or such other officer as may be designated by

the Lieutenant Governor in Council and upon being so signed the Province of Saskatchewan shall become liable for the payment of the principal and interest of the securities guaranteed according to the tenor thereof and the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall be authorised to make arrangements for supplying the money necessary to fulfil the requirements of the said guarantee or guarantees and to advance the amount necessary for that purpose out of the general revenues of the Province and in the hands of any purchaser, pledgee or other person acquiring any of such securities the said guarantee or guarantees so signed shall be conclusive evidence that the requirements of the said Act with respect to the guaranteed securities and the deeds of trust and all matters relating thereto have been complied with.

That the granting of the aid authorised shall be subject to the following express terms and conditions to be inserted in an agreement to be executed by the company before the execution of the said deed or deeds of trust and the said guarantees.

1. The company shall proceed with the making of necessary plans, specifications and surveys for each of the said terminals with all reasonable diligence and to the satisfaction of the Minister of Railways.

2. The company shall construct the said terminals to a standard to the satisfaction of the Minister of Railways.

3. The company shall pay the workmen and labourers employed in or about the construction of the said terminals such rates of wages as may be currently payable to workmen and labourers engaged in similar occupation in the districts in which said terminals are being constructed.

4. The company shall purchase within the province from merchants and dealers located and carrying on business therein the materials and supplies used in and about the construction of the said terminals in so far as such purchase can be made upon terms and conditions equally favourable to the company as those obtainable elsewhere.

5. In all contracts or subcontracts providing for or relating to or affecting the construction of the said terminal or any part or parts thereof the company shall provide effectually for carrying out the provisions of clauses 3 and 4 of this section.

6. The company shall not alienate, lease or dispose of the said terminals or any of them in any manner whatsoever nor shall it amalgamate with any other railway company or enter into any agreement or adopt any other method for the purpose of placing any of the said terminals under the control, management or operation in whole or in part of any other railway company without the sanction of the Lieutenant Governor in Council first had and obtained.

7. The agreement authorised by this section shall be in such form and contain such other terms and conditions not inconsistent with the provisions of the said Act as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may approve.

That subject to the proviso herein contained the deed or deeds of trust (hereinafter called "The Original Instruments") securing the securities authorised to be guaranteed may provide for the issue from

time to time and ranking *pari passu* with the said securities and without preference or priority one over the other of additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect in respect of any of the terminals mentioned in the schedule to the said Act and also additional securities of similar kind, tenor and effect also making *pari passu* and without preference or priority as aforesaid in respect of additional terminals (other than those mentioned in the schedule) in the Province of Saskatchewan to be hereafter constructed by the company but in amount not exceeding the actual expenditure made by the company for and in respect of such additional terminals:

Provided always that before any such additional securities are issued the guarantee by the Province of the payment of the principal and interest thereof shall first have been authorised and the amounts to be issued in respect of such terminals shall first have been fixed by the Legislative Assembly and that such guarantee shall first have been given pursuant thereto.

That a supplementary deed or deeds of trust (herein called "Supplementary Instruments") covering the said terminals mentioned in the schedule to the said Act in respect of which additional securities are authorised to be issued or such additional terminals as aforesaid, as the case may be, in the form approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council shall from time to time be taken to the trustees of the original instruments; and such additional securities shall be issued under the terms of the original instruments and supplementary instruments which together with the mortgaged premises covered by the original and supplementary instruments shall form the security for all securities issued thereunder in the same manner and with the same effect as if the original instrument and supplementary instrument or instruments formed together but one instrument and as if all the securities issued or to be issued under the original or supplementary instruments were issued under one instrument.

That if on the completion of any of the terminals it is ascertained that the expenditure on any such terminal or the aggregate expenditure on all the said terminals is less than the amount specified in the said schedule with respect to said terminal or the aggregate amount specified for all of the said terminals by reason whereof there remains a surplus of securities to be issued or that there is a surplus of proceeds of money realised by sale, pledge or otherwise of the securities issued the Lieutenant Governor in Council may authorise the issue and sale of such surplus of securities and the application by the company of the proceeds thereof or the application by the company of the said surplus of proceeds or of both or either of such proceeds in or in respect of any of the other terminals mentioned in the schedule hereto or additional or other terminals at other places in the Province of Saskatchewan approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

That a supplementary deed or deeds of trust covering the additional or other terminals which may be constructed by the company under section 14 of the said Act at such other places shall be taken to the trustees of the original instruments mentioned in the said Act in the provisions of section 12 of the said Act shall where not incon-

sistent with the said section 14 apply to the said supplementary deed and to the securities which may be issued and guaranteed in deeds and to the securities which may be issued and guaranteed in pursuance thereof.

SCHEDULE.

For terminals at the following places:

(a) For terminals at or near Saskatoon .....	\$1,200,000
(b) For terminals at or near Moose Jaw .....	850,000
(c) For terminals at or near Regina .....	850,000
(d) For terminals at or near Swift Current .....	450,000
(e) For terminals at or near Prince Albert.....	350,000
(f) For terminals at or near Battleford .....	100,000

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

Ordered, That the said Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 54) with instructions that it have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. Langley have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Rural Municipality Act (No. 2)..

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

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

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. Copies of all correspondence carried on between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Ottawa Government or any of its officials with respect to the sale of school lands recently arranged for and now being held.

2. A statement of all school lands sold prior to July 1, 1912, indicating:

(a) The area sold;

(b) The total selling price;

(c) The amount of principal paid;

(d) The amount of unpaid principal;

(e) The total amount deducted for expenses and administration;

(f) The rate of interest paid to the Province.

3. A statement indicating:

(a) The number of parcels of school lands included in the sale recently arranged;

(b) The area of these parcels. (Sessional Paper No. 43.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 51) to amend The Secondary Education Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 54) respecting Certain Aid towards the Construction of Terminals of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 61) respecting the Confirmation of Sales of Land for Taxes.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 65) to amend The Statute Law.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 60) to amend the Act to prevent the employment of Female Labour in certain capacities, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill.

Ordered That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 60) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 62) to amend The Assignments Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 62) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 63) to amend The Judicature Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 9) respecting Rural Telephone Systems, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) to amend The City Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 1) to amend The School Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 1) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 56) respecting The Saskatchewan Surveys Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 57) to provide for Special Surveys, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 59) respecting Commissioners to administer Oaths, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 59) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to the Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 41) to incorporate Western Prudential Investment Company, Limited, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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 on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 42) to incorporate The Commercial Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 42) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 49) to incorporate Empire Mortgage Trust Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 49) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 35) to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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 on Wednesday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 67) respecting the City of Regina, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 67) be read a third time on Wednesday next.

And then the House adjourned at 11.40 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1913.

11 O'CLOCK A.M.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 45) to incorporate the J. O. Hettle Company.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Arm River), Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Mitchell 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 recommend that fees paid for the following Private Bills:

Bill to incorporate the Northern Club be remitted.

Bill respecting Lands in the City of Prince Albert be remitted less the cost of printing.

Bill (No. 48) to incorporate the Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon be remitted less the cost of printing.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Arm River), Ordered, That the Report be concurred in.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate Assiniboia 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. 43) be read a third time on Thursday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 48) to incorporate Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon, 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. 48) be read a third time on Thursday next.

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

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

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

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 3) to amend The School Grants Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 37) to amend An Act respecting the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend An Act respecting the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 38) respecting the Department of Railways.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 19) to confirm and make valid a Certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 19) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to confirm and make valid a Certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster."

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

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

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

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

*In the Committee.*

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand four hundred and sixty-three dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Lieutenant Governor's Office).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-eight thousand five hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-five cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-five cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Attorney General's Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirteen thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-eight thousand and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-seven thousand five hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Public Works Department).

No. 1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and seventy-three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Debt.

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-eight thousand two hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-eight thousand six hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand three hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Railway Department).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-three thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Telephone Department).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-two thousand four hundred and six dollars and sixty-five cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventeen thousand seven hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Government Printer's Office).

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand nine hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Legislation.

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and ninety-six thousand and seventy-three dollars and eighteen cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Supreme, District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Police Magistrates' Courts).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-seven thousand four hundred and forty-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and ninety-one thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and forty-eight thousand six hundred and forty-six dollars and fifty-nine cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Administration of Liquor License Act).

No. 22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Legal Services).

No. 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty thousand three hundred and seventy-eight dollars and sixty-four cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings—Salaries and Maintenance).

No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million seven hundred and six thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings—Construction).

No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Improvements (Chargeable to Income).

No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Improvements (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven hundred and one thousand six hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Education.

No. 30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to General Agricultural Interests).

No. 31. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-eight thousand six hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Live Stock Industry).

No. 32. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and ninety-five thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).

No. 33. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-seven thousand four hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 34. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eight thousand nine hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-three cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bacteriological Laboratory).

No. 35. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fourteen thousand nine hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Control and Game Protection).

No. 36. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bureau of Labour).

No. 37. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 38. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and forty-nine thousand one hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Bureau of Public Health.

No. 39. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-eight thousand and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Neglected and Dependent Children.

No. 40. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-five thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Miscellaneous (Chargeable to Income).

No. 41. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Miscellaneous (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 42. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Telephones (Chargeable to Income).

No. 43. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million and sixty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Telephones (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 44. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding nine hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Telephones (Chargeable to Telephone Revenue).

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole 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.

Moved by Mr. Willoughby, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw,

That this House express its approval of the new Bank Act introduced as Bill No. 36 in the Dominion Parliament, in so far as the same makes provision for the lending to a farmer of money on the security of threshed grain, and to a rancher, of money on the security of his cattle.

And the Question being proposed

It passed unanimously.

Moved by Mr. Bole, seconded by Mr. Totzke,

That whereas it has been the policy of the Government in providing for the construction of public works to insert in all contracts a clause for the payment of a fair and reasonable rate of wages to all workmen engaged on such works or in lieu of such clause a schedule setting forth the minimum wages to be paid such workmen;

And whereas it is desirable that this policy which has been so beneficial to the wage earning classes employed on public works should be extended to all undertakings over which the Government has control.

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the Government should take such steps as are necessary to apply its fair wage policy to all provincial works and undertakings over which it has or may exercise the necessary control for this purpose.

Moved by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Ens,

That whereas on the third day of February, 1911, the following resolution was unanimously passed by this House, namely:

Resolved, that this House is of the opinion that the time has arrived when the lands set apart by the Parliament of Canada as an

endowment for school purposes together with all moneys which have accrued from the sale of such lands should be under the control and administration of the provincial authorities and the Government of Saskatchewan should continue its negotiations with the Government of Canada for the purpose of having the said endowment transferred to the Province;

And whereas the attention of the Government of Canada has been directed to the said resolution;

And whereas no action has been taken by the Government of Canada to transfer the control and administration of the said endowment to the provincial authorities;

Therefore be it resolved that the Government of Saskatchewan should continue to urge upon the Federal authorities the desirability of having transferred to the Province at an early date the control and administration of the said endowment;

And be it further resolved that this House is of the opinion that until such time as the said endowment is transferred to the Province none of the lands belonging to the endowment should be sold without the approval of the Government of Saskatchewan.

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

On motion of Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Willoughby,  
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

And then the House adjourned at 11.43 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1913.

11 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. MacNeill, from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing, presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing beg to report as follows:

That one thousand (1,000) copies of the Report dealing with practicability of producing power at coal centres and distributing it throughout the Province, as laid on the Table of the House, but without the plates included therein, be printed.

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

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to report as follows:

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

Bill (No. 47) to incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Arm River),  
Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The Order of the Day being read for the adjourned debate on the Resolution moved by Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Ens,

That whereas on the third day of February, 1911, the following resolution was unanimously passed by this House, namely:

Resolved, that this House is of the opinion that the time has arrived when the lands set apart by the Parliament of Canada as an endowment for school purposes together with all moneys which have accrued from the sale of such lands should be under the control and administration of the provincial authorities and the Government of Saskatchewan should continue its negotiations with the Government of Canada for the purpose of having the said endowment transferred to the Province;

And whereas the attention of the Government of Canada has been directed to the said resolution;

And whereas no action has been taken by the Government of Canada to transfer the control and administration of the said endowment to the provincial authorities;

Therefore be it resolved that the Government of Saskatchewan should continue to urge upon the Federal authorities the desirability of having transferred to the Province at an early date the control and administration of the said endowment.

And be it further resolved that this House is of the opinion that until such time as the said endowment is transferred to the Province none of the lands belonging to the endowment should be sold without the approval of the Government of Saskatchewan.

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 60) to prevent the employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 60) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to prevent the employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 62) to amend The Assignments Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 62) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 63) to amend The Judicature Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 9) respecting Rural Telephone Systems.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 59) respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 59) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 27) to amend The Public Health Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 50) respecting Wolf Bounties.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 50) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 52) to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantees of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Willoughby, seconded by Mr. Davidson,

That the Order for the third reading of Bill (No. 52) be discharged and that the Bill be referred back to the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of making the following amendments:

To insert a clause providing that in consideration of the extension of time granted by this Bill for the construction of the lines in whole or part mentioned in the said Bill the following provisions shall apply to the lines referred to in the said Bill:

1. If at any time it is considered in the judgment of the Lieutenant Governor in Council necessary or proper in the public interests that such railways or any of them should be acquired by the Province the Lieutenant Governor in Council may acquire the same and for that purpose sections 225 to 230, both inclusive, of The Railway Act shall apply.

2. The said companies referred to in the Bill shall furnish such information as to the location plans of passenger and freight stations on the line of the railway as may from time to time be required by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and in every case the granting of the said Guarantee shall be subject to compliance with such directions as

may be given by the Lieutenant Governor in Council from time to time for the erection of stations, the number of the same and the intervals at which the stoppages shall be made at such stations for the accommodation of the public.

3. The rates for passengers and freight which may be charged by each of the said companies on the said railways shall be such as may be approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and each by said companies shall comply with any conditions now or hereafter imposed by any Act respecting the granting of aid to railways.

4. The location of the said lines, in so far as not already built shall be subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council having regard to the feasibility of the route and engineering difficulties.

5. Provided, That the terms, directions and requirements of the Lieutenant Governor in Council and all powers hereby granted shall not be inconsistent with any order or regulations from time to time issued or made by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada or other competent authority under the provisions of any Act of the Parliament of Canada applicable to any of the said lines.

And 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

Willoughby	Donaldson	Glenn
Bradshaw	Davidson—5.	

NAYS.

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Garry	Johnston (Pelly)
Turgeon	Simpson	Atkinson
Stewart	Bell	Langley
Finlayson	Smith	Sutherland
Johnston (Melfort)	MacNeill	Totzke
Mitchell	Robertson	Lyle
Scott (Arm River)	Beaudreau	Pierce
Lohead	Paulson	Larson
Devline	Moore	Cunningham
Cawthorpe	Phin	Mark
Leitch	Magee	Scott (Tramping Lake)
Latta	Harris	Watson
Bole	McNab	
Calder	Motherwell—40	

So it passed in the negative.

And the main Question being again proposed  
The House divided and the names being called for were taken  
down as follows:

## YEAS.

## Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Calder	Johnston (Pelly)
Turgeon	Garry	Atkinson
Stewart	Simpson	Langley
Finlayson	Bell	Sutherland
Mitchell	Smith	Totzke
Johnston (Melfort)	MacNeill	Lyle
Scott (Arm River)	Robertson	Pierce
Lothead	Beaudreau	Larson
Devline	Paulson	Cunningham
Cawthorpe	Moore	Mark
Leitch	Phin	Scott (Tramping Lake)
Latta	Magee	Watson
Bole	Harris	
Motherwell	McNab—40	

## NAYS.

## Messieurs

Willoughby	Donaldson	Glenn
Bradshaw	Davidson—5.	

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantees of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 53) to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantee of Certain Securities of The Canadian Northern Railway.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 53) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 66) to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement between the Government and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, dated 6th December, 1912.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 66) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement between the Government and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, dated 6th December, 1912.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 35) to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 41) to incorporate Western Prudential Investment Company, Limited.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 41) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 42) to incorporate The Commercial Club.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Commercial Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 49) to incorporate Empire Mortgage Trust Company.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate Empire Mortgage Trust Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 67) respecting the City of Regina.

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

Ordered, That the Bill be not now read a third time but that the Order for the third reading of the said Bill be discharged and that the said Bill be referred back to the Committee of the Whole House with power to make the following amendment.

To strike out sections 9 and 10 thereof and to substitute therefor the following section:

9. Notwithstanding anything contained in chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan as amended at this present session or in any act in force in Saskatchewan, no application for the confirmation of any sale for taxes of any land in the City of Regina shall in case such sale was made prior to the first day of January, 1900, be made or heard after the first day of July, 1913; and in the case of all said sales in which no application to confirm is made on or before the said date, the sale shall be and become null and void and the rights and interests of all parties concerned shall be the same as if the said sale had not been made.

(2) A public notice stating the effect of this section shall, prior to the first day of July, 1913, be published by the said City of Regina

in four consecutive issues of *The Saskatchewan Gazette* and once in each week during eight consecutive weeks in a newspaper published in the said City.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 67) respecting the City of Regina 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. 67) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 67) respecting the City of Regina.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 67) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a Resolution respecting fees to be paid for licenses for pool or billiard rooms, bowling alleys and restaurants.

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. Bole reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

That it is expedient to provide that the following fees shall be payable for licenses for pool or billiard rooms, bowling alleys or restaurants, namely:

For pool room or billiard room license:

Upon the first table .....	\$15.00
Upon each additional table .....	5.00

For a bowling alley license:

Upon the first alley .....	15.00
Upon each additional alley .....	10.00

For a restaurant license:

In a city .....	15.00
In a town .....	10.00

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

Ordered, That the Resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bill (No. 58) with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

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

Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:

Copies of all correspondence, papers and documents, in any way relating to the proposed transfer by the Government of Saskatchewan to the City of Prince Albert of the Provincial Jail property.

(Sessional Paper No. 44.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 17, 1912, showing:

1. The total expenditure by constituencies under The Public Highways Act from 1st January, 1912, to 1st December, 1912.

2. The like expenditures under The Public Works Act and where and how spent.

3. What Municipalities refused to co-operate with the Board of Highway Commissioners?

4. What Municipalities received grants from the said Board without contributing a like amount to that supplied by the Board?

5. The names of all employees of the Highway Commissioners for above period, the place where employee worked, and the wages paid such employee.

6. The total amount of yards of dirt moved in each constituency, and the amount paid therefor, showing each job separately.

7. All correspondence between the Board of Highway Commissioners and Municipalities or any member of a Municipal Council, or any official or member of the Government relating to the expenditure of money by the said Board during said period.

8. Copies of all vouchers and papers filed with the Board for expenditures by such Board during said period.

(Sessional Paper No. 45.)

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The number of arrests made during the provincial election campaign for alleged violation of The Elections Act.

2. The number of persons arrested.

3. The number of convictions secured.

4. The number released without being brought to trial.

(Sessional Paper No. 46.)

On motion of Mr. Simpson, seconded by Mr. Atkinson,  
 Ordered, That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor praying that a copy of the Resolution relating to School Land Endowments be forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada for transmission to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council.

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

The Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways beg to present the following report:

Your Committee recommend that the fee paid for the following Private Bill,

Bill (No. 46) to incorporate the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan of the Loyal Order of Moose be remitted less the cost of printing.

On motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Arm River),  
 Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 58) to regulate Pool Rooms, Billiard Rooms, Bowling Alleys and Restaurants, 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. 58) 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. 72) to amend the Act to incorporate the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 72) to amend the Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Elevator 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. 72) be read a third time on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 71) to amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 71) to amend The Corporations Taxation 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. 71) be read a third time on Friday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 54) respecting certain Aid towards the Construction of Terminals of The Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company, 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. 54) be read a third time on Friday next.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 28) to amend Chapter 128 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game," 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. 28) be read a third time on Friday next.

Moved by Mr. Scott (Swift Current), seconded by Mr. Bell,

That whereas the Government of the Dominion of Canada is pledged to the policy of transferring to Saskatchewan the public domain within its limits;

And whereas the Government of Saskatchewan, pursuant to a Resolution of this House passed at its last Session, has directed the attention of the Dominion Government to the expediency of making the said transfer at as early a date as possible;

And whereas notwithstanding its said pledge and the representations made by the Government of Saskatchewan the Government of Canada has as yet taken no action towards arranging for the said transfer;

And whereas in the interests of this Province and of Canada as a whole it is desirable that the questions involved in the matter of the said transfer be settled forthwith;

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the Government of Saskatchewan should continue to urge upon the Government of Canada the necessity of arranging for the said transfer without further delay.

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Wylie.

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

Whereas the Hon. Walter Scott, Premier of the Province of Saskatchewan, by accepting such office on the granting of Autonomy to the Province indorsed the attitude and position of the Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in withholding from the Province its natural resources;

And whereas in the elections held for this Assembly in 1905 and 1908 the people sustained the position of the Hon. Walter Scott on the Land Question;

And whereas at the said elections of 1905 and 1908 the Hon. Walter Scott being Premier of the Province took the position that the so-called Land Question had been finally and constitutionally settled, and that such settlement made by the Autonomy Bill of a cash payment was better for the Province than obtaining its natural resources;

And whereas the Members of the Government and their supporters declared in the election of 1912 that the dominant issue was Reciprocity;

And whereas the people of this Province have never been given any direct mandate to this Government to demand the natural resources thereof;

And whereas this Province has suffered damage by the attitude of the Government in preventing expression of opinion on the land question and thereby delaying a proper settlement of the question;

Therefore be it resolved until such time as the electors of the Province shall give an unequivocal mandate in favour of demanding its natural resources in lieu of the present subsidy any action of this House would be premature.

And the question being put on the amendment,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again put on the amendment.

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

YEAS.

Messieurs

Wylie—1

NAYS.

Messieurs

Scott (Swift Current)	Harris	McNab
Turgeon	Garry	Motherwell
Stewart	Simpson	Johnston (Pelly)
Finlayson	Bell	Atkinson
Johnston (Melfort)	Smith	Langley
Mitchell	MacNeill	Totzke
Scott (Arm River)	Robertson	Pierce
Devline	Beaudreau	Larson

Cawthorpe  
Leitch  
Latta  
Forsyth  
Bole—37

Paulson  
Moore  
Phin  
Magee

Cunningham  
Scott (Tramping Lake)  
Mark  
Watson

So it passed in the negative.  
And the main Question being proposed.  
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill to further amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

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

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

And then the House adjourned at 11.50 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1913.

11 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 58) to regulate Pool Rooms, Billiard Rooms, Bowling Alleys and Restaurants.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 58) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to regulate Pool Rooms, Billiard Rooms, Bowling Alleys and Restaurants."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate Assiniboia Trust Company.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate Assiniboia Trust Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 48) to incorporate the Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 48) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon."

Moved by Mr. Turgeon, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),  
Whereas the Hon. Robert Rogers, ex-Minister of the Interior, and now Minister of Public Works in the Government of Canada, speaking at Montreal on the 21st day of September, 1912, in reference to the

Saskatchewan Provincial election of 1912, is reported in the *Montreal Daily Star* of September 23, 1912, and in the *Montreal Gazette* of the same date to have made statements to the following effect:

- (a) That there exists in the Province of Saskatchewan a large class of foreigners who do not wish to become British subjects and who are animated by an anti-British and anti-Canadian sentiment;
- (b) That the Liberal Party made their appeal particularly to this class of men in the said election;
- (c) That the election law of Saskatchewan was designed purposely to allow this class of people and aliens generally to vote without acquiring the qualifications of British citizenship;
- (d) That the voters' lists were prepared in such a manner that a large number of these anti-British and anti-Canadian foreigners and of aliens generally were unlawfully placed upon such lists and a large number of duly qualified British subjects were unlawfully omitted from such lists;
- (e) That the Liberal Party won the said election on account of votes improperly cast by the aforesaid foreigners and by aliens generally and of the unlawful exclusion from the franchise of duly qualified British subjects.

And whereas the aforesaid statements constitute charges which if true indicate the existence within Saskatchewan of a condition of affairs dangerous to the national life of this Dominion and if false are a grave defamation of the Government and the people of this Province;

And whereas this House, desirous of having an inquiry made into these charges and other matters of importance concerning the said Provincial election of 1912, did on November 25, 1912, appoint a Select Committee of the House to inquire into the same;

And whereas on November 29, 1912, a telegram was forwarded by the said Select Committee to the Hon. Robert Rogers calling his attention to the aforesaid newspaper reports of his speech and offering him an opportunity to substantiate the charges made by him;

And whereas the said Hon. Robert Rogers did not reply to the said telegram or produce any evidence before the said Select Committee in substantiation of the aforesaid charges;

And whereas in the opinion of this House the aforesaid charges are false and constitute a serious defamation of the people and the Government of this Province;

And whereas in the opinion of this House the conduct of the said Hon. Robert Rogers in publishing the aforesaid charges and refusing subsequently to substantiate the same before the tribunal properly constituted for that purpose by this House is regrettable and reprehensible;

Therefore be it resolved that this House express its regret at the aforesaid conduct of the Hon. Robert Rogers, and is of the opinion that the Government of Saskatchewan should take steps to call thereto the attention of His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council and of the Parliament of Canada.

And the Question being proposed,  
 And a debate arising,  
 And the debate continuing,  
 And the Question being again proposed,  
 It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 47) to incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway, 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. 47) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

Moved by Mr. Calder, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

That whereas it is the declared policy of the Government of Canada to transfer to the Province of Saskatchewan its public domain;

And whereas on the fourteenth day of March, 1912, the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan unanimously passed a resolution to the effect that the Government of Saskatchewan should proceed with negotiations with the Government of Canada as speedily as possible for the purpose of having transferred to the Province its public domain;

And whereas pursuant to the unanimous wish of the Assembly expressed by the said resolution steps have been taken by the Government of Saskatchewan to arrange for a conference with the Federal authorities for the purpose of having transferred to the Province its public domain;

And whereas subsequent thereto and during and immediately prior to the general Provincial elections held in Saskatchewan in July, 1912, the Hon. Dr. Roche, the then Secretary of State in the Federal Government, attended and addressed public political gatherings in the Province;

And whereas the following are extracts from the reported speeches made at these gatherings by the said Hon. Dr. Roche:

"Mr. Borden would not be right in forcing the resources upon an unwilling people as represented in the Provincial Legislature, he declared. He did not think that that was the wish of the people, though that had been the expression of their representatives in the House. If the people returned Haultain, and he believed they would, they would be in a position to give Mr. Borden a real expression of their opinion."

(*Regina Daily Province*, June 11, 1912.)

"Mr. Borden at that time favoured the handing over of your public domain," continued Dr. Roche. "Putting the question seriously, would it be fair, and would it be right for Mr. Borden to force his former policy on an unwilling people? Any other result than the placing of the Haultain party in power on July 11 would be tantamount to saying that you were satisfied with your present conditions."

(*Saskatoon Daily Phoenix*, June 27, 1912.)

"If you desire to secure the ownership of your public domain and if you would assure the Government at Ottawa you are in earnest

on this question, you cannot do it in any more convincing manner than by sending to Regina the men who have held the opinion in spite of all opposition, that the lands of this Province should be returned to the people of Saskatchewan.

"If the Scott Government is returned the Ottawa Government will be perfectly justified in assuming that the people of Saskatchewan do not want the public domain. Premier Borden intends to fulfil his pledges and return to Saskatchewan and Alberta the public domain belonging to these Provinces, but you can realise how difficult this will be if the Scott Government is elected, a Government which has no sympathy with such a policy and which is on record as being unalterably opposed to it."

(*The Yorkton Enterprise*, June 27, 1912.)

And whereas this House is of opinion that the said statements reported to have been made by the said Hon. Dr. Roche constitute:

- (a) A dangerous departure from the recognised policy of non-partisan consideration which has heretofore existed and in the interest of Confederation should continue to exist in the treatment by the Federal Government of questions affecting the constitutional relations of Canada as a whole and any or whole of the Provinces of Canada;
- (b) An attempt to intimidate and coerce the electors of Saskatchewan in the exercise of their franchise.

And whereas the said Hon. Dr. Roche has neglected and refused to explain his position with regard to the said reports although invited to do so;

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the matters herein referred to are of such a grave character as to demand that they be brought to the attention of His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council and of the Parliament of Canada.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 73) to amend The Rural Municipality Act (No. 2).

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

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

Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The total cost of the Legislative Buildings to date, including:
  - (a) The cost of site;
  - (b) The improvements to the same;
  - (c) The cost of buildings;
  - (d) The cost of furnishings;
  - (e) The total estimated cost to complete the building.

(Sessional Paper No. 47.)

Moved by Mr. Motherwell, seconded by Mr. Langley,

Whereas at the last session of this Assembly it was "resolved that in the opinion of this House the Government of Canada should

institute an inquiry to determine if any system of interior storage is commercially feasible and such as will tend to prevent the recurrence of the present unfortunate condition of affairs in the Province due to the lack of outlets and such additional markets as would tend to keep pace with our exportable surplus including off grade grain" and no action would appear to have been taken by the said Government with this object in view;

And whereas in spite of improved transportation facilities and continued fine weather throughout the late fall and early winter the congestion of grain at initial shipping points that has prevailed during almost every fall and winter of recent years still continues;

And whereas while this condition can only be permanently remedied by the introduction of mixed farming and the securing of additional outlets the general opinion prevails that some system of interior storage is necessary to take care of our grain as quickly as it is now offered on the primary market;

And whereas recent inquiries indicate that there is a probability that if properly organised and administered under one executive body, such as the Canada Grain Commission in conjunction with lake or ocean terminal or transfer elevators, terminal elevators at railway centres in Saskatchewan and Alberta might afford some measure of relief if operated in every particular as public terminals;

And whereas the operation of such elevators as public terminals would obviously necessitate the grading and weighing of grain into and out of such terminals by officers of the Canada Grain Commission;

And whereas the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association at its last annual convention unanimously indorsed by resolution the plan of "a system of storage elevators at central points with terminal facilities" and subsequently in September made representations to the Government of Saskatchewan asking that it urge upon the Government of Canada the need for the immediate provision of such storage facilities;

And whereas the providing of sufficient and terminal storage facilities is within the jurisdiction and acknowledged policy of the Government of Canada;

Therefore be it resolved that it is still the opinion of this House that the Government of Canada should institute an inquiry to determine the feasibility of erecting and operating terminal storage elevators at interior railway centres in conjunction with government or railway owned and operated terminals at lake or ocean ports.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 33) to amend The Village Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sutherland 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. 32) to amend The Town Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 73) to amend The Rural Municipality Act (No. 2), and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 73) 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 provide for the initiation or approval of Legislation by the Electors, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Sutherland 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. 44) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Turgeon have leave to introduce a Bill to submit to the Electors the question of the adoption of The Direct Legislation 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 today.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 75) to submit to the Electors the questions of the adoption of The Direct Legislation Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 75) to submit to the Electors the question of the adoption of The Direct Legislation Act, 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. 75) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 75) to submit to the Electors the question of the adoption of The Direct Legislation Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 75) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to submit to the Electors the Question of the adoption of The Direct Legislation Act."

And then the House adjourned at 11.50 o'clock p.m.

REGINA, FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1913.

11 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 71) to amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 71) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 72) to amend an Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Elevator Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 72) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 54) respecting certain Aid towards the Construction of Terminals of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 54) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting certain Aid towards the Construction of Terminals of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 28) to amend Chapter 128 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game."

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 128 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 33) to amend The Village Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 70) to amend The Liquor License Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

Moved by Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Calder,

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House to consider a resolution respecting certain fees to be paid under The Corporations Taxation Act.

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. Mitchell reported that the Committee had come to a resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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

The said Resolution was accordingly read a first time.

Ordered, That the Resolution be read a second time.

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

Resolved, Every Company that owns, controls or occupies any timber area or timber berth within the Province of Saskatchewan by reason of any title deed, lease, agreement or otherwise shall pay the following taxes, namely:

- (a) For every acre of land comprised within the limits of such timber area or timber berth.....1 cent
- (b) For every acre of land comprised within the limits of every such timber area or timber berth within the Province on which timber has been cut during the preceding year .....3 cents

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

Ordered, That the said Resolutions be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill to further amend The Corporations Taxation Act with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 74) to further amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 74) to further amend The Corporations Taxation Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 74) 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. 51) to amend The Secondary Education Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell 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. 68) to ratify certain instruments executed by His Majesty the King to the Canadian Bank of Commerce as security for The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Mitchell reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 68) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 47) to incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway."

Moved by Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

That the Resolutions from the Committee of Supply for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, be now read a first time.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

Ordered, That 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 six hundred and seventy-three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Debt.

No. 2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand four hundred and sixty-three dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Lieutenant Governor's Office).

No. 3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-eight thousand five hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-five cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Executive Council).

No. 4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-five cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Attorney General's Department).

No. 5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirteen thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Provincial Secretary's Department).

No. 6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-eight thousand and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Treasury Department).

No. 7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-seven thousand five hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Public Works Department).

No. 8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-eight thousand two hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Agriculture Department).

No. 9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-eight thousand six hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Education Department).

No. 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four thousand three hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Railway Department).

No. 11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-three thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Telephone Department).

No. 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding forty-two thousand four hundred and six dollars and sixty-five cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Municipal Department).

No. 13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventeen thousand seven hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Civil Government (Government Printer's Office).

No. 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand nine hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Legislation.

No. 15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and ninety-six thousand and seventy-three dollars and eighteen cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Supreme District and Surrogate Courts).

No. 16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Police Magistrates' Courts).

No. 17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty thousand six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Criminal Investigations).

No. 18. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding thirty-seven thousand four hundred and forty-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Gaols).

No. 19. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and ninety-one thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Police, Prisoners and Insane).

No. 20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and forty-eight thousand six hundred and forty-six dollars and fifty-nine cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Registration of Land Titles).

No. 21. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Administration of Liquor License Act).

No. 22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Legal Services).

No. 23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and sixty thousand three hundred and seventy-eight dollars and sixty-four cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Public Buildings,—Salaries and Maintenance).

No. 24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Income (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million seven hundred and six thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Public Buildings—Construction).

No. 26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Works Chargeable to Capital (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding six hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Improvements (Chargeable to Income).

No. 28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Public Improvements (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seven hundred and one thousand six hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Education.

No. 30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to General Agricultural Interests).

No. 31. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding sixty-eight thousand six hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Live Stock Industry).

No. 32. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two hundred and ninety-five thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Assistance to Dairy and Poultry Industry).

No. 33. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-seven thousand four hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Publicity and Statistical Work).

No. 34. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding eight thousand nine hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-three cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bacteriological Laboratory).

No. 35. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fourteen thousand nine hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Weed Control and Game Protection).

No. 36. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Bureau of Labour).

No. 37. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty thousand one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Agriculture and Statistics (Miscellaneous Services).

No. 38. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred and forty-nine thousand one hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Bureau of Public Health.

No. 39. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding twenty-eight thousand and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Neglected and Dependent Children.

No. 40. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding seventy-five thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Miscellaneous (Chargeable to Income).

No. 41. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Miscellaneous (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 42. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Telephones (Chargeable to Income).

No. 43. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding one million and sixty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Telephones (Chargeable to Capital).

No. 44. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding nine hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, for Telephones (Chargeable to Telephone Revenue).

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

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),  
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, 1913, the sum of one million five hundred and six thousand five hundred and fifty-five dollars and seventy-seven cents be granted out of the General Revenue of the Province.

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal period ending April 30, 1914, the sum of nine million two hundred and thirty thousand five hundred and seventy-two dollars and ninety-nine cents be granted out of the General Revenue of the Province.

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal period ending April 30, 1914, the sum of nine hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars be granted out of the Telephone Revenue of the Province.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Bole reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

Ordered, That the Resolutions from the Committee of Ways and Means be now read a first time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by Mr. Scott (Swift Current),

Ordered, That the Resolutions be now read a second time.

The said Resolutions were accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That Mr. Bell have leave to introduce a Bill for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Periods ending respectively the Twenty-eighth day of February, 1913, and the Thirtieth day of April, 1914.

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

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be read a third time today.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Periods ending respectively the Twenty-eighth day of February, 1913, and the Thirtieth day of April, 1914."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 51) to amend The Secondary Education Act, 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. 51) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 61) respecting the Confirmation of Sales of Land for Taxes, 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. 61) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 61) respecting the Confirmation of Sales of Land for Taxes.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 61) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend an Act respecting the Confirmation of Sales of Land for Taxes."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 70) to amend The Liquor License 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. 70) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1913.

And the House having continued to sit till after twelve of the clock on Saturday morning.

Moved by Mr. MacNeill, seconded by Mr. Pierce,

Whereas it appears from evidence now before this House that certain officials of the Dominion Government and particularly of the Department of the Interior participated in an illicit manner by means of attempted bribery, coercion and intimidation in the provincial general election campaign of 1912.

And whereas in the opinion of this House the said conduct of the said officials is extremely reprehensible and should be brought to the attention of the Parliament and Government of Canada;

Therefore be it resolved that the Government of Saskatchewan communicate at once with the Government of Canada concerning the said matter.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 56) respecting The Saskatchewan Surveys 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. 56) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 57) to provide for Special Surveys, 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. 57) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Sutherland from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law beg to report as follows:

That certain information has been presented to the Committee on the subject of Cheaper Money for Agricultural Development which it is desirable in the public interest should be printed for general distribution under the authority of the Legislature and your Committee therefore recommend that the said information be published forthwith.

On motion of Mr. Sutherland, seconded by Mr. Bole,

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 65) to amend The Statute Law, and after

some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Moore 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. Calder have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Sale or Lease of certain lands belonging to His Majesty.

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. 77) respecting the Sale or Lease of certain lands belonging to His Majesty.

The said Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 77) respecting the Sale or Lease of certain lands belonging to His Majesty, 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. 77) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 77) respecting the Sale or Lease of certain lands belonging to His Majesty.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 77) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Sale or Lease of certain lands belonging to His Majesty."

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 32) to amend The Town Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Moore 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 today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 32) to amend The Town Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 45) to incorporate the J. O. Hettle Com-

pany, 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. 45) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 45) to incorporate the J. O. Hettle Company.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the J. O. Hettle Company."

Moved by Mr. Latta, seconded by Mr. Cunningham,

Whereas under The Animal Contagious Diseases Act passed by the Parliament of Canada ten years ago provision was made for the compensation of owners of horses, cattle, sheep or swine killed on account of having contracted certain infectious or contagious diseases;

And whereas the value of all these kinds of farm live stock but particularly of horses has almost doubled in the last decade so that compensation based on the maximum value determined by the said Act no longer represents a fair proportion of the value of animals killed;

And whereas the present very low rate of valuation and consequently of compensation is likely to act as an incentive to owners to not report cases of such diseases even when they are known to exist and thus encourage rather than check the spreading of such diseases;

Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this House the maximum valuation of all classes of live stock, both grade and pure bred but particularly of horses, upon which compensation under the said Act is based should be materially increased.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising,

And the debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 64) to amend The Land Titles 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. 64) be read a third time at the next sitting of the House.

And then the House, having continued to sit until thirty minutes after 1 o'clock on Saturday morning adjourned.

REGINA, SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1913.

11 O'CLOCK A. M.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 74) to further amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 74) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 51) to amend The Secondary Education Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 51) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 44) to provide for the initiation or approval of Legislation by the Electors.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to provide for the initiation or approval of Legislation by the Electors."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 73) to amend The Rural Municipality Act (No. 2).

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 73) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act (No. 2)."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 70) to amend The Liquor License Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 70) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 56) respecting Saskatchewan Surveys Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 56) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "The Saskatchewan Surveys Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 57) to provide for Special Surveys.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 57) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to provide for Special Surveys."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 64) to amend The Land Titles Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 64) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 68) to authorise the execution of certain instruments by His Majesty to the Canadian Bank of Commerce as security for the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 68) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to authorise the execution of certain instruments by His Majesty to the Canadian Bank of Commerce as security for the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited."

Mr. MacNeill from the Standing Committee of Public Accounts and Printing presented the following Report:

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Law beg to report as follows:

That they recommend that 20,000 copies of the information presented to the House on the subject of Cheaper Money for Agricultural Development together with the Speech delivered on the said subject by the Premier be printed and distributed.

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

Ordered, That the Report be now concurred in.

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) to amend The City 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. 31) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 31) to amend The City Act.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 31) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

The House according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 65) to amend The Statute Law, 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. 65) be read a third time today.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 65) to amend The Statute Law.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 65) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk of the House had received from the Clerk of the Executive Council the following certificate:

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN.

*Office of the Executive Council.*

Regina, January 11, 1913.

This is to certify that by reason of the dissolution of the Second Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan and in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the seventeenth day of June last, addressed to Wilfrid Latour, of Battleford, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Athabasca (who subsequently resigned and was replaced by Joseph D. Letourneau, of St. Hippolyte, in pursuance of an Order made in Council on the sixth day of July, 1912.) for the election of a member to represent the said Electoral Division in the Legislative Assembly, Joseph O. Nolin, Esquire, has been duly returned as such representative as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of record in my office.

J. W. McLEOD,  
Clerk Executive Council.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 1) to amend The School Act.

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

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

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

Joseph O. Nolin, Esquire, Member for the Electoral Division of Athabasca, having previously taken the Oath according to law and subscribed before His Honour the Lieutenant Governor the Book containing the same, took his seat in the House.

3.30 P.M.

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

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the titles of the Bills to be assented to as follows:

An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act.

An Act to amend The School Assessment Act.

An Act to amend The School Grants Act.

An Act to amend An Act respecting the Department of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones.

An Act respecting the Department of Railways.

An Act to confirm and make valid a Certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford, and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster.

An Act to amend An Act to prevent the employment of Female Labour in Certain Capacities.

An Act to amend The Assignments Act.

An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

An Act respecting Rural Telephone Systems.

An Act to amend An Act respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths.

An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

An Act respecting Wolf Bounties.

An Act to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company.

An Act to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company.

An Act to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement between the Government and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, dated 6th December, 1912.

An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited.

An Act to incorporate Western Prudential Investment and Trust Company.

An Act to incorporate the Commercial Club.

An Act to incorporate Empire Mortgage Trust Company.

An Act respecting the City of Regina.

An Act to regulate Pool Rooms, Billiard Rooms, Bowling Alleys and Restaurants.

An Act to incorporate Assiniboia Trust Company.

An Act to incorporate the Presbyterian Theological College at Saskatoon.

An Act to submit to the Electors the Question of the adoption of The Direct Legislation Act.

An Act to amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

An Act to amend An Act to incorporate The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company.

An Act respecting certain Aid towards the Construction of Terminals of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company.

An Act to amend Chapter 128 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game."

An Act to amend The Village Act.

An Act to incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway.

An Act to amend An Act respecting the Confirmation of Sales of Land for Taxes.

An Act respecting the Sale or Lease of certain Lands belonging to His Majesty.

An Act to amend The Town Act.

An Act to incorporate the J. O. Hettle Company.

An Act to further amend The Corporations Taxation Act.

An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act.

An Act to provide for the initiation or approval of Legislation by the Electors.

An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act (No. 2).

An Act to amend The Liquor License Act.

The Saskatchewan Surveys Act.

An Act to provide for Special Surveys.

An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

An Act to authorise the execution of certain instruments by His Majesty to the Canadian Bank of Commerce as Security for the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited.

An Act to amend The City Act.

An Act to amend The Statute Law.

An Act to amend The School Act.

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, 1913, and the thirtieth day of April, 1914," 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 MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

It is now my duty to relieve you from your attendance at this the first Session of our Third Legislature and in doing so I desire to give you the assurance that your deliberations and work during the Session will be of very considerable benefit to the people of the Province.

Your action in providing for a further and fuller inquiry into the problem of cheaper money and the allied questions of agricultural

and co-operative credit will, I am sure, meet with universal approbation.

The additional provision which you have made for railway and telephone development throughout the province is certain to be heartily indorsed by all interested.

The many original and amending Acts which you have considered and passed will without doubt prove of great benefit in the general administration of public affairs.

Your enactment of a measure embodying the principle of the initiative and referendum involves a radical change in our existing system of making law and for this reason I have no doubt that your decision to have the matter referred to the electors of the province for their sanction will meet with general approval.

GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

I thank you for the liberal provision you have made to meet the requirements of the public service.

I now take leave of you expressing the fullest confidence that your labours of the Session will materially advance the interests of our Province and trusting that the blessings of Providence may continue to rest upon our people.

The Hon. Mr. Turgeon then said :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

It is His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's will and pleasure that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued until it pleases His Honour to summon the same for the despatch of business, and the Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

# SESSIONAL PAPERS

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FIRST SESSION

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1.—Annual report under the provisions of Section 60 of The Liquor License Act by the Attorney General for license year 1912-1913.  
Convictions under the Liquor License Act from January 1, 1912, to October 31, 1912.

Bartenders' Licenses issued for the year ending June 30, 1913.

Commercial Travellers' Licenses issued for the year ending June 30, 1913.

2.—A detailed statement of all remissions made under an Act respecting the Remission of Certain Penalties, being Chapter 29 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909 during the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912.

3.—Annual report of Regina Gaol for Fiscal Year 1911-1912.  
Annual report of Prince Albert Gaol for Fiscal year 1911-1912.  
Annual report of Moosomin Gaol for Fiscal Year 1911-1912.

4.—Seventh annual report of the Department of Agriculture of the Province of Saskatchewan, 1911.

5.—Second annual report of the Director of Agricultural Extension on the work of the Agricultural Societies of Saskatchewan during 1911.

6.—Annual report of University of Saskatchewan, 1912.

7.—Annual report of the Department of Public Works of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1912.

8.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

1. Number of Rural Telephone Companies incorporated in the Province during each of the years 1908-1912 inclusive.
2. Number of miles of telephone lines constructed by these companies during each of the said years.
3. Number of subscribers served by the said companies during each of the said years.

4. The approximate capital cost per mile of supplying telephone service through rural companies including the cost of telephone poles.
5. The number of applications now on hand for the organisation of rural telephone companies.

9.—Report of the Board of Highway Commissioners of the Province of Saskatchewan for the season of 1912, up to October 31.

10.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:

1. The numbered of licensed stallion districts organised in the Province during the current year.
2. A map indicating their several boundaries.

11.—Statement of Facts concerning Temporary Loans, required to be submitted to the Legislative Assembly by Section 11 of Chapter 12 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909.

12.—Public accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ended February 29, 1912.

13.—Statement of Special Warrants issued during the year 1911-12.

14.—Mr. Speaker laid on the Table of the House the report of the Librarian.

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

16.—Return to an Order of the House, dated November 22, 1912, showing:

1. The number of rural municipalities established during each of the years The Rural Municipality Act has been in operation.
2. The number of small local improvement districts now in existence.
3. A map of the Province indicating those portions of it which are under municipal or local improvement district government.

17.—Report of Railway, Telegraph and Telephone Department for the Financial Year ended February 29, 1912.

18.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1912, showing:

The name and house address of the persons comprising the Commission appointed to investigate the matter of Technical Education.

19.—Report on Inquiry into practicability of producing Power at Coal Centres and distributing it throughout the Province.

20.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

Copies of all correspondence or other documents relating in any way to the question of the transfer to the Province of its lands and other natural resources.

21.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

1. A list of the elevators built or purchased by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company during the years 1911 and 1912, indicating the location, capacity and cost of each.
2. The amount of money advanced by the Government on account of such elevators for each of the said years.
3. The financial standing of the company at the close of its first year of operation.

22.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:

A copy of the return made by the Returning officer for the electoral district of Cumberland at the recent election therein held and all papers and documents relating to the holding of the said election and of the official and other correspondence between the Returning Officer and any member of the Government or the Clerk of the Executive Council.

23.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:

1. The number of school districts in Saskatchewan on each of the following dates: September 1, 1905; December 31, 1905; December 31, 1906; December 31, 1907; December 31, 1908; December 31, 1909; December 31, 1910; December 31, 1911; December 1, 1912.
2. The number of school rooms or departments (including high school departments) maintained in each of the following towns and cities during each of the years 1905 to 1912, inclusive: Moosomin, Indian Head, Regina, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Weyburn, Estevan, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Yorkton, Battleford and North Battleford.

24.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1912, showing:

1. A list of the local improvements, including roads, bridges, and other Public Works authorised by the Public Works Department or the Highways Commission in the constituency of Prince Albert during the year 1912.
2. A statement of the amounts so authorised to be expended by Local Councils.

3. The amount expended to date on the several improvements referred to.
4. The reason, if any, why any work authorised has not been undertaken or completed.
5. A list of the said improvements upon which work was stopped after July 11, 1912, and the reason therefor, in each case.

25.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The names of places where sheep sales were held in the Province during the current year.
2. The number of applications received from intending purchasers.
3. The number of sheep sold, indicating grade and price.
4. The number of sheep remaining unsold.

26.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 3, 1912, showing:

1. The names of all inspectors and foremen employed by the Highway Commission on the Government gang during 1912:
2. The date each began work and period during which work done.
3. The rate of wages paid.
4. The aggregate amount drawn by each.

27.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 3, 1912, showing:

1. What sheriffs in this Province are paid by fees and those by salaries?
2. What are the net returns to the Government for each office in which the sheriff is paid by fees?
3. What are the net amounts received and retained by each sheriff paid by fees?
4. What salaries do sheriffs receive who are paid by salaries?

28.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 28, 1912, showing:

All correspondence between the Government of this Province and the late Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, touching the transfer by the Dominion of Canada to this Province of the public lands and natural resources of the Province.

29.—Mr. Bole, the chairman of the Select Committee on the Election Charges, laid on the Table the following:

The minutes of the meetings of the Committee together with other papers.

30.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:

The amount paid to The Leader Publishing Company for work done for the Government from March 1 until December 1, 1912.

31.—Report on the Educational Work of the University of Saskatchewan for the year ending June 30, 1912.

32.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 12, 1912, showing:

1. What has been the capital expenditure upon the ferry at Outlook for the years 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912?
2. What has been the cost of maintenance of this ferry during each of these years?

33.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1912, showing:

1. The results of the Provincial General Elections of 1908 and 1912 under the following headings:
  - (a) Name of constituencies;
  - (b) Name of candidates;
  - (c) Vote cast for each candidate;
  - (d) Majority of successful candidates.
2. A comparative statement of the results of the General Elections of 1908 and 1912 in the constituencies of Souris, Cannington, South Qu'Appelle, Moose Mountain, Pipestone, Moosomin, Pheasant Hill, Saltcoats, Last Mountain, Estevan, Weyburn and Milestone under the following heads:
  - (a) Total vote cast;
  - (b) Vote for each candidate;
  - (c) Majority.

34.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:

Copies of all Orders in Council relating in any way to the Guarantee of Bonds of any Railway Company upon any line of Railway within the Province of Saskatchewan.

35.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 10, 1912, showing:

1. The number of epidemics of disease which broke out in the Province during the year 1912, indicating:
  - (a) The nature of such epidemics;
  - (b) The number of deaths in the case of each class.
2. The steps taken by the Bureau of Public Health to suppress Trachoma.

36.—Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year 1911-12 ending February 29, 1912.

37.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 9, 1912, showing:

1. The number of wolves killed in the Province during each year since The Wolf Bounty Act has been in operation.
2. The amount of wolf bounty paid each year by the Government.
3. The number of Local Improvement Districts and Rural Municipalities:
  - (a) Formed into wolf bounty districts;
  - (b) Not formed into such districts.

38.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:

1. The names of special constables employed by the Government during the months of June and July, 1912.
2. The amounts paid to each.
3. The length of time that each constable was in the employ of the Government.

39.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

The total cost of the preparation of the voters' lists during the present year.

40.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

From January 1, 1912, to date, a statement in detail of all moneys expended by or on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan in what is now the Willow Bunch Constituency.

41.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The name and location of every ferry in the Province operated by the Government.
2. The original cost of installing each such ferry.
3. The cost of maintaining and operating each such ferry during the year 1912.
4. The extent to which each such ferry was used during the year 1912.

42.—The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

43.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. Copies of all correspondence carried on between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Ottawa Government or any of its officials with respect to the sale of school lands recently arranged for and now being held.

2. A statement of all school lands sold prior to July 1, 1912, indicating:
  - (a) The area sold;
  - (b) The total selling price;
  - (c) The amount of principal paid;
  - (d) The amount of unpaid principal;
  - (e) The total amount deducted for expenses and administration;
  - (f) The rate of interest paid to the Province.
3. A statement indicating:
  - (a) The number of parcels of school lands included in the sale recently arranged;
  - (b) The area of these parcels.

44.—Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:

Copies of all correspondence, papers and documents in any way relating to the proposed transfer by the Government of Saskatchewan to the City of Prince Albert of the Provincial Jail property.

45.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 17, 1912, showing:

1. The total expenditure by constituencies under The Public Highways Act from January 1, 1912, to December 1, 1912.
2. The like expenditures under The Public Works Act and where and how spent.
3. What municipalities refused to co-operate with the Board of Highway Commissioners?
4. What municipalities received grants from the said Board without contributing a like amount to that supplied by the Board?
5. The names of all employees of the Highway Commissioners for above period, the place where employee worked and the wages paid such employee.
6. The total amount of yards of dirt moved in each constituency and the amount paid therefor, showing each job separately.
7. All correspondence between the Board of Highway Commissioners and municipalities or any member of a municipal council or any official or member of the Government relating to the expenditure of money by the said Board during said period.
8. Copies of all vouchers and papers filed with the Board for expenditures by such board during said period.

46.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The number of arrests made during the Provincial Election campaign for alleged violation of The Elections Act.
2. The number of persons arrested.

3. The number of convictions secured.
4. The number released without being brought to trial.

47.—Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:

1. The total cost of the Legislative Buildings to date, including:
  - (a) The cost of site;
  - (b) The improvements to the same;
  - (c) The cost of buildings;
  - (d) The cost of furnishings;
  - (e) The total estimated cost to complete the building.

APPENDIX

TO THE

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REGINA

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## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 8.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated November 21, 1912:

1. Number of Rural Telephone Companies incorporated in the Province during each of the years 1908-1912 inclusive.
2. Number of miles of telephone lines constructed by these companies during each of the said years.
3. Number of subscribers served by the said companies during each of the said years.
4. The approximate capital cost per mile of supplying telephone service through rural companies including the cost of poles.
5. The number of applications now on hand for the organisation of rural telephone companies.

(Signed)

W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

REGINA, November 25, 1912.

1. Number of Rural Telephone Companies incorporated in the Province during each of the years 1908-1912 inclusive:

1908 .....	31
1909 .....	45
1910 .....	66
1911 .....	109
1912 (to October 31).....	85
	336

2. Number of miles of telephone lines constructed by these companies during each of said years:

1908 .....	890
1909 .....	1,247
1910 .....	1,343
1911 .....	2,328
1912 (to October 31).....	1,732*
	7,540

\*Of this amount there is probably about 75 miles of line, construction of which is not actually completed but is under way.

3. Number of subscribers served by the said companies during each of said years:

1908 .....	954
1909 .....	1,258
1910 .....	1,378
1911 .....	2,558
1912 (to October 31).....	1,865
	8,013

4. The approximate capital cost per mile of supplying telephone service through Rural Telephone Companies including the cost of telephone poles: \$145 to \$215, according to number of circuits.

5. The number of applications now on hand for the organisation of Rural Telephone Companies: 12.

#### SESSIONAL PAPER No 10.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated November 22, 1912:

1. The number of licensed stallion districts organised in the province during the current year.\*

2. A map indicating their several boundaries.

(Signed) W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
REGINA, November 26, 1912.

#### Memorandum for the Provincial Secretary. The Licensed Stallion District.

1. The following forty-six Rural Municipalities and Local Improvement Districts have petitioned the Minister of Agriculture to be incorporated within the Licensed Stallion District on and after the first of May, 1913:

*Rural Municipalities.*—Lakeside No. 338, Caledonia No. 99, Touchwood No. 248, Kellross No. 247, Eagle Creek No. 376, McCraney No. 282, Lajord No. 128, Silverwood No. 123, Wilton No. 472, Wolseley No. 155, Weyburn No. 67, Chester No. 125, Swift Current No. 137, Morris No. 312, Park No. 375, Rudy No. 284, Walpole No. 92, Cory No. 344, Prairie No. 408, Millington No. 249, Huron No. 223, Abernethy No. 186, Wellington No. 97, Grand View No. 349, Rosedale No. 283, Viscount No. 341, Tecumseh No. 65, Perdue No. 346, Birch Hills No. 460, Brock No. 64, Loganton No. 345, Battle River No. 438, Golden West No. 95 and Emerald No. 277.

*Local Improvement Districts.*—Nos. 93, 216, 129, 278, 109, 151, 189, 246, 275, 222, 4 and 211.

2. I herewith enclose a map of the Province of Saskatchewan showing the Rural Municipalities and Local Improvement Districts that have petitioned to be incorporated within the Licensed Stallion District.

#### SESSIONAL PAPER No. 16.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly, dated November 22, 1912:

1. The number of rural municipalities established during each of the years The Rural Municipality Act has been in operation.

2. The number of small local improvement districts now in existence.

3. A map of the Province indicating those portions of it which are under municipal or local improvement district government.

(Signed) W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
REGINA, November 27, 1912.

1. Number of Rural Municipalities in Saskatchewan showing the year of their organisation:

Number Organised	Year of Organisation.
2	1884 (Under old Municipal Act, Rural)
74	1909
44	1910
52	1911
28	1912
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200 (Total number)	

2. Number of existing Local Improvement Districts: 90.

The 1912 information herein contained is in respect of December 9, 1912.

#### SESSIONAL PAPER No. 21.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly, dated November 21, 1912:

1. A list of the elevators built or purchased by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company during the years 1911 and 1912, indicating the location, capacity and cost of each.
2. The amount of money advanced by the Government on account of such elevators for each of the said years.
3. The financial standing of the company at the close of its first year of operation.

(Signed) W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

Statement showing the Elevators built or purchased by The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company during the year 1911, indicating the location, capacity and cost of each.

Location	Capacity	Cost	Remarks
Steven.....	30,000	\$8,100.00	
Browning.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Brooking.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Bangor.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Cymric.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Colgate.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Cupar.....	40,000	9,780.00	
Cupar.....	40,000	9,488.20	
Falldon.....	30,000	8,200.00	
Lundurn.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Duval.....	30,000	8,200.00	
Irnfold.....	40,000	9,300.00	
Conquest.....	30,000	8,100.00	

Location	Capacity	Cost	Remarks
Rienzi.....	30,000	\$8,100.00	
Goodwater.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Hanley.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Indi.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Ituna.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Juniata.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Parry.....	40,000	9,400.00	
Lampman.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Normanton.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Avonlea.....	30,000	8,200.00	
Oban.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Perdue.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Rosetown.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Radville.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Sutherland.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Swanson.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Salvador.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Senlac.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Tilney.....	30,000	8,200.00	
Briercrest.....	30,000	8,050.00	
Briercrest.....	30,000	8,050.00	
Tugaske.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Unity.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Vanscoy.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Waldeck.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Willmar.....	40,000	9,500.00	
Waldron.....	30,000	8,100.00	
Wilhelm.....	30,000	8,200.00	
Govan.....	30,000	7,550.00	(Elevator burned May 28, 1912. Gov. loan with interest repaid.)
Stockholm.....	30,000	5,300.00	
Strassburg.....	30,000	7,550.00	
Tantallon.....	30,000	5,300.00	
Estevan.....	40,000	6,271.20	

Statement showing the Elevators built or purchased by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company during the year 1912, indicating the location, capacity and cost of each.

Location	Capacity	Cost	Remarks
Aberdeen.....	30,000	\$7,950.00	
Amazon.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Anglia.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Beadle.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Bethune.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Birch Hills.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Borden.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Broadacres.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Colfax.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Colonsay.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Cut Knife.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Dafoe.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Davidson.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Denholm.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Dysart.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Elfros.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction

Location	Capacity	Cost	Remarks
Elstow.....	30,000	\$7,950.00	
Expanse.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Fairlight.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Foam Lake.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Harris.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Howell.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Humboldt.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Keddleston.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Keeler.....	20,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Kindersley.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Lashburn.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Liberty.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Maidstone.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Marshall.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Meota.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Netherhill.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Parkbeg.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Paynton.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Penzance.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Pleasant Valley.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Punnichy.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Radium.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Edwin.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Rockhaven.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Ruddell.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Rutan.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Ryerson.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Semans.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Silton.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Simpson.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Stalwart.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Tate.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Tessier.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Tisdale.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Tregarva.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Vavn.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Viscount.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Waseca.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Zenith.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Abernethy.....	40,000	7,650.00	
Guernsey.....	30,000	5,900.00	
Mozart.....	25,000	5,807.25	
Wawota.....	25,000	6,650.00	
Langham.....	25,000	6,650.00	
Hazelcliffe.....	27,500	4,650.00	
Archive.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Brough.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Buttress.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Bratton.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Craven.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Cedoux.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Dunkirk.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Doonside.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Eastview.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Earl Grey.....	40,000	9,750.00	
Floral.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Gray.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Gerald.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Lindley.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Luseland.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Milden.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Markinch.....	40,000	9,750.00	
Rainton.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Rocanville.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Spy Hill.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Stony Beach.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction

Location	Capacity	Cost	Remarks
Star City.....	30,000	\$7,950.00	Under construction
Talmage.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Yonda.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Weldon.....	30,000	7,950.00	
Govan.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Lewvan.....	40,000	9,750.00	
Riceton.....	30,000	7,950.00	Under construction
Strongfield.....	30,000	7,950.00	

2. The amount of money advanced by the Government on account of such elevators for each of the said years:

1911.....	\$314,000.00
1912 (to date).....	495,708.70

3. The financial standing of the Company at the close of its first year of operation. See page 9 (OPPOSITE).

SASKATCHEWAN CO-OPERATIVE ELEVATOR COMPANY, LIMITED

Profit and Loss Account for the Year ended July 31, 1912.

Dr.				Cr.
To Grain Purchases.....		\$1,055,917.53	By Grain Sales (net proceeds).....	\$1,064,148.75
Wheat.....	\$801,622.60		Wheat.....	\$976,478.70
Oats.....	27,267.33		Oats.....	34,841.99
Barley.....	1,453.75		Barley.....	2,060.87
Flax.....	225,573.85		Flax.....	221,351.13
				\$1,234,732.69
“ Station Expenses (Agents' wages, help, and expenses incurred at Elevators).....		30,828.79	Less:	
“ Elevator repairs and renewals.....		1,123.06	Hedging Account.....	14,871.67
“ Travelling Superintendents' Salaries and Ex- penses, and General Superintendent's Ex- penses.....		5,957.30	Freight.....	147,098.26
“ Elevator Site Rents and Taxes.....		1,968.80	Interest on Freight.....	49.64
“ Interest, Discount and Exchange.....	16,388.70		Commissions.....	7,335.43
Less rebate on Interest.....	1,569.90		Premiums.....	846.21
		14,818.80	Terminal Storage.....	382.73
“ Provision for Interest to 31st July, 1912, on Provincial Government Loan for 1911 Con- struction, First instalment of which Loan is payable 31st August, 1913.....		10,223.20		170,583.94
“ Insurance.....		7,369.91	“ Storage and Handling Charges....	38,523.66
“ Auditors' Fees and Expenses.....		1,105.91	“ Forfeitures.....	5,610.00
“ Directors' Fees and Expenses.....		1,013.35	“ Rent received (Stockholm Coal Shed).....	15.00
“ General Expenses, Office Supplies, etc.....		1,536.79	“ Grain Stocks valued at Street prices, 31st July, 1912.....	103,373.61
“ Head Office Salaries.....		10,112.40	Wheat.....	59,933.45
“ Legal Expenses.....		66.40	Oats.....	1,628.46
“ Postages.....		527.37	Flax.....	41,811.70
“ Printing and Stationery.....		3,274.90	“ Stationery Stocks.....	1,474.00
“ Rent and Light.....		1,259.00		
“ Telegrams and Telephones.....		1,968.64		
“ Elevator Licenses.....		90.00		
“ Depreciation—Office Furniture.....		788.93		

APPENDIX

SASKATCHEWAN CO-OPERATIVE ELEVATOR COMPANY, LIMITED.

Profit and Loss Account for the Year ended July 31, 1912.

“ Amount of loss on Govan Elevator destroyed by fire.....	\$ 274.68		
“ Contingent Account (provision for disputed account).....	457.66		
“ Depreciation—Elevator Buildings and Plant 1911 Construction.....	10,000.00		
“ Balance, being Profit carried down.....	52,461.60		
	<u>\$1,213,145.02</u>		<u>\$1,213,145.02</u>

Directors' Recommendations with respect to Disposal of Surplus—31st July, 1912.

To Dividend recommended by the Directors at 6 per cent. on Shares allotted prior to April 1st, 1912:		By Net Profit for Financial Year ended 31st July, 1912, as per Profit and Loss Account.....	\$ 52,461.60
Six per cent. on amount paid on such Shares, viz: \$61,042.50.....	\$ 3,662.55		
To Surplus, carried down.....	48,799.05		
	<u>52,461.60</u>		
To Trading Reserve Fund.....	24,399.53		
Being 50 per cent. of surplus after dividend as above, as sanctioned by subclause D, clause 3, section 20 of the Act of Incorporation.....		By Surplus brought down.....	<u>\$ 48,799.05</u>
To Elevator Reserve Fund.....	24,399.52		
Under clause 4, section 20 of the Act of Incorporation.....			
	<u>\$ 48,799.05</u>		<u></u>

BALANCE SHEET as at July 31st, 1912.

ASSETS		
ELEVATORS .....		\$479,402.60
1911 Construction .....	\$351,554.69	
Less depreciation .....	10,000.00	
	341,554.69	
1912 Construction .....	\$260,114.44	
Less Outstanding Accounts .....	122,266.53	
	137,847.91	
ACCOUNTS OWING TO THE COMPANY .....		6,494.45
OFFICE FURNITURE AND FIT- TINGS .....	1,577.78	
Less depreciation .....	788.93	
	788.85	
STOCKS .....		104,847.61
In Houses and in Transit .....	103,373.61	
Wheat .....	59,933.45	
Oats .....	1,628.46	
Flax .....	41,811.70	
	1,474.00	
CASH AT BANK, HEAD OFFICE AND LOCALS' PAYMASTERS .....		66,353.78
PRELIMINARY EXPENSES .....		22,044.80
1911 Organisation and Construction .....	10,883.91	
1912 Organisation and Construction .....	8,727.39	
	19,611.30	
Chargeable to 1912-13 Operating ...	2,433.50	

LIABILITIES		
SHARE CAPITAL AUTHORISED	\$1,500,000.00	
SHARE CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED		
1911 Organisation .....	8,171 Shares at \$50 .....	\$408,550.00
1912 Organisation .....	15,373 Shares at \$50 .....	768,650.00
	23,544	\$1,177,200.00
SHARE CAPITAL PAID .....		\$176,580.00
At April 1, 1912, 1911- Organisation .....	8,139 Shares at \$7.50 ..	61,042.50
At July 31, 1912, 1911- Organisation .....	32 Shares at 7.50 ..	240.00
	8,171	61,282.50
At July 31, 1912, 1912- Organisation .....	15,373 Shares at 7.50 ..	115,297.50
	23,544	176,580.00
PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF SASKATCHEWAN .....		393,694.79
Loan .....		383,298.49
1911 Construction .....	315,723.49	
1912 Construction .....	67,575.00	
	10,396.30	
Interest to date .....		10,396.30
1911 Construction .....	10,223.20	
1912 Construction .....	173.10	

SASKATCHEWAN CO-OPERATIVE ELEVATOR COMPANY, LIMITED.

Balance Sheet as at July 31, 1912

INSURANCE PREMIUMS.....		\$460.49	BILLS PAYABLE.....	\$45,000.00
Unexpired portion of premiums paid	\$724.19		ACCOUNTS OWING BY THE COMPANY....	3,559.23
Less premiums unpaid.....	<u>263.70</u>		OUTSTANDING CASH GRAIN TICKETS..	7,953.46
LLOYDMINSTER SITE.....		300.00	APPLICATION MONEYS NOT ALLOTTED	
			AT DATE.....	117.50
			TAXES.....	1,326.00
			Estimated for 1912.....	\$2,046.00
			Less amount chargeable to ensuing Financial	
			Year.....	<u>720.00</u>
			PROFIT for year ending July 31, 1912, as per	
			separate statement.....	52,461.60
		<u>\$680,692.58</u>		<u>\$680,692.58</u>

I have examined the Books and Accounts of The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, for the period ended 31st July, 1912, and beg to certify that in my opinion the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the Company's affairs as shown by the Books of the Company. I have verified the cash at Bank and at Head Office, and have inspected the acknowledgments from the Locals' Paymasters with respect to moneys in their possession belonging to the Company at the end of the Company's Financial Year. The Grain Stocks shown on the Balance Sheet have been certified as correct by the General Superintendent of the Operating Department and countersigned by the General Manager.

THOMAS GRANT, C.A., Auditor to the Company.

## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 23.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly, dated December 5, 1912:

1. The number of school districts in Saskatchewan on each of the following dates: September 1, 1905; December 31, 1905; December 31, 1906; December 31, 1907; December 31, 1908; December 31, 1909; December 31, 1910; December 31, 1911; December 1, 1912.
2. The number of school rooms or departments (including high school departments) maintained in each of the following towns and cities during each of the years 1905 to 1912, inclusive: Moosomin, Indian Head, Regina, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Weyburn, Estevan, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Yorkton, Battleford and North Battleford.

(Signed)

W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

1. The number of School Districts in Saskatchewan on each of the following dates:

September 1, 1905 .....	896
December 31, 1905 .....	942
December 31, 1906 .....	1,190
December 31, 1907 .....	1,436
December 31, 1908 .....	1,753
December 31, 1909 .....	2,044
December 31, 1910 .....	2,298
December 31, 1911 .....	2,570
December 1, 1912 .....	2,932

2. The number of school rooms or departments including high school departments maintained in each of the following towns and cities during each of the years 1905 to 1912 inclusive: Moosomin, Indian Head, Regina, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Weyburn, Estevan, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Yorkton, Battleford and North Battleford.

Moosomin—1905 .....	8
1906 .....	8
1907 .....	8
1908 .....	9
1909 .....	10
1910 .....	10
1911 .....	10
1912 .....	10
Indian Head—1905 .....	6
1906 .....	7
1907 .....	7
1908 .....	7
1909 .....	8
1910 .....	8
1911 .....	8
1912 .....	8
Regina—1905 .....	18
1906 .....	24
1907 .....	29
1908 .....	37
1909 .....	45
1910 .....	50
1911 .....	58
1912 .....	76

Moose Jaw—1905	14
1906	19
1907	19
1908	24
1909	30
1910	39
1911	45
1912	52
Swift Current—1905	2
1906	2
1907	3
1908	4
1909	4
1910	5
1911	8
1912	9
Weyburn—1905	3
1906	5
1907	7
1908	7
1909	8
1910	10
1911	12
1912	13
Estevan—1905	2
1906	4
1907	5
1908	6
1909	7
1910	8
1911	10
1912	12
Saskatoon—1905	6
1906	8
1907	14
1908	21
1909	30
1910	42
1911	60
1912	67
Prince Albert—1905	10
1906	10
1907	11
1908	14
1909	17
1910	18
1911	26
1912	29
Yorkton—1905	6
1906	7
1907	8
1908	9
1909	10
1910	12
1911	13
1912	14
Battleford—1905	4
1906	4
1907	5
1908	5
1909	7
1910	7
1911	6
1912	5
North Battleford—1905 (Not Open)	
1906	3
1907	4
1908	4
1909	8
1910	8
1911	10
1912	12

The figures for 1912 are based on Returns for the term ended June 30.

## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 26.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly, dated December 3, 1912:

1. The names of all inspectors and foremen employed by the Highway Commission on the Government gang during 1912.
2. The date each began work and period during which work done.
3. The rate of wages paid.
4. The aggregate amount drawn by each.

(Signed)

W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

## INSPECTORS

Name Question 1	Date of Work Question 2	Rate of Pay Question 3	Total Amount Paid to November 15 Question 4
Ayles, U. B.	May 21 to date	\$6.00 per day	\$654.00
Benjamin, W. W.	May 15 to date	6.00 per day	546.00
Blackburn, T. D.	June 3 to date	6.00 per day	432.00
Bird, J. R.	July 1 to date	6.00 per day	474.00
Coles, A.	June 1 to date	6.00 per day	438.00
Campbell, D. L.	May 6 to date	6.00 per day	762.00
Daley, J. S.	August 1 to date	6.00 per day	294.00
Docherty, J.	August 1 to date	6.00 per day	348.00
Grant, W.	July 12 to date	6.00 per day	576.00
Hunter, E. F.	May 6 to date	6.00 per day	732.00
Kissack, F.	May 9 to date	6.00 per day	696.00
Lovell, W.	April 19 to date	6.00 per day	846.00
Lecoq, P.	September 16 to 21	6.00 per day	36.00
Machan, J.	August 1 to date	6.00 per day	354.00
Miskiman, J. H.	July 25 to date	6.00 per day	510.00
McMillan, A.	August 1 to date	6.00 per day	312.00
McBeth, M.	July 31 to date	6.00 per day	204.00
McCallum, A.	August 1 to date	6.00 per day	366.00
McFadyen, P.	May 7 to June 7	6.00 per day	78.00
Nelson, J. A.	June 3 to date	4.00 per day	204.00
Olson, A.	June 1 to date	6.00 per day	618.00
Ozmun, W.	July 19 to August 31	6.00 per day	228.00
O'Meara, D. H.	June 22 to date	6.00 per day	282.00
Parker, W. G.	August 1 to date	5.00 per day	265.00
Peacock, T. K.	May 16 to date	6.00 per day	852.00
Russell, J.	July 22 to date	6.00 per day	174.00
Swanson, O.	May 15 to date	6.00 per day	792.00
Spears, E.	August 5 to date	6.00 per day	360.00
Stanley, R.	August 1 to date	6.00 per day	312.00

## FOREMEN

Name	Period of Work	Rate of Pay	Total Amount Paid
Andres, G. J.	May 28 to Sept. 14	\$4.00 per day	\$301.00
Arneil, W.	July 25 to Aug. 15	4.00 per day	52.00
Bailey, B. A.	Aug. 19 to Sept. 14	4.00 per day	56.00
Beelby, W.	May 17 to October 26	4.00 per day	488.00
Bonnell, W. N.	June 24 to October 12	4.00 per day	160.00
Boyd, J.	May 16 to Oct. 5	4.00 per day	492.00
Bruce, W.	June 17 to Oct. 17	4.00 per day	68.00
Busby, W.	April 19 to Sept. 16	4.00 per day	552.00
Bustard, H.	July 5 to Oct. 16	4.00 per day	252.00
Campbell, C. E.	July 23 to Aug. 19	4.00 per day	102.00

## FOREMEN—Continued.

Name	Period of Work	Rate of Pay	Total Amount Paid
Campbell, L. J.	July 17 to Oct. 8	\$4.00 per day	\$236.00
Chapman, R.	July 22 to Oct. 1	4.00 per day	396.00
Cummings, F.	Sept. 1 to Nov. 22	4.00 per day	96.00
Curtin, C.	May 27 to July 30	4.00 per day	200.00
Dahl, B.	July 27 to Aug. 21	4.00 per day	86.00
Donaldson, J. S.	June 16 to Sept. 9	4.00 per day	290.00
Findlay, J.	May 10 to Sept. 21	4.00 per day	458.00
Findlay, G. T.	June 25 to Oct. 15	4.00 per day	408.00
Forrestier, J. M.	June 26 to Oct. 31	4.00 per day	306.00
Foss, P. G.	May 13 to Sept. 13	4.00 per day	406.00
Foster, W. G.	June 5 to Sept. 15	4.00 per day	284.00
Frissel, A. E.	June 29 to Aug. 30	4.00 per day	364.00
Gerrish, J.	April 19 to Nov. 14	4.00 per day	560.00
Hamilton, S.	June 18 to Sept. 30	4.00 per day	366.00
Hassard, J.	June 1 to Oct. 15	4.00 per day	312.00
Harvey, H.	July 1 to Sept. 30	4.00 per day	336.00
Kenzle, F.	June 28 to Oct. 14	4.00 per day	175.00
Keith, J.	June 20 to Aug. 14	4.00 per day	190.00
King, W. G.	Aug. 1 to Sept. 15	4.00 per day	260.00
Kohlen, E.	June 1 to Nov. 4	4.00 per day	500.00
Kormil, V.	July 8 to Oct. 31	4.00 per day	312.00
Lemont, G.	Aug. 19 to Oct. 4	4.00 per day	160.00
Lesco, S.	May 17 to Oct. 29	4.00 per day	256.00
Lecoq, P.	July 26 to Aug. 15	4.00 per day	56.00
Lily, J. A.	July 15 to Nov. 23	4.00 per day	308.00
Longworth, J.	July 1 to Aug. 31	3.50 per day	66.50
Longworth, H.	July 22 to Aug. 24	3.50 per day	24.50
Lovell, W.	March 16 to April 16	4.00 per day	168.00
Machan, J.	May 16 to July 31	4.00 per day	96.00
MacKay, H.	June 1 to Sept. 28	4.00 per day	312.00
Murray, W.	May 25 to Oct. 31	4.00 per day	490.00
McCallum, G.	June 16 to July 16	4.00 per day	56.00
McDonald, L. H.	May 16 to Sept. 9	4.00 per day	309.00
McEachern, A.	July 23 to Nov. 21	4.00 per day	175.00
McFarlane, H. A.	July 23 to Oct. 15	4.00 per day	196.00
McGrath, Mac.	May 23 to Oct. 30	4.00 per day	288.00
MacKay, W. G.	Sept. 1 to Nov. 1	4.00 per day	206.00
McLeod	Aug. 26 to Sept. 14	4.00 per day	52.00
McNabb, D.	June 17 to Oct. 31	4.00 per day	418.00
McVeigh, W.	June 4 to Aug. 7	4.00 per day	135.00
Nault, E.	July 29 to Sept. 30	4.00 per day	220.00
Nelson, W. E.	July 8 to Oct. 23	4.00 per day	582.00
Olson, A.	April 6 to May 20	4.00 per day	108.00
Patmore, L.	June 1 to Oct. 19	4.00 per day	410.00
Paulson, C.	July 29 to Oct. 31	4.00 per day	320.00
Parkinson, C.	July 16 to Sept. 23	4.00 per day	224.00
Pederson, O.	July 23 to Oct. 31	4.00 per day	292.00
Pentland, R.	May 16 to Oct. 16	4.00 per day	506.00
Quale, J.	June 17 to Aug. 23	4.00 per day	228.00
Reid, R. C.	June 24 to Oct. 21	4.00 per day	232.00
Reaburn, R.	Aug. 16 to Oct. 12	4.00 per day	148.00
Riddall, J. H.	June 27 to Oct. 28	4.00 per day	352.00
Rodger, A. W.	June 25 to Nov. 11	4.00 per day	336.00
Robison, M.	June 28 to Nov. 8	4.00 per day	100.00
Roddy, T.	June 11 to Aug. 17	4.00 per day	236.00
Rude, C.	Aug. 8 to Sept. 20	4.00 per day	152.00
Sproule	June 27 to Nov. 1	4.00 per day	456.00
Strong, T.	July 25 to Sept. 6	4.25 per day	165.50
Simpson, A.	June 29 to Oct. 15	4.00 per day	356.00
Unger, C.	July 1 to Oct. 30	4.00 per day	234.00
Walton, G.	Aug. 1 to Oct. 21	4.00 per day	237.00
Whittlesey, J.	July 24 to Oct. 25	4.00 per day	204.00

## GENERAL FOREMEN

Name	Period of Work	Rates of Pay	Total Amount Paid
Daley, J. S.	June 11 to July 31	\$5.00 per day	\$200.00
Francis, E. F.	July 22 to Sept. 15	5.00 per day	175.00
Lecoq, P.	Aug. 16 to Sept. 15	5.00 per day	130.00
McCallum, G.	July 16 to Oct. 15	5.00 per day	450.00
McFadyen, P.	June 1 to Oct. 20	5.00 per day	400.00
McGuire, S. W.	July 22 to Oct. 31	5.00 per day	367.00
Knox, G.	Aug. 1 to Oct. 30	5.00 per day	260.00
Mayhew, T.	May 11 to Oct. 31	5.00 per day	201.00
McKenzie, G.	July 23 to Sept. 30	5.00 per day	100.00
McRae, K.	June 10 to Sept. 25	5.00 per day	483.00
Ozmun, W.	May 15 to Oct. 31	5.00 per day	220.00
Palmer, L.	Aug. 16 to Oct. 15	5.00 per day	185.00
Smith, T. H.	July 8 to Oct. 31	5.00 per day	597.00
Strandlund, M.	Aug. 16 to Oct. 31	5.00 per day	240.00
Sprague, F. F.	June 27 to Nov. 1	5.00 per day	588.00

## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 33.

Return to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated November 26, 1912:

1. The results of the Provincial General Elections of 1908 and 1912 under the following headings:
  - (a) Name of constituencies.
  - (b) Name of candidates.
  - (c) Vote cast for each candidate.
  - (d) Majority of successful candidates.
2. A comparative statement of the results of the General Elections of 1908 and 1912 in the constituencies of Souris, Cannington, South Qu'Appelle, Moose Mountain, Pipestone, Moosomin, Pheasant Hill, Saltecoats, Last Mountain, Estevan, Weyburn and Milestone under the following heads:
  - (a) Total vote cast.
  - (b) Vote for each candidate.
  - (c) Majority.

(Signed)

W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
REGINA, December 16, 1912.

## RESULT of Provincial Election held in 1908.

Division	Candidates	Votes Polled	Majority
Athabasca	J. O. Nolin	252	...
	A. T. Bernard	9	243
Arm River	Geo. A. Scott	777	...
	B. J. Bott	688	89
Battleford	S. S. Simpson	912	...
	A. C. Dewar	793	119

RESULT of Provincial Election held in 1908—*Continued.*

Division	Candidates	Votes Polled	Majority
Cannington.....	J. D. Stewart.....	1,173	...
	Peter McLellan.....	996	177
Canora.....	J. D. Robertson.....	450	...
	Wm. Johnston.....	206	244
Duck Lake.....	Hon. W. F. A. Turgeon....	514	...
	Frank Turcot.....	382	132
Estevan.....	George A. Bell.....	828	...
	Henry Yardley.....	526	302
Francis.....	J. J. Stevenson.....	976	...
	J. W. Mahan.....	877	99
Hanley.....	J. W. MacNeill.....	704	...
	P. M. Heinrichs.....	658	46
Humboldt.....	D. B. Neely.....	759	...
	L. L. Kramer.....	394	365
Kinistino.....	Thos. Sanderson.....	888	...
	G. B. Johnston.....	1,000	112
Last Mountain.....	S. J. Latta.....	906	...
	T. A. Anderson.....	1,204	298
Lloydminster.....	H. C. Lisle.....	680	...
	H. R. Miles.....	644	36
Milestone.....	Hon. J. A. Calder.....	1,031	...
	A. E. Whitmore.....	1,097	68
Moose Jaw County.....	J. A. Sheppard.....	1,128	...
	Henry Dorrell.....	1,109	19
Moose Jaw City.....	J. R. Green.....	682	...
	J. H. Wellington.....	763	81 over Green
	O. B. Fysh.....	66	
Maple Creek.....	W. R. Abbott.....	305	...
	D. J. Wylie.....	613	308
Moose Mountain.....	C. J. Rosborough.....	974	...
	W. Elliott.....	1,023	49
Moosomin.....	A. S. Smith.....	1,026	...
	David Ellis.....	963	63
North Qu'Appelle.....	Hon. W. R. Motherwell....	848	...
	J. A. McDonald.....	990	142
North Battleford.....	D. M. Finlayson.....	590	...
	E. A. Craig.....	495	95
Pheasant Hills.....	H. W. Lindsay.....	626	...
	H. H. Willway.....	828	202
Pelly.....	J. K. Johnston.....	363	...
	R. S. Dundas.....	331	32
Pipestone.....	Jas. Robinson.....	560	...
	A. B. Gillis.....	1,004	444
Prince Albert County.....	Andrew Knox.....	272	...
	S. J. Donaldson.....	447	175
Prince Albert City.....	Hon. W. F. A. Turgeon....	430	...
	J. E. Bradshaw.....	614	184
Regina County.....	Robert Sinton.....	773	...
	F. C. Tate.....	1,149	376
Regina City.....	J. F. Bo'e.....	1,274	...
	H. W. Laird.....	1,010	264
Redberry.....	George Langley.....	595	...
	C. P. Evans.....	483	112
Rosthern.....	Gerhard Ens.....	474	...
	A. D. Stewart.....	258	216
Swift Current.....	Hon. Walter Scott.....	699	...
	W. O. Smyth.....	401	298
Saskatoon City.....	A. P. McNab.....	794	...
	J. R. Wilson.....	717	77
Saskatoon County.....	W. C. Sutherland.....	781	...
	P. P. Sommerfeld.....	766	15
Souris.....	John Young.....	741	...
	Archibald Riddell.....	1,132	391

RESULT of Provincial Election held in 1908—*Continued.*

Division	Candidates	Votes Polled	Majority
Saltcoats	Thomas MacNutt	1,002	...
	A. C. Thompson	541	461
South Qu'Appelle	Eli Williamson	748	...
	F. W. G. Haultain	1,056	308
Touchwood	G. M. Atkinson	566	...
	Joseph Hollis	412	154
Weyburn	R. M. Mitchell	760	...
	George Beischel	732	28
Wadena	H. C. Pierce	661	...
	R. H. Nicholson	395	266
Vonda	A. F. Totzke	452	...
	W. Mackay	174	278 over
	F. R. Wright	321	Mackay
Yorkton	Thos. H. Garry	845	...
	W. D. Dunlop	616	229

Total Liberal vote polled	29,819
Total Conservative vote polled	28,496
Total Independent vote polled	387

Total	58,702
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Liberal majority over Conservatives	1,323
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## RESULT of Provincial Election held July 11, 1912.

Division	Candidates	Votes Polled	Majority
Arm River	George A. Scott	1,138	...
	F. H. Whitelock	502	636 over
	John Gibson	245	Whitelock
Battleford	S. S. Simpson	568	...
	Robert Ovens	338	230
Biggar	C. H. Cawthorpe	754	...
	L. MacDonald	552	202
Cannington	J. D. Stewart	1,238	...
	C. E. D. Wood	688	550
Canora	J. D. Robertson	683	...
	W. McGregor	368	315 over
	M. Gabora	102	McGregor
Estevan	George A. Bell	1,087	...
	Henry Yardley	566	521
Eagle Creek	G. H. Harris	808	...
	J. G. Laycock	619	189
Francis	W. G. Robinson	1,087	...
	J. W. Mahan	700	387
	D. C. Lochead	637	...
Gull Lake	J. B. Swanston	610	27
	J. W. MacNeill	1,138	...
Hanley	J. R. Hamilton	708	430
	W. F. A. Turgeon	1,073	...
Humboldt	A. D. MacIntosh	349	724
	Geo. H. Watson	1,078	...
Kerrobert	J. M. Hanbidge	577	501
	Hon. W. R. Motherwell	1,004	...
Kindersley	J. M. Toombs	915	89

RESULT of Provincial Election held July 11, 1912—*Continued.*

Division	Candidates	Votes Polled	Majority
Kinistino	E. H. Devline	914	...
	G. H. Giles	438	476
Last Mountain	S. J. Latta	1,449	...
	T. A. Anderson	793	656
Lloydminster	J. P. Lyle	606	...
	O. H. Price	517	89 over
	A. H. Longton	402	Price
Lumsden	James Russell	809	...
	F. C. Tate	950	141
Maple Creek	N. L. Robson	492	...
	D. J. Wylie	669	177
Melfort	G. B. Johnston	818	...
	T. C. Spence	646	172
Morse	M. L. Leitch	876	...
	H. M. Klassen	543	328
Moosomin	Alex. S. Smith	1,146	...
	E. L. Elwood	874	272
Milestone	Bernhart Larson	1,050	...
	T. J. How	861	189
Moose Jaw City	E. C. Matthews	791	...
	W. B. Willoughby	951	160 over
	H. Peters	58	Matthews
Moose Jaw County	J. A. Sheppard	973	...
	F. W. Green	622	351
Moose Mountain	R. A. Magee	1,001	...
	W. Elliott	896	105
North Battleford	D. M. Finlayson	1,116	...
	J. A. Foley	891	225
North Qu'Appelle	J. A. McLaughlin	837	...
	J. A. McDonald	882	45
Pheasant Hills	A. B. A. Cunningham	1,143	...
	H. H. Willway	831	312
Pinto Creek	S. R. Moore	440	...
	A. Marcotte	332	108
Pipestone	R. J. Phin	1,006	...
	A. B. Gillis	982	24
Prince Albert City	Thos. Robertson	626	...
	J. E. Bradshaw	947	321
Pelly	J. K. Johnston	685	...
	E. J. Johnson	680	5
Quill Plains	W. H. Paulson	1,281	...
	A. E. Bence	940	341
Redberry	George Langley	1,014	...
	R. M. Pitts	520	494
Regina City	J. F. Bole	1,898	...
	J. F. L. Embury	1,596	302
Rosetown	C. B. Mark	997	...
	C. W. Ferry	804	193
Rosthern	Gerhard Ens	718	...
	Geo. Braden	590	128
Saltcoats	Hon. J. A. Calder	1,357	...
	James Nixon	475	882
Saskatoon City	Hon. A. P. McNab	1,460	...
	H. E. Munroe	1,349	111
Saskatoon County	W. C. Sutherland	922	...
	W. H. Bulmer	500	422
Shellbrook	Alex. McOwan	343	...
	S. J. Donaldson	478	135
Souris	R. Forsyth	756	...
	J. J. Heaslip	722	34
South Qu'Appelle	D. Railton	703	...
	F. W. G. Haultain	753	50

RESULT of Provincial Election held July 11, 1912—*Continued.*

Division	Candidates	Votes Polled	Majority
Swift Current.....	Hon. Walter Scott.....	768	...
	F. G. Forster.....	565	203
Thunder Creek.....	A. Beaudreau.....	1,244	...
	A. D. Gallagher.....	1,025	219
Tramping Lake.....	James M. Scott.....	1,117	...
	R. J. Speers.....	878	239
Touchwood.....	G. M. Atkinson.....	1,066	...
	Wm. Brice.....	456	610
Vonda.....	A. F. Totzke.....	1,106	...
	F. R. Wright.....	384	722 over
	G. A. Lerew.....	127	Wright
Wadena.....	H. C. Pierce.....	778	...
	J. H. Hearn.....	496	282
Weyburn.....	R. M. Mitchell.....	1,433	...
	G. M. Bowman.....	904	529
Willow Bunch.....	S. C. Wright.....	810	...
	Wm. Davidson.....	825	15
Yorkton.....	Thos. H. Garry.....	999	...
	W. D. Dunlop.....	746	253

N.B.—The name of the Liberal candidate is given first in each case, the Conservative candidate second and the Independent third.

Total Liberal votes polled.....	49,841
Total Conservative votes polled.....	36,424
Total Independent votes polled.....	1,318
Total.....	87,583

Liberal majority over Conservatives..... 13,417

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of Results of the General Elections of 1908 and 1912 in Undermentioned Divisions.

1908					1912				
Division	Total No. of Votes	Liberal	Conser-vative	Majority	Division	Total No. of Votes	Liberal	Conser-vative	Majority
Souris.....	1,873	741	1,132	391	Souris.....	1,478	756	722	34
Cannington.....	2,169	1,173	996	177	Cannington.....	1,926	1,238	688	550
South Qu'Appelle...	1,804	748	1,056	308	South Qu'Appelle...	1,456	703	753	50
Moose Mountain....	1,997	974	1,023	49	Moose Mountain....	1,897	1,001	896	105
Pipestone.....	1,564	560	1,004	444	Pipestone.....	1,988	1,006	982	24
Moosomin.....	1,989	1,026	963	63	Moosomin.....	2,020	1,146	874	272
Pheasant Hills.....	1,454	626	828	202	Pheasant Hills.....	1,974	1,143	831	312
Saltcoats.....	1,543	1,002	541	461	Saltcoats.....	1,832	1,357	475	882
Last Mountain.....	2,108	904	1,204	300	Last Mountain.....	2,242	1,449	793	656
Estevan.....	1,354	828	526	302	Estevan.....	1,653	1,087	566	521
Weyburn.....	1,492	760	732	28	Weyburn.....	2,337	1,433	904	529
Milestone.....	2,128	1,031	1,097	66	Milestone.....	1,911	1,050	861	189
	21,475	10,373	11,102			22,714	13,369	9,345	

Conservative Majority (1908).....  
 11,102  
 10,373  
 729

Liberal Majority (1912).....  
 13,369  
 9,345  
 4,024

## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 37.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated December 10, 1912:

1. The number of wolves killed in the Province during each year since The Wolf Bounty Act has been in operation.
2. The amount of wolf bounty paid each year by the Government.
3. The number of Local Improvement Districts and Rural Municipalities:
  - (a) Formed into wolf bounty districts.
  - (b) Not formed into such districts.

(Signed) W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
REGINA, December 13, 1912.

1. Year		Wolves
1907.....		2,649
1908.....		15,186
1909.....		11,310
1910.....		9,187
1911.....		10,156
1912.....		(not available)
2. Year		Bounty Paid
1907.....		\$1,323.00
1908.....		7,932.00
1909.....		6,690.00
1910.....		5,588.00
1911.....		6,518.50
1912.....		(not available)

3. (a) There are 146 Local Improvement Districts and Rural Municipalities formed into wolf bounty districts.

(b) On the 9th December, 1912, there were 121 Local Improvement Districts and Rural Municipalities not included in any wolf bounty district.

## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 38.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated December 5, 1912:

1. The names of special constables employed by the Government during the months of June and July, 1912.
2. The amounts paid to each.
3. The length of time that each constable was in the employ of the Government.

(Signed) W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SPECIAL CONSTABLES employed during June and July.

Name	Amount	Time
Malcolm McKenzie.....	\$ 25.00	5 days
R. B. Gates.....	415.97	26 "
Geo. T. Dale.....	126.00	14 "
D. C. Lynch.....	144.75	25 "
Frank Currie.....	14.85	2 "
E. E. Lackey.....	15.00	3 "
Auguste Pacaud.....	275.95	28 "

SPECIAL CONSTABLES employed during June and July—*Continued.*

Name	Amount	Time
W. R. Gardiner.....	\$126.00	10 days
John Gordon.....	321.20	24 "
Harvey Creighton.....	99.85	12 "
T. Lincoln.....	15.00	3 "
A. C. Garner.....	9.25	1 "
W. Christmas.....	55.00	8 "
Frank Rissling.....	51.75	8 "
Chas. Yorke.....	330.80	40 "
A. T. Breton.....	214.85	26 "
R. W. Delbridge.....	156.85	18 "
E. R. Phaneuf.....	25.35	3 "
W. H. Bell.....	266.65	25 "
W. Hicock.....	310.90	25 "
G. Lubeck.....	165.55	23 "
G. S. Read.....	238.50	23 "
L. Roy.....	230.10	21 "
E. Hanley.....	190.10	24 "
W. Williams.....	195.85	25 "
L. Plisson.....	113.60	11 "
L. Turner.....	47.35	5 "
N. Theiser.....	179.75	18 "
J. D. Bragg.....	70.00	7 "
Geo. Yorke.....	170.20	25 "
E. Stewart.....	54.00	6 "
A. J. Hammond.....	232.75	26 "
A. P. Medkie.....	237.95	22 "
C. A. Roberts.....	148.00	17 "
C. Lorenz.....	25.00	4 "
P. Glassman.....	50.00	10 "
M. T. Ross.....	50.00	10 "
J. Potvin.....	185.60	8 "
Emile Dorais.....	77.50	10 "
E. J. Driver.....	35.00	4 "
Carl Flugal.....	30.00	6 "
W. Nicholson.....	23.95	3 "
C. W. Doan.....	40.00	3 "
W. R. Spears.....	50.00	10 "
W. J. McKessock.....	220.00	26 "
C. B. Fitzsimmons.....	21.00	3 "
C. E. Gordon.....	23.00	3 "
H. T. Gordon.....	20.00	4 "
W. MacKenzie.....	248.25	24 "
C. R. Nicholson.....	52.60	5 "
Frank Linstrom.....	35.00	4 "
Jesse Mahlum.....	40.00	4 "
James Danielson.....	37.00	4 "
W. W. York.....	35.00	4 "
Frank Howson.....	62.00	4 "
R. Ballantyne.....	39.00	7 "
J. Bushey.....	28.00	4 "
A. Gilles.....	20.00	4 "
B. Timmins.....	30.00	4 "
W. J. Schmitt.....	59.00	5 "
W. H. Downs.....	34.00	4 "
Jacob Smith.....	33.00	3 "
H. J. Glass.....	199.50	24 "
Bernard Phillips.....	4.50	9 "
John McIvor.....	10.00	2 "
W. J. Perry.....	10.00	2 "
D. McNaughton.....	10.00	2 "
F. Hazeldeane.....	5.00	1 "
G. Smith.....	5.00	1 "
D. J. Michasiw.....	30.00	6 "
Andre Budnarczuk.....	30.00	6 "
Fred. Bishop.....	15.00	3 "
Henry Lensch.....	10.00	2 "
Frank Sharp.....	5.00	1 "
J. A. Biden.....	5.00	1 "

## SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 41.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated December 4, 1912:

1. The name and location of every ferry in the Province operated by the Government.
2. The original cost of installing each such ferry.
3. The cost of maintaining and operating each such ferry during the year 1912.
4. The extent to which each such ferry was used during the year 1912. See page 26.

(Signed)

W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

1. The name and location of every ferry in the province operated by the government.		2. The original cost of installing each ferry.	3. The cost of maintaining and operating each such ferry during the year 1912. (Returns to November 1, 1912)		4. The extent to which these ferries were used during the year 1912. (Returns to Nov. 1, 1912)
Name	Location	Cost	Maintenance	Operation	Traffic
Fort Pitt.....	Sec. 11-53-27-3	\$1,166.22	\$ 218.13	\$ 630.00	3,534
Lashburn.....	" 17-51-24-3	2,577.21	418.57	582.00	925
Paynton.....	" 36-47-21-3	1,549.28	489.61	907.50	4,223
Bresaylor.....	" 20-46-19-3	2,561.24	335.56	615.00	5,460
Delmas.....	" 34-45-18-3	2,569.20	126.86	624.00	3,015
Maymont.....	" 20 and 21-41-13-3	3,755.39	172.98	600.00	7,438
Radisson.....	" 26-39-11-3	2,836.53	2,974.45	1,086.50	4,130
Henrietta.....	" 19-39-9-3	2,329.64	166.13	591.00	2,731
Hepburn.....	" 23-41-7-3	3,577.62	nil	72.00	227
Petrofka.....	" 30-42-6-3	542.84	219.06	501.00	7,596
Tiefengrund.....	" 31-43-5-3	5,614.97	119.39	609.00	17,852
Carlton.....	" 5-45-4-3	No record	1,551.73	606.00	5,340
Wingard.....	" 6-46-3-3	1,039.03	2,592.64	591.00	3,980
Cecil.....	" 35-49-24-2	4,236.50	38.79	489.00	3,454
Birson.....	" 25-47-24-2	No record	336.79	615.00	4,278
Adams.....	" 46-25-2	No record	586.20	603.00	5,180
St. Louis.....	" 13-45-27-2	1,023.36	1,151.04	609.00	7,898
St. Laurent.....	" 16-44-1-3	200.00	163.60	615.00	5,128
Batoche.....	" 18-43-1-3	No record	1,407.08	615.00	9,478
Gabriels.....	" 13-42-1-3	1,980.00	758.77	606.00	5,360
Fish Creek.....	" 1-42-3-3	681.85	541.57	912.50	24,385
Hague.....	" 6-41-2-3	No record	176.92	615.00	7,463
Osler.....	" 18-39-3-3	641.52	1,564.38	597.00	6,945
Warman.....	" 26-38-6-3	1,996.79	736.93	597.00	2,154
Outlook.....	" 16-29-8-3	5,889.22	2,102.70	2,142.00	46,304
Elbow.....	" 8-25-5-3	2,366.99	597.90	1,158.00	16,135
Riverside.....	" 3-23-7-3	5,614.03	436.20	1,177.00	10,111
Log Valley.....	" 3-21-8-3	3,799.07	488.33	1,094.00	1,324
Herbert.....	" 19-20-10-3	4,428.12	122.04	621.00	5,266
Sask. Landing.....	" 35-19-15-3	1,202.41	1,717.23	1,144.00	12,324
Pennant.....	" 4-20-17-3	5,946.40	nil	237.00	3,756
Cabri.....	" 19 and 20-20-17-3	4,833.07	nil	63.00	116
Maple Creek.....	" 27-23-25-3	No record	289.32	615.00	5,067

## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 43.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated December 4, 1912:

1. Copies of all correspondence carried on between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Ottawa Government or any of its officials with respect to the sale of school lands recently arranged for and now being held.
2. A statement of all school lands sold prior to July 1, 1912, indicating:
  - (a) The area sold.
  - (b) The total selling price.
  - (c) The amount of principal paid.
  - (d) The amount of unpaid principal.
  - (e) The total amount deducted for expenses and administration.
  - (f) The rate of interest paid to the Province.
3. A statement indicating:
  - (a) The number of parcels of school lands included in the sale recently arranged.
  - (b) The area of these parcels.

(Signed)

W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

1. Copies of all correspondence carried on between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Ottawa Government or any of its officials with respect to the sale of school lands recently arranged for and now being held:

November 23, 1912.

DEAR SIR,—

I observe from newspaper reports that school lands have recently been offered for sale by public auction at various points in this province. This is a matter causing some surprise as no such sale in the past has been held without this Government having been first consulted in the matter and its advice solicited, both as to the general question of the advisability of the sale and as to the details of the parcels to be offered. An understanding to the effect that such action shall always be taken prior to any sale has been in existence between your Department and this Government for some years, and I cannot conceive of any reason why this practice should have been departed from in the case of the present sales. You will, of course, readily understand that no question is raised as to the right of the Minister of the Interior in this matter, but I would point out that these lands in this Province are set apart by Statute as an endowment for purposes of education and that the moneys arising from their sale forms a fund in your trust, the beneficial interest in which is in the Government of this Province. From this point of view you will, I have no doubt, agree with me that we have an interest in this matter that fully warrants our belief that we should be consulted before any of these lands are sold. Our opinions on this matter are strongly held, and go so far as to lead us to consider that, no matter what the technical rights may be or where the final responsibility may lie, no sale of school lands should be held in this province without the formal consent of this Government is first obtained.

I shall be glad to learn now that this matter has been brought to your attention, that you approve of the understanding to which I have referred and that it shall be given due effect in future.

Yours truly,

(Signed) WALTER SCOTT.

The Hon. W. J. Roche,  
Minister of the Interior, Ottawa.

Ottawa, December 5, 1912.

MY DEAR MR. SCOTT,—

Your favour of the twenty-third ultimo has come to hand, in which you set forth your views regarding future sales of school lands in the Province of Saskatchewan. These views will receive due consideration at my hands.

(Signed) W. J. ROCHE.

Hon. Walter Scott, Regina.

## 2. Statement of all School Lands sold prior to July 1, 1912.

(a) Area sold.....	487,000 acres
(b) Total selling price.....	\$6,572,732.51
(c) Amount of principal paid to March 31, 1912.....	\$2,218,545.64
(No later reports available)	
(d) Amount of principal on March 31, 1912, unpaid.....	\$4,354,186.87
(e) Amount deducted for expenses and administration.	
Expenses and administration are not deducted from principal moneys, but are paid out of revenue collections:	
Deductions made:	
1905-06 (Sept. to June).....	\$5,684.39
1906-07 (July to March).....	5,508.08
1907-08.....	7,064.75
1908-09.....	6,947.00
1909-10.....	9,120.32
1910-11.....	13,991.64
1911-12.....	9,521.11
To March, 1912.....	<u>\$57,837.29</u>
(f) Rate of interest paid to province:	
On principal moneys, 3 per cent.	
On unpaid balances of principal, 5 per cent. less deductions for expenses.	

October 24, 18 9.

DEAR MR. SMART,—

As the legislation with regard to school lands was passed last session I presume there will be no further difficulty on that score with regard to the sale of school lands in the Territories.

I now enclose you a list of the lands which I would recommend to be sold during the coming winter. I have taken a good deal of trouble to obtain full information with regard to all these lands, and in each case the section is recommended to be sold by the local member of the district in which it is situated and by other people with whom I have had correspondence on the subject. None of the land included in the list has been valued as low as \$7 per acre, and in many instances I am led to believe that sections can be sold for prices ranging from \$10 to as high as \$20 an acre. We recommend that the upset price in all cases should be \$7 per acre and with that as a minimum price I

cannot see any reason why these lands should not be placed on the market during the coming season.

We have had a good crop this year and there will be a tendency on the part of the farmers all over the country to increase their acreage. The month of December would be a good time for holding a sale, but I presume that all the details will be arranged by your department.

Yours faithfully,  
(Signed) F. W. G. HAULTAIN.

Ottawa, November 9, 1899.

DEAR MR. HAULTAIN,—

Referring to your letter of the twenty-fourth ultimo with regard to a sale of school lands in the Territories, according to the list forwarded, I beg to state that I am arranging to have the sale take place at the earliest possible date. It would be quite impossible, however, to hold it in the month of December, and I will arrange it for the month of January if you think it would be suitable. There are some eight parcels mentioned in the list, which are now used for grazing purposes, and it requires a year's notice to determine a lease of this kind, so that I presume these parcels cannot be offered for sale this year unless the lessees are willing to relinquish their right to a year's notice. They are now being written to on the subject. I presume the sale should be held at Qu'Appelle, although I think there would be no difference as to convenience as between Indian Head and Qu'Appelle.

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) JAMES A. SMART,  
*Deputy Minister.*

Hon. F. W. G. Haultain,  
Premier and Attorney General, Regina.

January 12, 1900.

The Minister of the Interior,  
Ottawa.

Would strongly urge postponement of sale of school lands in Territories. No notice of sale yet published and six weeks' well distributed notice at least required.

(Signed) F. W. G. HAULTAIN.

Ottawa, Jan. 16, 1900.

Hon. F. W. G. Haultain,  
Regina.

Will postpone date of sale till first week in March. Will that do.

JAS. A. SMART,  
*Deputy Minister.*

January 16, 1900.

Deputy Minister of Interior,  
Ottawa.

First March will suit sale school lands. List lands to be offered should be published at once as well as wide notice of sale given.

J. H. ROSS.

Ottawa, May 18, 1909.

Hon. Walter Scott,  
Regina.

Has any decision been reached regarding School Land Sales Saskatchewan this fall?

W. W. CORY.

Regina, Sask., May 18, 1909.

W. W. Cory,  
Deputy Minister of Interior,  
Ottawa.

We favour preparation for some sales. Will write you soon indicating localities.

WALTER SCOTT.

May 18, 1909.

DEAR SIR,—

Yesterday I received your wire inquiring as to whether decision has been received by us regarding school land sales in Saskatchewan this fall, and I at once replied to effect that we favour immediate preparations for some sales and that I should write you soon indicating localities.

After consultation I beg to advise in favour of preparations being carried on for sales this fall at the following places: *Weyburn, Francis, Hanley, Saskatoon and Strassburg.*

We should like it understood that we are to have the liberty later in the season, if untoward conditions arise and the prospect of favourable sales becomes not so good, to advise that the sales be not gone on with.

If with the information in possession of your Department you may be of opinion that the points I have named are not in the best districts within the Province for school land sales this fall, we shall be glad to give consideration to any suggestions you may have to offer.

May I suggest that it will be advisable to advertise the sales for sixty days if possible and in any case not less than thirty days.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) WALTER SCOTT.

W. W. Cory, Esq.,  
Deputy Minister of the Interior, Ottawa.

Office of the Deputy Minister of the Interior,  
Ottawa, May 29, 1909.

DEAR MR. SCOTT,—

I am in receipt of your letter of the nineteenth instant with regard to the question of school land sales in Saskatchewan. I may say in reply that from our experience in the past it has been found very much more convenient to the public and in the interests of the School Endowment Fund to hold the sales in the month of June instead of in the Fall of the year. The proper advertising of the same always involves considerable expenditure and it is therefore important that once it has been decided to hold a sale anywhere no change should

subsequently be made in so far as that district is concerned. If you agree with my view I would suggest that the sales mentioned in your letter be delayed until June of next year.

However I will be quite pleased to have our inspector consult your Department so that we can come to a satisfactory understanding in this relation, and if you agree to this proposal I will have instructions given accordingly.

Yours faithfully, (Signed) W. W. Cory,  
*Deputy Minister.*

DEAR MR. CORY,—

June 8, 1909.

In reply to your letter of May 29 regarding school lands sales I would say that we will raise no objection against deferring the sales in Saskatchewan until June of next year. It may be, however, that changing conditions in the meantime will make it wise to decide upon different localities for the sales from those named in my letter of May 19. We shall be glad to discuss the matter with your inspector.

Very sincerely yours, (Signed) WALTER SCOTT.

W. W. Cory, Esq.,  
Deputy Minister of the Interior, Ottawa.

Department of the Interior.

Ottawa, July 27, 1909.

SIR,—

A letter has been received from Mr. Hines, President of the Farmers' Railway Company of Melfort, Saskatchewan, asking that section 11 township 45 range 19 west of the second meridian be put up at auction at an early date so as to afford the company an opportunity of acquiring it for a townsite.

He also states that there are a number of other sections in that locality which might be offered at the same time with advantage to the fund, and mentions specially section 29 township 44 range 19; section 29 township 45 range 17; section 11 township 44 range 20; and section 29 township 43 range 20; all west of the second meridian, and states that there are also a number of other sections near Star City and Kinistino which might be offered at the same time.

Before any steps are taken in this matter it is thought proper to ask for an expression of the views of your Government as to the advisability of holding any sales of school lands in Saskatchewan this year. I am to add that it is very doubtful in any case whether it would be possible to make the necessary preparations for the sale this fall, as arrangements have to be made for sales at Edmonton, Stettler, Lacombe and the north-western part of Manitoba, and as the lists would have to be out ready for distribution by the first of October, there is very little time to spare. Under all the circumstances it would perhaps be better to defer the sale of the lands mentioned by Mr. Hines until next spring, but the Department would be glad to hear from you in the matter.

Your obedient servant,  
(Signed) P. G. KEYES,  
*Secretary.*

Regina, January 26, 1910.

HON. WALTER SCOTT,—

On 221.

Ingram here today. Wishes decision regarding school lands sale. think we should proceed shall I close arrangements.

J. A. CALDER.

Strathcona, Alb., Jan. 26, 1910.

Think Ingram should proceed with examination in districts suggested for sales our decision should not be expected until full results of examination are before us.

WALTER SCOTT.

Ottawa, February 25, 1910.

DEAR SIR,—

In further reference to your suggestion that there should be an inspection of surrounding lands in connection with and supplementary to our present inspection of school lands, I beg to say that on inquiry I find that to secure the additional information desired would need the appointment of at least two or three additional inspectors, with a corresponding addition to the charges on the school funds. It would also tend towards delay in holding the usual auction sales. Otherwise there does not seem to be any difficulty in the way.

Before taking any action, however, I should like to be informed definitely by your Government as to what information they desired to have.

Yours very truly,

(Signed)

FRANK OLIVER.

Hon. Walter Scott,  
Regina.

March 7, 1910.

*Re Inspection of School Lands.*

DEAR SIR,—

Your letter of the twenty-fifth ultimo dealing with the above matter and addressed to Mr. Scott has been referred to me. From what you state it would appear that Mr. Scott in his request to you did not make quite clear the object we have in view and as the matter is of considerable importance I will again place it before you for your early consideration.

Under the existing arrangement for the administration of the School Lands Trust there is a general understanding, I believe, between your Department and the Provincial Governments that no lands will be offered for sale or otherwise disposed of without our approval. From time to time as sales have been contemplated approval has been sought and granted. Occasionally, however, we have found ourselves in the position of not knowing what action to take in view of the fact that certain of the lands in question had not been inspected and valued. This was the case recently in connection with a number of the sales now being arranged for you by your Department through Mr. Ingram.

In view of the fact that it will be necessary from time to time in future years to arrange for other sales the thought occurred to us that it would be advisable during the course of this and next year to have you arrange for a careful and thorough inspection of all school lands in what might be regarded as the settled portions of Saskatchewan or at least in those areas where sales will likely be held during the course of say the next five years. If this is done now anything in the nature of a hurried inspection can be avoided. In your letter of the twenty-fifth ultimo you speak of an inspection of lands adjacent to or surrounding school lands. Personally I cannot see any necessity for this. To my mind all that should be necessary is to inspect the school lands themselves, the inspector's report to include all observations respecting the character of the soil and subsoil, the area under water, the amount of scrub and timber and hay lands and other details of that nature which might very well be worked out by the officials of the School Lands Branch of your Department. At the same time the inspector should be required to fix the actual value of the land at the time of his inspection. If all this is done now we should on very short notice be able to arrange for sales at future dates, knowing exactly where we stand.

The information which we will have on hand will enable us to approve any selection of lands thought desirable and at the same time we should have no difficulty in arriving at a fair upset price to be fixed in accordance with the general value of lands at the time of sale. The value of the land as originally fixed at the time of inspection will be found very helpful for this purpose.

In case you agree with the general proposition I would suggest that two special inspectors be appointed for the purpose and as the Province is chiefly concerned in the matter I think you will agree with me that it is only proper that the officials to be appointed should meet with our approval. If the work is to be undertaken we are anxious that it should be done thoroughly by perfectly reliable inspectors. It will be understood, of course, that their salaries and expenses will be paid out of the proceeds of our School Lands Trust Fund.

I shall be glad if you will let me know at an early date what you think of the general scheme. If anything is to be done matters should be so arranged that inspection can be begun as soon as the snow is off the ground. It also occurs to me that inspection should be carried on only during the summer season and that the inspectors should understand that their appointment is merely temporary.

Yours very truly,

(Signed)

J. A. CALDER.

Hon. Frank Oliver,  
Minister of the Interior, Ottawa.

House of Commons.

Hon. J. A. Calder, Regina, Sask.

Ottawa, March 30, 1911.

*Re SE. 29-19-22 W 2*

DEAR MR. CALDER,—

This is a school quarter near Disley. Last year the Canadian Northern had the right to take gravel off the land and I believe that

Peter Lyall & Son also took gravel from there and this caused a great deal of difficulty among gravel dealers in Regina.

Some men in the vicinity of Disley have been asking for a gravel lease this year, but under all the circumstances the Department has decided to give gravel rights to no one. I believe the Provincial Government has instructed the Department not to sell any school lands this year. No harm could be done by selling this quarter section, and I would suggest that you agree to have this quarter put up for sale at public auction so that the people in the vicinity of Disley would get the right to buy it.

Yours truly,

(Signed) W. M. MARTIN.

House of Commons.

April 19, 1911.

Hon. J. A. Calder, Regina.

*Re SW. 29-19-22 W2*

DEAR MR. CALDER,—

I wrote you some time ago asking that you request the Department of Interior to sell this quarter section. There are some people in the vicinity of Disley who want to take gravel from it and owing to the position taken by the department here no lease can be obtained for this purpose. I should judge that you would have no particular objection to allow it to be sold as apparently it is only useful for gravel purposes.

Yours truly,

(Signed) W. M. MARTIN.

April 20, 1911.

*Re SE. ¼ 29-19-22 W2*

DEAR MR. MARTIN,—

I am in receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo in which you request that the consent of our Government should be given for the sale of the above mentioned school land as it is required by the public for the purpose of securing gravel. In reply I may state that if the Interior Department will write us officially regarding the matter the necessary consent will be given.

Yours truly,

(Signed) J. A. CALDER.

W. M. Martin, Esq., M.P.,  
House of Commons, Ottawa.

Office of the Deputy Minister of the Interior.

Ottawa, April 26, 1911.

DEAR SIR,—

In order to close out numerous applications for permits to remove gravel from the south-west quarter of section 29 township 19 range 22 west of the second meridian it is desired to have this quarter section put up at auction at once if at all possible. I understand that the quar-

ter section is unfit for anything except gravel, and as you are probably aware we have no legislation under which gravel permits could be issued in this case. As the building season is about to open I would be glad to hear from you at an early date in order that we may proceed with the necessary preliminary arrangements.

Yours truly,

W. W. CORY,  
*Deputy Minister.*

Honourable J. A. Calder,  
Minister of Education, Regina, Sask.

May 10, 1911.

DEAR SIR,—

I am in receipt of your letter of the twenty-sixth ultimo in reference to the sale of SW. quarter of section 29 township 19 range 22 west of the second, and may state in reply that the Government of the Province of Saskatchewan has no objection to this quarter section being sold as it is understood that it is required for gravel purposes.

Yours truly,

(Signed) J. A. CALDER.

W. W. Cory, Esq.,  
Deputy Minister of the Interior, Ottawa.

SESSIONAL PAPER No. 46.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly, dated December 4, 1912:

1. The number of arrests made during the provincial election campaign for alleged violation of The Elections Act.
2. The number of persons arrested.
3. The number of convictions secured.
4. The number released without being brought to trial.

(Signed) W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
REGINA, *January 8, 1913.*

The number of arrests made during the Provincial Election Campaign for alleged violation of The Election Act.	The names of persons arrested.	The number of convictions secured.	The number released without being brought to trial.
Seven.....	Robert Millar, of Morse.....  Marsh Jackson, of Wadena...	.....  .....	The accused escaped from the custody of the officer at Moose Jaw.  Case was dismissed by Magistrate Trant of Regina.

The number of arrests made during the Provincial Election Campaign for alleged violation of The Election Act.	The names of persons arrested.	The number of convictions secured.	The number released without being brought to trial.
	Arthur Smith, exact place of arrest not known.....	Convicted.....	Case was tried before Magistrate Trant of Regina; accused fined \$50.00, appealed; appeal was withdrawn later and fine was paid.
	F. J. Lange, of Denzell.....	Convicted.....	Accused was found guilty on two charges and sentenced to imprisonment of one day each on both charges.
	Wm. Shields, of Swift Current	.....	Case dismissed by Magistrate Trant.
	Peter McLaren, of Gull Lake. Victor Orr, of Maple Creek	..... ..... .....	Case was dismissed.
			Information laid by D. J. Wylie, accused appeared before J. F. Monck, Maple Creek, charged with perjury under section 172 of The Criminal Code. Dismissed for want of prosecution.

## SESSIONAL PAPER No. 47.

To an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated December 4, 1912:

1. The total cost of the Legislative Buildings to date, including:

- (a) The cost of site.
- (b) The improvements to the same.
- (c) The cost of buildings.
- (d) The cost of furnishings.
- (e) The total estimated cost.

(Signed)

W. F. A. TURGEON,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
REGINA, January 9, 1913.

1. The total cost of the Legislative Buildings to date, including:
  - (a) The cost of site.....\$ 96,348.80
  - (b) The improvement to the same..... 113,308.63
  - (c) The cost of buildings ..... 1,893,988.60
  - (d) The cost of furnishings ..... 192,041.99
  - (e) The total estimated cost to complete the building ..... 59,094.27



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<b>DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS:</b>		
7. Annual Report of the Department of Public Works of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ending February 28, 1912.		36
<b>RURAL TELEPHONE COMPANIES:</b>		
8. Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:		
1. Number of Rural Telephone Companies incorporated in the Province during each of the years 1908-1912 inclusive.		
2. Number of miles of telephone lines constructed by these companies during each of the said years.		
3. Number of subscribers served by the said companies during each of the said years:		
4. The approximate capital cost per mile of supplying telephone service through rural companies including the cost of telephone poles.		
5. The number of applications now on hand for the organisation of rural telephone companies.	23	36
<b>HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS:</b>		
9. Report of the Board of Highway Commissioners of the Province of Saskatchewan for the season of 1912, up to October 31.		40
<b>LICENSED STALLION DISTRICTS:</b>		
10. Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:		
1. The number of licensed stallion districts organised in the Province during the current year.		
2. A map indicating their several boundaries.	29	41
<b>TEMPORARY LOAN:</b>		
11. Statement of Facts concerning Temporary Loans, required to be submitted to the Legislative Assembly by Section 11 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes 1909.		41
<b>PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:</b>		
12. Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year ended February 29, 1912.		41
<b>SPECIAL WARRANTS:</b>		
13. Statement of Special Warrants issued during the year 1911-12.		41
<b>LIBRARY REPORT:</b>		
14. Mr. Speaker laid on the Table of the House the Report of the Librarian.		42
<b>ESTIMATE OF SUM REQUIRED FOR PROVINCIAL SERVICE:</b>		
15. The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending February 28, 1913, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.		43

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ACCOUNTS AND PAPERS— <i>Continued.</i>	Ordered	Presented
<b>RURAL MUNICIPALITIES:</b>		
16. Return to an Order of the House, dated November 22, 1912, showing:		
1. The number of rural municipalities established during each of the years The Rural Municipality Act has been in operation.		
2. The number of small local improvement districts now in existence.		
3. A map of the Province indicating those portions of it which are under municipal or local improvement district government.	29	44
<b>DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS, TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES:</b>		
17. Report of the Railway, Telegraph and Telephone Department for the Financial Year ended February 29, 1912.		45
<b>TECHNICAL EDUCATION:</b>		
18. Return to an Order of the House, dated November 26, 1912, showing:		
The name and house address of the persons comprising the Commission appointed to investigate the matter of Technical Education.	40	52
<b>POWER AT COAL CENTRES:</b>		
19. Report on Inquiry into practicability of producing Power at Coal Centres and distributing it throughout the Province.		52
<b>CORRESPONDENCE RE NATURAL RESOURCES:</b>		
20. Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:		
Copies of all correspondence or other documents relating in any way to the question of the transfer to the Province of its lands and other natural resources.	22	54
<b>SASKATCHEWAN CO-OPERATIVE ELEVATORS:</b>		
21. Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:		
1. A list of the elevators built or purchased by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company during the years 1911 and 1912, indicating the location, capacity and cost of each.		
2. The amount of money advanced by the Government on account of such elevators for each of the said years.		
3. The financial standing of the company at the close of its first year of operation.	22	69
<b>ELECTION IN CUMBERLAND:</b>		
22. Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing:		
A copy of the return made by the Returning Officer for the electoral district of Cumberland at the recent election therein held and all papers and documents relating to the holding of the said election and of the official and other correspondence between the Returning Officer and any member of the Government or the Clerk of the Executive Council.	28	69

ACCOUNTS AND PAPERS— <i>Continued.</i>	Ordered	Presented
<b>SCHOOL DISTRICTS:</b>		
23. Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:		
1. The number of school districts in Saskatchewan on each of the following dates:		
September 1, 1905.		
December 31, 1905.		
December 31, 1906.		
December 31, 1907.		
December 31, 1908.		
December 31, 1909.		
December 31, 1910.		
December 31, 1911.		
December 1, 1912.		
2. The number of school rooms or departments (including high school departments) maintained in each of the following towns and cities during each of the years 1905 to 1912, inclusive: Moosomin, Indian Head, Regina, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Weyburn, Estevan, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Yorkton, Battleford and North Battleford.	68	79
<b>PUBLIC WORKS IMPROVEMENTS IN CONSTITUENCY OF PRINCE ALBERT:</b>		
24. Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1912, showing:		
1. A list of the local improvements, including roads, bridges and other Public Works authorised by the Public Works Department or the Highways Commission in the constituency of Prince Albert during the year 1912.		
2. A statement of the amounts so authorised to be expended by Local Councils.		
3. The amount expended to date on the several improvements referred to.		
4. The reason, if any, why any work authorised has not been undertaken or completed.		
5. A list of the said improvements upon which work was stopped after July 11, 1912, and the reason therefor, in each case.	40	82
<b>SHEEP SALES:</b>		
25. Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:		
1. The names of places where sheep sales were held in the Province during the current year.		
2. The number of applications received from intending purchasers.		
3. The number of sheep sold, indicating grade and price.		
4. The number of sheep remaining unsold.	63	83
<b>INSPECTORS AND FOREMEN EMPLOYED BY GOVERNMENT.</b>		
26. Return to an Order of the House dated December 3, 1912, showing:		
1. The names of all inspectors and foremen employed by the Highway Commission on the Government gang during 1912.		
2. The date each began work and period during which work done.		
3. The rate of wages paid.		
4. The aggregate amount drawn by each.	59	85

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ACCOUNTS AND PAPERS— <i>Continued.</i>	Ordered	Presented
<b>RESPECTING SHERIFFS:</b>		
27. Return to an Order of the House dated December 3, 1912, showing:		
1. What Sheriffs in this Province are paid by fees and those by salaries?		
2. What are the net returns to the Government for each office in which the Sheriff is paid by fees?		
3. What are the net amounts received and retained by each Sheriff paid by fees?		
4. What salaries do Sheriffs receive who are paid by salaries?	59	85
<b>CORRESPONDENCE RE NATURAL RESOURCES:</b>		
28. Return to an Order of the House dated November 28, 1912, showing:		
All correspondence between the Government of this Province and the late Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, touching the transfer by the Dominion of Canada to this Province of the public lands and natural resources of the Province.	51	85
<b>ELECTION CHARGES:</b>		
29. Mr. Bole, The Chairman of The Select Committee on the Election Charges laid on the Table the following:		
The minutes of the meetings of the Committee together with other papers.		90
<b>AMOUNT PAID TO LEADER PUBLISHING COMPANY:</b>		
30. Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:		
The amount paid to The Leader Publishing Company for work done for the Government from March 1 until December 1, 1912.	69	90
<b>UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN:</b>		
31. Report on the Educational work of the University of Saskatchewan for the year ending June 30, 1912.		94
<b>OUTLOOK FERRY:</b>		
32. Return to an Order of the House dated December 12, 1912, showing:		
1. What has been the capital expenditure upon the ferry at Outlook for the years 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912?		
2. What has been the cost of maintenance of this ferry during each of these years?	89	94
<b>GENERAL ELECTIONS 1908 AND 1912:</b>		
33. Return to an Order of the House dated November 26, 1912, showing:		
1. The results of the Provincial General Elections of 1908 and 1912 under the following headings:		
(a) Name of constituencies.		
(b) Name of candidates.		
(c) Vote cast for each candidate.		
(d) Majority of successful candidates.		

ACCOUNTS AND PAPERS— <i>Continued.</i>	Ordered	Presented
<p>2. A comparative statement of the results of the General Elections of 1908 and 1912 in the constituencies of Souris, Cannington, South Qu'Appelle, Moose Mountain, Pipestone, Moosomin, Pheasant Hill, Saltcoats, Last Mountain, Estevan, Weyburn and Milestone under the following heads:</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">(a) Total vote cast.</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">(b) Vote for each candidate.</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">(c) Majority.</p>	39	101
GUARANTEE OF RAILWAY BONDS.		
<p>34. Return to an Order of the House dated November 21, 1912, showing:</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">Copies of all Orders in Council relating in any way to the Guarantee of Bonds of any Railway Company upon any line of Railway within the Province of Saskatchewan.</p>	23	105
RESPECTING DISEASES:		
<p>35. Return to an Order of the House dated December 10, 1912, showing:</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">1. The number of epidemics of disease which broke out in the Province during the year 1912, indicating:</p> <p style="margin-left: 4em;">(a) The nature of such epidemics.</p> <p style="margin-left: 4em;">(b) The number of deaths in the case of each class.</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">2. The steps taken by the Bureau of Public Health to suppress Trachoma.</p>	81	105
DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:		
<p>36. Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs of the Province of Saskatchewan for the Financial Year 1911-12, ending February 29, 1912.</p>		103
WOLF BOUNTIES:		
<p>37. Return to an Order of the House dated December 9, 1912, showing:</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">1. The number of wolves killed in the province during each year since the Wolf Bounty Act has been in operation.</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">2. The amount of wolf bounty paid each year by the Government.</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">3. The number of Local Improvement Districts and Rural Municipalities</p> <p style="margin-left: 4em;">(a) Formed into wolf bounty districts.</p> <p style="margin-left: 4em;">(b) Not formed into such districts.</p>	77	106
SPECIAL CONSTABLES:		
<p>38. Return to an Order of the House dated December 5, 1912, showing:</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">1. The names of special constables employed by the Government during the months of June and July, 1912.</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">2. The amounts paid to each.</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">3. The length of time that each constable was in the employ of the Government.</p>	69	106
VOTERS' LISTS:		
<p>39. Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing:</p> <p style="margin-left: 2em;">The total cost of the preparation of the voters' lists during the present year.</p>	63	108

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	Ordered	Presented
<b>ACCOUNTS AND PAPERS—Continued.</b>		
<b>GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE IN WILLOW BUNCH CONSTITUENCY:</b>		
40. Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing: From January 1, 1912, to date, a statement in detail of all moneys expended by or on behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan in what is now the Willow Bunch Constituency.	65	108
<b>RESPECTING FERRIES:</b>		
41. Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing: 1. The name and location of every ferry in the Province operated by the Government. 2. The original cost of installing each such ferry. 3. The cost of maintaining and operating each such ferry during the year 1912. 4. The extent to which each such ferry was used during the year 1912.	62	114
<b>ESTIMATES OF SUM REQUIRED FOR PROVINCIAL SERVICE:</b>		
42. The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the fourteen months ending April 30, 1914, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.		116
<b>CORRESPONDENCE RE SALE OF SCHOOL LANDS:</b>		
43. Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing: 1. Copies of all correspondence carried on between the Government of Saskatchewan and the Ottawa Government or any of its officials with respect to the sale of school lands recently arranged for and now being held. 2. A statement of all school lands sold prior to July 1, 1912, indicating: (a) The area sold. (b) The total selling price. (c) The amount of principal paid. (d) The amount of unpaid principal. (e) The total amount deducted for expenses and administration. (f) The rate of interest paid to the Province. 3. A statement indicating: (a) The number of parcels of school lands included in the sale recently arranged. (b) The area of these parcels.	63	124
<b>CORRESPONDENCE RELATING TO PRINCE ALBERT JAIL PROPERTY:</b>		
44. Return to an Order of the House dated November 22, 1912, showing: Copies of all correspondence, papers and documents, in any way relating to the proposed transfer by the Government of Saskatchewan to the City of Prince Albert of the Provincial Jail Property.	29	141
<b>PUBLIC WORKS EXPENDITURES, ETC., BY CONSTITUENCIES:</b>		
45. Return to an Order of the House dated December 17, 1912, showing: 1. The total expenditure by constituencies under The Public Highways Act from 1st January, 1912, to 1st December, 1912.		

ACCOUNTS AND PAPERS— <i>Continued.</i>	Ordered	Presented
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. The like expenditures under The Public Works Act and where and how spent.</li> <li>3. What Municipalities refused to co-operate with the Board of Highway Commissioners?</li> <li>4. What Municipalities received grants from the said Board without contributing a like amount to that supplied by the Board?</li> <li>5. The names of all employees of the Highway Commissioners for above period, the place where employee worked, and the wages paid such employee.</li> <li>6. The total amount of yards of dirt moved in each constituency and the amount paid therefor, showing each job separately.</li> <li>7. All correspondence between the Board of Highway Commissioners and Municipalities or any member of a Municipal Council, or any official or member of the Government relating to the expenditure of money by the said Board during said period.</li> <li>8. Copies of all vouchers and papers filed with the Board for expenditures by such Board during said period.</li> </ol>	103	141
ARRESTS UNDER ELECTION ACT.		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>46. Return to an Order of the House dated December 4, 1912, showing: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The number of arrests made during the provincial election campaign for alleged violation of The Elections Act.</li> <li>2. The number of persons arrested.</li> <li>3. The number of convictions secured.</li> <li>4. The number released without being brought to trial.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	63	141
COST OF LEGISLATIVE BUILDINGS:		
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**THE SCHOOL ASSESSMENT ACT:**

(No. 2) An Act to amend The School Assessment Act. (Mr. Scott, Swift Current.) 1 R., 17. 2 R., 27. C. of W., 28, 112. 3 R., 128. P., 128. A., 165.

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(No. 3) An Act to amend The School Grants Act. (Mr. Scott, Swift Current.) 1 R., 17. 2 R., 27. C. of W., 28, 112. 3 R., 129. P., 129. A., 165.

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(No. 16) An Act to ratify Bylaws 538, 655 and 656 of the City of Moose Jaw relating to a Public Library. (Mr. Willoughby.) 1 R., 36. 2 R., 55. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 55. Reported, 57. C. of W., 78. 3 R., 87. P., 87. A., 110.

## MOOSE JAW RE DEBENTURE INTEREST:

(No. 17) An Act to provide for payment of interest under certain Bylaws of the City of Moose Jaw. (Mr. Willoughby.) 1 R., 36. 2 R., 55. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 55. Reported, 57. C. of W., 78. 3 R., 87. P., 87. A., 110.

## ASSESSMENT AND TAX ROLLS OF THE TOWN OF WEYBURN:

(No. 18) An Act to confirm the Assessment and Tax Rolls of the Town of Weyburn. (Mr. Mitchell.) 1 R., 36. 2 R., 45. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 45. Reported, 57. C. of W., 78. 3 R., 87. P., 87. A., 110.

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(No. 19) An Act to confirm and make valid a Certain Agreement of Sale entered into between the Trustees of the Congregation of the Gardiner Presbyterian Church in the Town of Battleford and F. G. Atkinson and G. A. Foster. (Mr. Simpson.) 1 R., 36. 2 R., 45. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 45. Reported, 70. C. of W., 89, 113. 3 R., 129. P., 129. A., 165.

## SASKATCHEWAN GENERAL TRUSTS CORPORATION:

(No. 20) An Act respecting Saskatchewan Securities and Trusts Corporation and to change its name to Saskatchewan General Trusts Corporation. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 40. 2 R., 52. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 52. Reported, 83. C. of W., 93. 3 R., 99. P., 99. A., 110.

## THE FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE SUPPLY COMPANY, LIMITED:

(No. 21) An Act to incorporate The Farmers' Co-operative Supply Company, Limited. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 41. 2 R., 52. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 52. Reported, 73. C. of W., 88, 93. 3 R., 100. P., 100. A., 110.

## THE BRITISH WESTERN TRUST CORPORATION:

(No. 22) An Act to incorporate The British Western Trust Corporation. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 41. 2 R., 60. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 60. Reported, 73. C. of W., 89. 3 R., 92. P., 92. A., 110.

## THE GLENAVON HOSPITAL:

(No. 23) An Act to incorporate The Glenavon Hospital. (Mr. Magee). 1 R., 41. 2 R., 52. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 52. Reported, 61. C. of W., 78. 3 R., 87. P., 87. A., 110. Refund of fee, 102.

## DOMINION TRUST COMPANY:

(No. 24) An Act respecting The Dominion Trust Company. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 41. 2 R., 53. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 53. Reported, 61. C. of W., 78. 3 R., 87. P., 87. A., 110.

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(No. 25) An Act to amend The Public Highways Act (Mr. McNab.) 1 R., 44. 2 R., 62. C. of W., 88. 3 R., 91. P., 91. A., 110.

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(No. 26) An Act to amend The Public Works Act. (Mr. McNab.) 1 R., 44. 2 R., 62. C. of W., 88. 3 R., 91. P., 91. A., 110.

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(No. 27) An Act to amend The Public Health Act. (Mr. Langley.) 1 R., 44. 2 R., 110. C. of W., 117. 3 R., 137. P., 137. A., 165.

## PROTECTION OF GAME:

(No. 28) An Act to amend Chapter 128 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan 1909, intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game." (Mr. Motherwell.) 1 R., 44. 2 R., 54. C. of W., 90, 112, 143. 3 R., 151. P., 151. A., 165.

## TOWN OF ARCOLA TO BORROW MONEY:

- (No. 29) An Act to authorise the Town of Arcola to Borrow Money for Certain Public Works. (Mr. Stewart.) 1 R., 45. 2 R., 54. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 55. Reported, 83. C. of W., 93. 3 R., 99. P., 100. A., 110.

## THE NORTH BATTLEFORD CLUB:

- (No. 30) An Act to incorporate The North Battleford Club. (Mr. Finlayson.) 1 R., 51. 2 R., 60. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 60. Reported, 73. C. of W., 88. 3 R., 92. P., 92. A., 110.

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## THE SECURITY MORTGAGE COMPANY OF SASKATCHEWAN:

- (No. 34) An Act to incorporate The Security Mortgage Co. of Saskatchewan. (Mr. Bradshaw.) 1 R., 59. 2 R., 75. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 75. Reported, 89. C. of W., 93. 3 R., 100. P., 100. A., 110.

## MOOSE JAW SECURITIES, LIMITED:

- (No. 35) An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Securities, Limited. (Mr. Willoughby.) 1 R., 59. 2 R., 75. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 75. Reported, 116. C. of W., 127. 3 R., 139. P., 139. A., 165.

## THE STEAM BOILERS ACT:

- (No. 36) An Act to amend The Steam Boilers Act. (Mr. McNab.) 1 R., 61. 2 R., 74. C. of W., 90, 92. 3 R., 98. P., 98. A., 110.

## THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS, TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES:

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## THE TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF WESTERN CANADA:

- (No. 39) An Act to incorporate The Trust and Loan Company of Western Canada. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 70. 2 R., 75. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 75. Reported, 90. C. of W., 100. 3 R., 107. P., 107. A., 110.

## VILLAGE OF BALCARRES:

- (No. 40) An Act to incorporate the Village of Balcarres as a Town Municipality. (Mr. McDonald.) 1 R., 70. 2 R., 75. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 75. Reported, 102. 3 R., .... P., .... A., .... Refund of Fee, 102.

## WESTERN PRUDENTIAL INVESTMENT Co., LTD.:

(No. 41) An Act to incorporate Western Prudential Investment and Trust Company. (Mr. Finlayson.) 1 R., 74. 2 R., 100. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 100. Reported, 116. C. of W., 127. 3 R., 139. P., 139. A., 165.

## THE COMMERCIAL CLUB:

(No. 42) An Act to incorporate The Commercial Club. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 74. 2 R., 88. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 88. Reported, 101. C. of W., 127. 3 R., 139. P., 139. A., 165.

## ASSINIBOIA TRUST COMPANY:

(No. 43) An Act to incorporate Assiniboia Trust Company. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 74. 2 R., 100. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 100. Reported, 118. C. of W., 128. 3 R., 145. P., 145. A., 165.

## DIRECT LEGISLATION:

(No. 44) An Act respecting Direct Legislation. (Mr. Turgeon.) 1 R., 81. 2 R., 106. C. of W., 116, 150. 3 R., 162. P., 162. A., 166.

## J. O. HETTLER COMPANY:

(No. 45) An Act to incorporate the J. O. Hettler Company. (Mr. McNab.) 1 R., 84. 2 R., 111. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 111. Reported, 128. C. of W., 160. 3 R., 161. P., 161. A., 166.

## THE GRAND LODGE OF SASKATCHEWAN OF THE LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE:

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## REGINA-MOOSE JAW INTERURBAN RAILWAY:

(No. 47) An Act to incorporate the Regina-Moose Jaw Interurban Railway. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 84. 2 R., 112. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 112. Reported, 134. C. of W., 147. 3 R., 153. P., 153. A., 165.

## PRESBYTERIAN THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE:

(No. 48) An Act to incorporate Presbyterian Theological College of Saskatoon at Saskatoon. (Mr. Sutherland.) 1 R., 84. 2 R., 112. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 112. Reported, 118. C. of W., 128. 3 R., 145. P., 145. A., 165. Refund of Fee, 128.

## EMPIRE MORTGAGE TRUST Co.:

(No. 49) An Act to incorporate Empire Mortgage Trust Company. (Mr. Bole.) 1 R., 84. 2 R., 100. Referred to Standing Committee on Private Bills and Railways, 100. Reported, 114. C. of W., 127. 3 R., 139. P., 139. A., 165.

## WOLF BOUNTIES:

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## SECONDARY EDUCATION:

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(No. 52) An Act to amend Certain Acts respecting the Guarantees of Certain Securities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company. (Mr. Calder.) 1 R., 95. 2 R., 111. C. of W., 115. Order for 3 R., 136. Amendment, 136. 3 R., 138. P., 138. A., 165.

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(No. 54) An Act respecting Certain Aid towards the Construction of Terminals of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company and the Grand Trunk Pacific Saskatchewan Railway Company. (Mr. Calder.) 1 R., 95. 2 R., 125. C. of W., 143. 3 R., 151. P., 151. A., 165.

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## SASKATCHEWAN CO-OPERATIVE ELEVATOR COMPANY:

(No. 66) An Act to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement between the Government and The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, Limited, dated 6th December, 1912. (Mr. Bell.) 1 R., 97. 2 R., 109. C. of W., 117. 3 R., 138. P., 138. A., 165.

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